Dear Families.

It has been a busy week for year 6 who have completed their SATs, well done and super proud of how you dealt with them. Fledglings and Coots had an exciting visit from the local police team and the children were able to dress up and sit in the police car. Next week is our SIAMS inspection visit and KS2 cricket tournament.

# Mrs King

# **Next Week**

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May – FOSS pre loved uniform sale before and after school

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May – Fledglings photographs

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May - Cluster cricket

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May - Herons cake sale

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May - FOSS non uniform day

Friday 24th May - Last day of Summer term 1

# D Day menu

This will be the hot and vegetarian option for the day, Jacket potatoes and packed lunch will still be available. This is census day and it really helps the school if as many children as possible can have a lunch on the day.



#### Coming up

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June – Start of Summer term 2

Sunday 9th June – FOSS Summer Social

Wk beginning 10<sup>th</sup> June – Phonics checks – Year 1

Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June – Class photographs

Friday 21st June – Fledglings Cake Sale

Monday 24th June - Girls football league

Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> June – KS1 Federation sports & picnic (details to follow)

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June – Sports day (details to follow)

# Attendance changes





# Penalty Notice Fines for School Attendance are changing!



With the introduction of the new National Framework for Penalty Notices, the following changes will come into force for Penalty Notice Fines issued after 19th August 2024.

### Per Parent, Per Child

Penalty Notice Fines are issued to each parent, for each child that was absent. For example: 3 siblings absent for term time leave, would result in each parent receiving 3 separate fines.

#### **National Threshold**

There will be a single consistent national threshold for when a penalty notice must be considered by all schools in England of 10 sessions (usually equivalent to 5 school days) of unauthorised absence within a rolling 10 school week period. These sessions do not have to be consecutive and can be made up of a combination of any type of unauthorised absence.

The 10-school week period can span different terms or school years.

#### First Offence

The first time a Penalty Notice is issued for unauthorised absence the amount will be:

- £160 per parent, per child paid within 28 days.
- Reduced to £80 per parent, per child if paid within 21 days.

#### Second Offence (within 3 years)

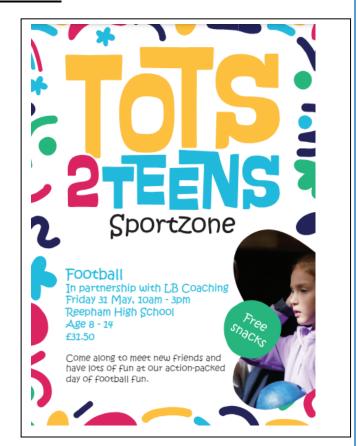
- The Second time a Penalty Notice is issued for unauthorised absence the amount will be:
- £160 per parent, per child paid within 28 days.

# Third Offence and Any Further Offences (within 3 years)

- The third time an offence is committed a Penalty Notice will not be issued and the
  case will be presented straight to the Magistrate's Court. Prosecution can result
  in criminal records and fines of up to £2,500.
- Cases found guilty in Magistrates' Court can show on the parent's future DBS certificate due to 'failure to safeguard a child's education'.

# **TOTS 2 TEENS**





#### **TOTS2TEENS**

Bookings are open for ToTs2Teens May half term sessions.

These are just some of the activities on offer, booking can be made through the following link

https://www.southnorfolkandbroadland.gov.uk/communities/tots-2-teens

There are half price fees for those on eligible means tested benefits

#### **WELL DONE!**

We are so proud of our year 6 students who completed their SATs this week. While we know there were some worries every single one of them showed courage and perseverance. They have all enjoyed a well earned treat at the park with a surprise visit from NCFC Ladies team player Freya Symonds who took them through some football skills and played some games with them, they cooled off with a picnic and Choc ices kindly given to us by FOSS.

#### **Baby News**

Congratulations to Mrs Donnachie and her husband who welcomed a beautiful baby girl this week. Mum and baby are doing well. We are looking forward to meeting her.

# **FOSS Sumer Social**

Join us on Sunday 9th June for our fun-filled family event: Salhouse Summer Social.

We will have entertainment from children's entertainer Moore Madness!

£1 entry per adult and £3 entry per child to include unlimited turns on the bouncy castle, gladiator duel and many more activities and games.

So bring a chair or a picnic blanket and enjoy a family day out, all whilst raising money for the children of our school.



#### **Dates for your diary**

Monday	1 <sup>st</sup> July	Collective Worship - Herons
Wednesday	3 <sup>rd</sup> July	Year 6 Broadland transition day
Thursday	4 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Broadland transition day
Monday	8 <sup>th</sup> July	Collective Worship assembly - Grebes
Tuesday	9 <sup>th</sup> July	KS2 Cluster sports
Thursday	11 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 5 day at Broadland
Monday	15 <sup>th</sup> July	Cluster Swimming Gala
Friday	19 <sup>th</sup> July	FOSS non uniform day
Friday	19 <sup>th</sup> July	Last day of summer term

'They will soar on wings like eagles They will run and not grow weary They will walk and not be faint.' Isaiah 40:31

