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Newsletter
22nd July 2025

Dear Parents,

We have had a busy last week part of the academic year. Our year 6 leavers have enjoyed a very energetic water fight and pizza night on Monday and also their Leavers Play at Hethersett Village Hall on Wednesday night. They have been a super Year 6, and we all obviously wish them all the very best for their step up into post-primary education in September.

On Thursday we held a special 'pink day' for Mrs House. The children took part in lots of fun 'house games' as a chance to say goodbye and thank you to Mrs House for all her amazing support over the last twenty years.

Also on Thursday we were delighted to receive a visit from former Norwich City footballer Onel Hernandez to be our guest speaker at the annual Children's University graduation event. Onel was fantastic with all of the children , and extremely patient, friendly and good-natured with all the many requests for photographs and autographs.

The annual chess tournament has also taken place over the last week. We had a super 33 entrants this year from Snowy Owls up to Eagle Owls, and for the third year running Zac and Hal made the final. Congratulations also to Henry in Year 1 for becoming the youngest player ever to reach the semi-finals!

Thank you to everyone who visited our pop-up art gallery in the school hall at the end of last week. The gallery included excellent work from across all four of our classes. For anyone unable to attend, there are some pictures later in the newsletter.

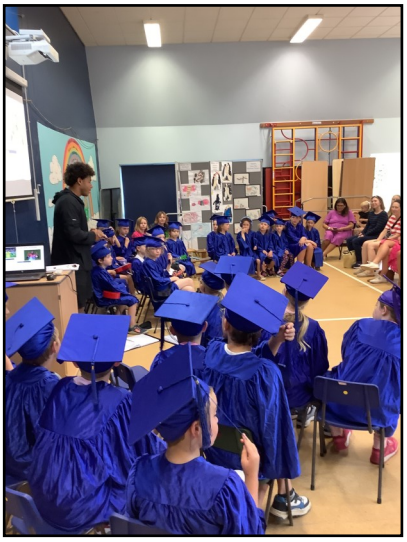
Finally, thank you for all your support across the long school year. I hope that everyone has an enjoyable summer holiday. School will re-open on Wednesday September 3rd.



Chess Semi-Finalists 2025

Well done to Henry, Lenny, Hal and Zac!

The tournament was eventually won by Hal for the second time after his previous victory in 2023!

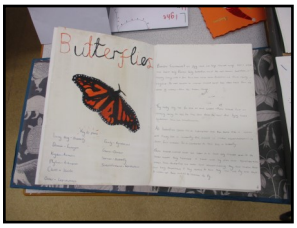


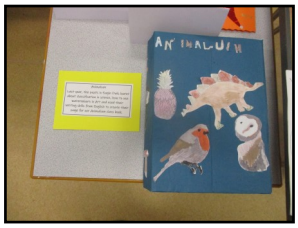


Children's University with Onel Hernandez!

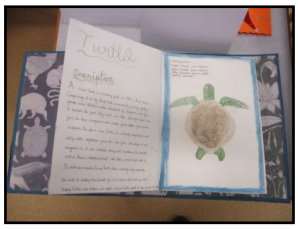






















Art Gallery, July 2025


















Mrs House–
Pink Day!





















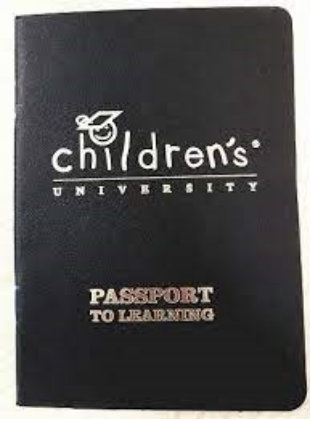
Owlets— growing beans and cress

Some useful codes:

