



### **Newsletter – 28<sup>th</sup> March 2018**

As we look forward to the Easter break, it is important to remember all the things we have achieved during this term. Thank you to everyone who has joined us in the last couple of weeks for both the Reading Cafes and Termly Learning Conferences; this has enabled the children to share and celebrate some of the learning that has taken place over the term. Your support, as always, is much appreciated. We are saying goodbye to Miss Vettese this term, who is leaving to be a full-time mum and wish to thank her for her work. I would also like to wish Miss Damore every happiness for her wedding that will be taking place over Easter. We hope that everyone has a lovely Easter.

#### **Pupil of the Week**

<b>7<sup>th</sup> March 2018</b>		<b>16<sup>th</sup> March 2018</b>	
Zebbras	Ricky Leech	Zebbras	Laura Read
Otters	Oliver Dowles	Otters	Charlie Ward-Bennett
Aardvarks	Grace Eastaugh	Aardvarks	Savanna-Leigh Lee
Giraffes	Riley Slater	Giraffes	Joshua Ball
Owls	Cian Wilmshurst	Owls	Olivia Burnside
Meerkats	Jessica Drane	Meerkats	Eaton Vale Trip
Lemurs	Jessica Davis	Lemurs	Eaton Vale Trip
Antelopes	Harvey Gooch	Antelopes	Carli Smith
Lions	Charlie Humphries	Lions	William Davis



#### **Eaton Vale**

Year 4 visited Eaton Vale for two nights and completed a number of activities in an action-packed timetable. The children experienced activities such as abseiling, kayaking, climbing and crate stacking and everyone accomplished far more than they thought they could achieve at the start of the visit. All of the children pushed themselves to the limit and showed a huge amount of determination and bravery throughout the visit. We were very proud of them. It will definitely be a trip that they will never forget.

#### **Football Tournament**

On Friday 16th March, some pupils in Year 3 and Year 5 visited Pakefield High School to take part in a football tournament. All of the children had an excellent time and represented Kessingland brilliantly. Everyone played well and our boys' team even finished in 3rd place! Well done!

#### **Year 5 Trip to Beccles Free School**

Year 5 had a fantastic day at Beccles Free School. They began by watching their play, 'The Little Shop of Horrors' - the children were laughing out loud at the angry, talking plant!





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We then had the opportunity to make 'monster pots' out of clay during a D.T. session and explored the electrical voltage of different flavoured fruit juices during a Science session. The Science teacher was very impressed with our pupils' knowledge of electrical conductors and insulators. An inspiring and enjoyable day was had by all.

### **Water, Mills and Marshes**

On Monday 26th March, Year 5 had a fantastic day exploring The Broads. They began by visiting Carlton Marshes where they found out about different habitats and looked closely at water creatures through pond dipping. After that, the children enjoyed a boat trip along the River Waveney where they learnt more about the Broads. It was a brilliant day!

### **Travelling Book Fair**

Thank you to everyone that visited our recent book fair. We raised £562.60 and this has given the school £277.56 to spend on free books for our school.

### **Spring/Summer Menu**

The new Spring/Summer menu is available on our website; unfortunately, we do not have any hard copies that we are able to send home.

### **Dates for the Diary**

Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup> March 2018:	End of Term. Pupils are in school on the 28 <sup>th</sup> March
Thursday 29 <sup>th</sup> March 2018:	PD Day. Pupils are not in school on the 29 <sup>th</sup> March
Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> April 2018:	Start of Term. Pupils are in school on the 16 <sup>th</sup> April
Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> April 2018:	School Farm and Country Fair (Ipswich) – Years 3 & 4
Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> May 2018:	Hands on Heritage –Year 6 (Overnight stay)
Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> May 2018:	End of Term. Pupils are in school on the 25 <sup>th</sup> May
Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> June 2018:	Start of Term. Pupils are in school on the 4 <sup>th</sup> June
Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> June 2018:	Class Photographs including Y6 Leavers
Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July 2018:	Sports Day
Tuesday 24 <sup>th</sup> July 2018:	End of Term. Pupils are in school on the 24 <sup>th</sup> July

