



## Aslacton Primary School

Half Term ending Friday 23rd May 2025

### Deputy's Message

This has been possibly the shortest first half of the Summer term I can remember but we seem to have packed a lot in!

With both schools in our federation receiving visits from Ofsted in the space of 8 days there has been a lot to think about and to reflect on as we begin to look to the end of this academic year and to plan for next. These did not come as a complete surprise as our last inspections for both schools were in January 2020. We await the reports and hope to be able to share the outcomes of these during next half term.

This next half term will also see us prepare to say goodbye to our Year 6s. They were my first Reception class when I moved from Manor Field to Aslacton and it has been a joy to watch them as they have travelled through the school, adding a few to their number along the way. Whilst we don't know the outcome of their SAT tests yet we know they worked extremely hard and we were very proud of their attitude and enthusiasm during the testing week. My thanks to Miss Knight and Mrs Humphreys for all they have done in preparing the children, providing clubs for support, breakfasts in test week, and for their calm and encouraging approach to the tests.

We have the Friends big annual fundraiser—"FAMILY FUN NIGHT" coming up on 27th June—see poster below. This raises a huge amount of money for our school and helps to provide coaches for visits and will be helping towards the cost of replacing our adventure playground over the next few years. Please do support if you can, the committee have worked extremely hard to put this together, bring friends and family along too! Mrs Turk

#### Pre-loved Uniform

Did you know that the Friends have lots of 2nd hand uniform for sale? They will have this at Family Fun Night but you can always ask at other times if you are in need of anything. There are no set prices, just a donation to the Friends and you are helping the environment too by preventing clothing waste going to landfill. If you have uniform, PE kit, trainers, wellies or shoes in good condition that you would like to donate, please speak to any of the Friends.



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### Information

#### Family Friday for the Summer Term

**9am unless otherwise stated**

June 6th: Owl

June 13th: Kestrel

June 20th: Eagle

June 27th: Owl

#### Clubs

All clubs re-start after half term—please ensure you have paid for sports clubs that you have booked to secure your place.

#### Friends

This half term the Friends have their biggest fundraiser of the year—FAMILY FUN NIGHT.

This will take place (come rain or shine) on Friday 27th June from 4.30-7pm.

There will be stalls, a raffle, tombola, games, a food van and much more.

If you are able to help on the night, even for a short time on a stall please see Mrs Allin-Baker, Mrs Thorndyke or Mrs Adam to volunteer your help—the more the merrier!

We are always looking for raffle prizes from companies—if you think you know a company that might donate a prize please see one of the ladies above with information.

**THERE IS A NON UNIFORM DAY ON 6TH JUNE  
IN AID OF DONATIONS FOR HAMPER AND  
TOMBOLA PRIZES FOR FAMILY FUN NIGHT**

#### PE and Uniform

Please remember to send PE kits into school every Monday. Children must have a change of clothes for PE including footwear.

Please make sure that uniform is appropriate and decent and suitable for the weather this term and please sent a sunhat daily.

**A reminder that painted and false nails do not form part of our uniform and that earrings should be studs only.**

Thank you for your support.

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**Save the date! - please note we reserve the right to change or amend any of the dates set out below and we will inform you of any changes as soon as possible.**

June	
Monday 2nd	Term starts
Friday 6th	Non-uniform in exchange for a tombola prize/hamper gift for Family
Tuesday 17th	Whole class photographs –full uniform please
Friday 27th	FAMILY FUN NIGHT 4.30-7PM
July	
Tuesday 1st	LSHS Taster Day for Y5— see letter from LSHS
Thursday 3rd	Y4 Bike checks for Cycling Proficiency . More details will follow nearer the time.
Friday 4th	Y6 Bike checks for Cycling Proficiency . More details will follow nearer the time.
Monday 7th	Sports Day—Carousel of activities in the morning, family picnic at lunch and “traditional races” in the afternoon. You are welcome to join for all or part of the day.
Thursday 10th	Y4 Off road cycling (on playground)
Thursday 10th	Friends End of Year Disco
Friday 11th	Y6 On road cycling
From 17th onwards	Leaver's activities– Miss Knight will provide full details at a later date including church service Tuesday 22nd at 9am to which Y6 parents are invited
Tuesday 22nd	Term Ends



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### Attendance

It is a legal requirement that your child attends school everyday unless they are genuinely unwell. IF YOUR CHILD IS ABSENT FROM SCHOOL FOR ANY REASON, YOU MUST INFORM THE SCHOOL ON EACH DAY OF ABSENCE before 9.00am. In most cases there are very simple explanations for absence, but if you do not tell us, your child's absence has to be recorded as unauthorised.

#### Our attendance:

Attendance target: 96%

This half term's attendance: 96.62%

Class with the best attendance: Owl with 98.01%

There 221 minutes of lost learning due to late arrivals this half term.

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