Pensthorpe	purple	6889
Gressenhall	green	9146
Castle Museum	yellow	1113
Strumpshaw Fen	red	7914
Blickling	yellow	2594
Trowse Netball Club	red	1289
Swimming	red	2383
Hethersett Rainbows	blue	3822
Hethersett Brownies	purple	zero298
Hethersett Athletic FC	blue	8020
Perfect Performers Dance	yellow	2961
Norwich Swans	green	4508
Norwich Brownies	purple	4276
Central School of Dance	green	9584
LM Karate lessons	purple	8169
Wymondham rugby club	red	7304
Heigham Park FC	red	5207
Triple Threat Drama	purple	7564
Easton Tennis Club	green	7,946
Wham Drama Club	red	9237
Woodside Cubs Group	orange	5659
Hethersett 3rd Guides	purple	5181
Crusaders Rugby	red	7263
Easton Gymnastics	purple	7862
Wymondham Beavers	orange	1073
All Stars/Dynamos Cricket	yellow	6957
LMPS Tennis Club	red	3640
Hethersett Cubs	yellow	6218
Limelight Drama	yellow	2584
Star Dance	green	7236
LMPS Uke	blue	3072

Last date for pre-graduation points is July 5th

Norfolk Ski Centre	red	4435
Norfolk Hoopstars	yellow	2799
Norfolk swim school	blue	1554
East Anglia Tennis & squash club	blue	1085
Gain Fitness Club	yellow	8531
Eska Karate	purple	2944
Norwich Penguins	orange	6120
LMPS Singing	purple	5431
LMPS Chess	yellow	9886
LMPS Boardgames	green	7340
LMPS Mindfulness	green	7814
LMPS TTRS	red	1732
FITC football	purple	6720
Hethersett Beavers	red	6963
Norwich Ballet	purple	4331
UEA Gymnastics	green	7663
David Lloyd Swimming/Let's Play	orange	1923



Please continue to email me for any regular clubs that need a code.

Some useful codes:

<u>Support with emotional wellbeing.</u>

Mrs Plant, our mental health lead, has curated a selection of free and paid for online resources and contacts for children and adults.

These can be found on our school website at:

http://www.littlemeltonprimaryschool.co.uk/school-information/support-with-emotional-wellbeing/



Recent or Upcoming Birthdays:

Charlie 5, Arthur 5, Teddy 7, Jacob J 7, Violet 7, Eddie 7, Scarlett H 8, Summer 9, Ethan 9, Lucas C 9, Hannah 9, Alfie 10, Seth 10, Lewys 10, Arthur 10, Lucas M 10, Daisy 11, Ketty 11, Jayden 11, Rudi 11, Jude 11.



Attendance year to date is: 94.09%



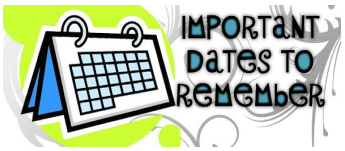
(L Love of Learning, M Make it Your Best , P Persevere S Skills for Life)

Owlets: Flo, Edith, George W, Dougie & Rose

Snowy: Hattie, Josh & Alice

Barn: Camley, Scarlett

Eagle: Everyone for leavers play!



School re-opens– Wednesday September 3rd

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/

House Points This Term:	Citrine
	Champions 2024-25!

Yours faithfully,

Alex Pritchard, Headteacher.

Nut Free School



A general reminder that we operate a nut-free policy in school for all food. Please be particularly careful with any food provided to celebrate birthdays as some chocolate can include traces of nuts. We do have some children with severe allergies in our school and we obviously want to look after them to the very best of our ability.



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Launching 5th July

Costessey Library

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SUMMER FOOTBALL SESSIONS

JULY 23RD TO AUGUST 27TH

MONDAY TO WEDNESDAY

EVENT OVERVIEW

Give your child the perfect opportunity to improve their football skills in a fun, focused, and supportive environment!

EVENT DETAILS

Date: July 23rd to August 27th
Time: Spots available starting at 9 am-3 pm
Locations: Cringleford and Wymondham

INFORMATION

Our 1-to-1 football coaching sessions are tailored to meet each player's individual needs. Open to ones just starting out football and ones that are looking to take their game to the next level.

REGISTRATION

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Reepham Tennis Club

5th - 22nd August 2025
Timings vary by venue
9-11:30am / 9am-1pm / 12-2:30pm
5-15 years



Action packed holiday camps with team challenges, tennis skills, games and prizes.

LTA YOUTH

SCAN THE QR CODE TO BOOKOR CLICK ON THE LINK BELOW

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