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Dear Parents,

We certainly have had a week of weather extremes! It has been incredibly hot in the classrooms at times, it is a miracle that children have stayed awake, let alone managed such great work. I know several are really suffering with the high pollen, do remember that if they need medication during the day this must come to the office and medical forms need to be completed. Please also make sure you keep an eye on the weather forecast. We have had children inside because they don't have coats on wet days or cream and hats on hot days. They really do need time outside so it is important that they are prepared.

Special Awards this week:



Badger Class



Toby for always listening carefully to the teaching so that his work improves everyday.

Fox Class

Freya for always just getting on with whatever she is asked to do,

a great attitude to work.

Writer of the Week

Hedgehog Class

Ethan for his fantastic independent sentences about his picture. He has used his super spelling skills and put his full stops in all the correct places.

Badger Class

We have been working on using the present perfect tense, which is tricky. Izzy did a really great job!

Well done all of you for your fantastic work!

'This is Me' is from Annabel this week. Head over to Tapestry to see her amazing gymnastics and the hilarious outtakes! You will also see Toby's fabulous book recommendation, not only is it a great sounding book, the review is very professional!

Sonny has been chosen for 'This is Me' next week and Gabi for Book of the Week. We really look forward to seeing what they have to share.

Other Messages

Traffic around school

Please ensure that you drive and park carefully around school. It is noticeably busier on wet days like today and it can make it harder to stop. For the safety of all of our children it is important that people drive slowly and park in a position that allows others visibility as well as the ability to pass safely.



Behaviour outside of school

In recent weeks, with the good weather, more children have been playing outside after school. We have had some messages about things that they may be doing which is not always appropriate. We have spoken to the children about ensuring their behaviour is always safe and kind as we would expect it to be in school. But it is important that if people are aware of these things happening that it is reported to parents. We cannot deal with these issues second or third hand in the following days.

Year 6 Transition

Year 6 parents will need to keep up to date with information from high schools regarding transition, some events may be affected by government guidance. At the moment, Neatherd and Northgate hope to go ahead as planned, but other schools having earlier days are unfortunately having to cancel.



Library Summer Reading challenge

From the 10th July children will be able to sign up for the summer reading challenge. This is a great way of keeping children reading over the summer and accessing a wider range of books.

Norfolk Music Hub

There is a great selection of free online music sessions available this summer to suit a range of ages, interests and abilities. Visit their website to find out more and to register for workshops.

https://www.norfolkmusichub.org.uk/site/summer-sun-online-workshops/

Wishing you all a good weekend,

Jennie Müller

Headteacher



Dates for your Diary:

Reception 2021 Stay and play Session 24th June 3.30-4.30pm

Sports Day Ist July 2021

Reception 2021 Stay and play Session 13th July 3.30-4.30pm

Community Yard Sale 17th July

End of term 21st July 2021

Return to School 6th September 2021