# **Little Melton Primary School**



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## Newsletter 1st July 2021

Dear Parents,

It's been a particularly full week in school, with lots of exciting events going on. Barn Owls enjoyed a super visit to Amazona Zoo in Cromer- see pictures below. They also entertained the younger children in the school as spectators to their erupting volcanoes on the school playground! Have a look at the video link below to watch a couple of these in action- and some very excited children! <a href="https://youtu.be/h53z13Pkxe0">https://youtu.be/h53z13Pkxe0</a> Last Friday we also all enjoyed a visit from Norwich Sports Partnership to run a whole school 'Day of Calm'. The visiting teacher spent time with each class in a circle time modelling some useful mindfulness and calming down strategies. Year 6 Eagle Owls have also begin their 'Bikeability' training. This is offered every year to children in Eagle Owls as part of the PE curriculum. You may have seen them around the village!



Amazona Zoo



Bikeability



### **Uniform**

Any parents wanting to buy uniform can purchase it direct from this website: https://www.superstitch86.co.uk/product-category/schoolwear/primary-schools-academies/little-melton-primary-school/















Zoom

Weekly Headteacher Zoom Meetings – every Friday 1.15-2.15pm

I will be setting time aside each week to offer individual Zoom meetings with any parents who would like to discuss any whole school items with me. If you would like to take up this offer, please email

head@littlemelton.norfolk.sch.uk and I will set up an appointment time and email a joining link.



# Around the Classrooms:

| This<br>week: |  |       |   |
|---------------|--|-------|---|
| Owlets        |  | Barn  |   |
|               | Jellyfish  |       | Mood Monsters!  |
| Snowy         | Instructional writing  | Eagle | Bikeability   |
| Next<br>week: |  |       |   |
| Owlets        | <ul> <li>Weights</li> <li>CCVC words eg crab</li> <li>Keeping safe at the seaside</li> </ul>                                       | Barn  | <ul> <li>Assessment week</li> <li>RSHE</li> <li>Sports Day practice</li> <li>Google Forms quizzes</li> </ul>                                      |
| Snowy         | <ul> <li>Place value (Y1)</li> <li>Money (Y2)</li> <li>Seaside poetry</li> <li>Henry Blogg-RNLI</li> <li>Making shadows</li> </ul> | Eagle | <ul> <li>Follow up from field trip</li> <li>Maths revision of gaps</li> <li>Water cycle</li> <li>Dragonology chapters</li> <li>Cricket</li> </ul> |



Birthdays this week Sam Age 11 Bailey Age 11 Lottie age 6



800 - Josh

800 - Thea

700 - Sydney



Owlets - Amelia, Lottie

Snowy - Ketty, Pippa

Barn - William G

Eagle - Everyone for working well together!



Last week's attendance was: 98.63%

Years 1 & 2 achieved 100% attendance

Attendance year to date is 97.50% (excluding self-isolation)

### Two volunteers required

We imminently require two volunteers with an electric drill for a spot of outdoor DIY! Please speak to Mr Pritchard, if you can help!



N.B. These dates/times could be subject to

Friday 2nd July - Eagle Owls West Runton beach

Monday 5th July - Eagle Owls Year 6 bikeability aroun 2

group 2 **Tuesday 6th July** - Eagle Owls Year 6 bikeability group 2

Friday 9th July - Whole school orienteering day Friday 9th July - Year 6 leavers movie night Tuesday 13th July - Sports Day 1:30p.m (weather

permitting) **Wednesday 14th July** - Eagle Owls canoeing at Whitlingham

Wednesday 14th July - Owlets & Snowy Owls trip to Banham Zoo

Friday 16th July - Year 6 leavers midnight game

Monday 19th July - Year 6 leavers water fight Tuesday 20th July - Reserve Sports Day 1:30p.m Wednesday 21st July - Year 6 leavers assembly 9:30a.m.

> Summer Holidays commence Thurs 22nd July 2021

### Exciting News for September!

After many years of service, our old school mobile will be demolished and replaced in the summer holidays. This has been a long-standing objective for the school governors and myself, and we are delighted to now be in a position to bring the project to fruition. The new modular classroom has air-conditioning and insulation and also includes a built-in intervention room and new interactive whiteboard as part of the design, and will be of significant benefit to the school. Thanks in particular should go to Mr Herculson (Ben and Thea's Dad) for skilfully and tirelessly leading and managing the project on our behalf. I am planning to film the demolition of the old one to share with all the children over the summer!



Yours faithfully

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Mr Pritchard Headteacher





Summer Reading Challenge 2021



# WILD WORLD Heroes



Presented by The Reading Agency.
Delivered in partnership with libraries

Keep the kids busy during the summer holidays with our wild world themed reading challenge. It's all free and kids can earn themselves a medal by reading 6 books of their choice.

Sign up for your free pack at your local library and get ready to collect your stickers to solve the Summer Reading Challenge clues!



Plus we've got loads of exciting wildlife themed online events taking place throughout the holidays.

To find out more about the challenge contact your local library or visit: www.norfolk.gov.uk/libraries





# BBC One's Eat Well For Less? is back on the hunt for households looking to save on their food shop!

Email:
eatwell@rdftelevision.com
0117 9707632

We are looking to represent the whole of the UK and will consider all applications.

Any information you give us will be processed in accordance with our privacy notice, a copy of which is available on request.