

Dear Parents and Carers,

I can't quite believe that the half term break has arrived already! However, the timing is perfect for many of the children (and many of the staff too) who look ready for a restful week after a half term packed full of hard work alongside illness for many also.

We have received some questions over recent weeks regarding our system for communicating when your child has hurt themselves whilst at school. If your child tells a member of staff that they are hurt, even if a first aider checks for an injury and can not see any sign of an injury, to ensure good communication with you we will always complete a first aid notification for your child to bring home. We know that this means some of you receive ALOT of first aid forms! Every child is different: some are quick to tell an adult about the very smallest hurt, some are super active and therefore have quite regular bumps, others are so hardy they don't even tell an adult if they have had a knock. I wonder which category your child fits into? The system is designed to ensure good communication between school and home, to enable you to keep an eye on any injuries or possible injuries your child may have gained from the busyness of their school day.

We often remind you about Just One Norfolk and, as we enter into a week away from school, we want to remind you that there is a huge amount of support available to you as parents and families on this website or via their helpline. There are so many fantastic help sections within the website including some really helpful advice about sleep, child development and healthy lifestyles. I am also thrilled to see that there is the offer of free online courses to support you as parents. At times being a parent or carer is tough but do remember there is support out there for you.

Health Advice & Support for Children & Families (justonenorfolk.nhs.uk)



Wishing you a safe, restful and joy-filled half term break. We look forward to welcoming the children back to school on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> February.

Mrs Lound (Head of School)



You can also read our weekly newsletter on the school website

If your child is unable to attend school, please remember to ring or email the office before 8:50am office@corpustyprimary.org.uk 01263 587320

### Stars of the week



#### February

HALF TERM - Mon 19th to Fri 23rd February

#### March

Mon 4<sup>th</sup> Pupil Progress meetings – please complete and return the reply slip. Thu 7<sup>th</sup> – Pupil Progress meetings – please complete and return the reply slip. Thu 7<sup>th</sup> – World Book day -The children can wear their own clothes to school. They may also design and dress-up a potato (or other vegetable) as a character from a book if they wish. We will display these in class, so please bring them in for March 7th. Best dressed potato will win a prize per class!



Tue  $12^{th}$  – Hedgehog awareness talk by Hallswood Animal Sanctuary. Please donate cat and dog food to support this sanctuary.

Fri 15<sup>th</sup> – Comic Relief - Red noses have been delivered to school ready to purchase, details to follow.

Thu  $21^{st} - 10.15$ am - Otter class to perform to parents following their final samba music session.

Mon  $25^{th} - 6$  to 7.15pm 'Friends' Easter Bingo in the school hall – all welcome. Wed  $27^{th}$  – Easter garden and Easter bonnet designs to the library.

Please follow the link below to see term dates for 2023/24 and 2024/25 Corpusty Primary School - Term dates

Please note there has been an amendment to the 2024/25 school calendar

Mondays - Little Acorns from 10 to 11.30am. Fridays – 3.15pm – Visit our school library.

## Pancake fun



The whole school went outside at the end of the day on Shrove Tuesday and took part in pancake fun. We were delighted to see so many parents and carers join us. The children had a game of musical pancakes followed by class races.

Our Pancake stars are Rosie and Jack



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From the Friends.

Looking ahead to Easter!

#### EASTER BINGO

Our annual Friends Easter Bingo will be on Monday 25th March at 6.00pm in the school hall. This is a really enjoyable and successful family event that is great fun for all ages so please bring friends and family. Adults £2 and children £1. Please donate chocolate Easter eggs and please give them to Pat Sharp or drop them in at the school office. There will also be a stall selling Easter cakes so cake donations would be very much appreciated.

#### EASTER GARDENS AND BONNETS

All children have the opportunity to design and make a decorative Easter garden or Easter bonnet and bring them into the school library on the morning of Wednesday 27th of March. This is always a very popular event, and children always have great fun being creative and celebrating Easter. Please look at our 'Friends of Corpusty Primary' Facebook page under the photos section and scroll down to see excellent designs from previous years. There will be a £10 book token for one Reception / KS1 entry and one KS2 entry. Every child that enters will receive a small Lindt chocolate bunny.

The Friends will also provide chocolate Easter Eggs for an Easter egg hunt in the school grounds during the last day of the term.

#### FOOTBALL TOPS

A parent donated two collectible signed football tops to the Friends to sell. The Arsenal one sold for £65 a while ago and the Zidane one recently sold for £50 on Ebay by an American buyer. Our Ebay feedback was - 'Amazing customer service! Amazing seller! Shipped super-fast and was easy to communicate! Thanks so much again!!' Therefore, we raised £115 in total. Thank you so much to the parents for donating the two football tops to us. It is very much appreciated.





Easter Bingo 25th March 2024 6.00 - 7.15pm in the School Rall LOTS OF CHOCOLATE EASTER EGGS TO BE WON E1 2 600k For children - £2 2 600k For 2duits

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Please support the Friends of Corpusty Primary School

SYNERGY MAT stronger together

# WANT TO BECOME A TEACHER?

Sheringham High School is hosting a secondary open day for anyone interested in becoming a teacher.

wednesday 17th April



**time** 09:30 - 15:00







MORE INFO

WANT TO FIND OUT MORE? Scan the QR code below.



