



BPS News Sheet

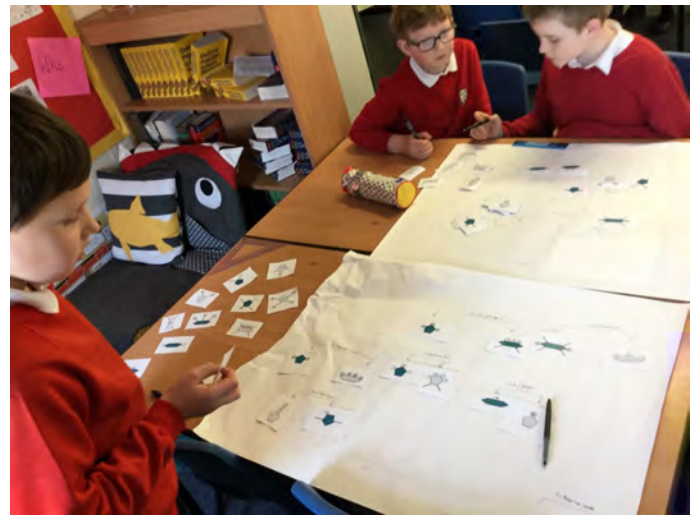
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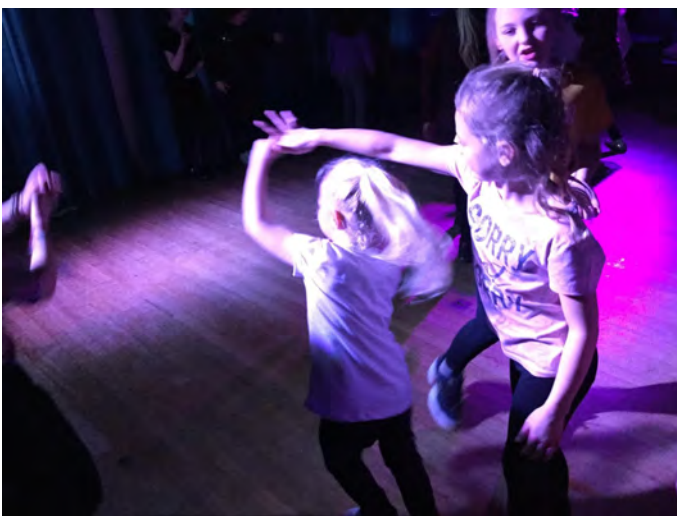


'together we are stronger'

A busy week 'Growing together'



In Science this week: Sharks have been looking at classification and how to create branching databases to help identify unknown creatures. We had a pack of 'aliens' and generated questions based on their visible characteristics to help identify them. Have a look - it got a little tricky in the middle!



Valentines Disco - On Wednesday after school lots of children come to boogie along to our very popular discos. As you can see from the photos there was actually a considerable amount of dancing which is an amazing feat at a children's disco.

'together aspire, together achieve, together we are stronger...'

Valentines Breakfast Event

We ended the half term with a special breakfast club. 27 children took part and enjoyed a range of colouring and craft activities before devouring a delicious cooked breakfast of heart-cut toast, beans, scrambled egg and sausage.



World Book Day 2019
7th March 2019



For world book day this year we have agreed a theme for dressing up. The theme for this year is that children come dressed as a character from the world of a book they have read in class.

Seahorses - Jolly Postman, Grandad's Island or Hickory Dickory Dog.

Dolphins - Pax or Ug

Sharks - Beowulf, Private Peaceful or A Midsummer Night's Dream.



Parent and child shared lunch

Starting on Friday 8th March and continuing for the following three Fridays (15th, 22nd and 29th March) parents can join their child in school for hot school dinner. This is not only a great opportunity to have lunch in school with your child but also to try a range of 'taster pots' and give your feedback before the new menu which is set to be launched after the Easter break is finalised. A letter with reply slip will be coming home soon. Hope you can make it!

Get cooking!

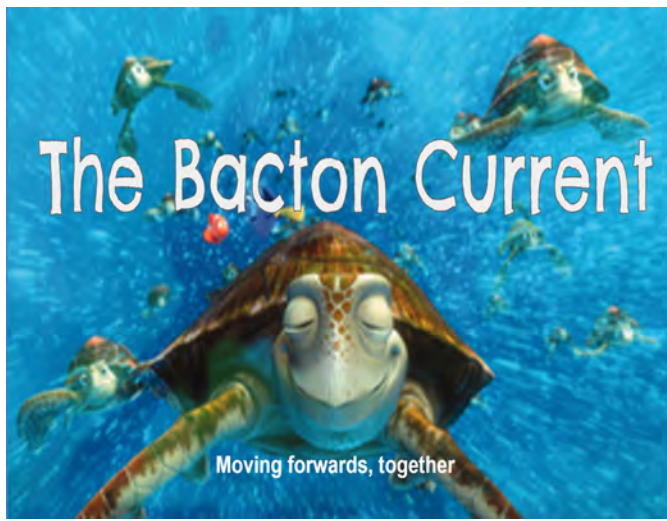
Hurrah!!! Two of the children at Bacton Primary School have shared a recipe that they love. Their names are Emme and Millie and their recipe is for rock cakes. YUMMY! Why not have a go at making them for yourself over the half term holiday. Here's how to do it...

Ingredients
200g self raising flour
100g raisins
50g caster sugar
50g butter
75ml milk
1/2 tsp baking powder
1/4 tsp salt

Preheat oven to 210C and prepare and measure ingredients. Mix flour, baking powder, sugar and salt. Add butter cut into pieces. Crush using fingertips until crumbly. Pour in the milk and add the raisins, then mix until the dough is consistent. If it is too dry add a little more milk, if too sticky add a sprinkle of flour. Place dough on a floured surface and roll to thickness of 1cm. Cut into 5cm discs using a cookie cutter. Coat the tops with a little milk and bake for 12 mins on baking paper. Once cooked remove and cool on wire rack.



Have you got a recipe to share? Email it to Boo on b.tumber@coastalfederation.com or Barbara on b.vanlint@coastalfederation.com and we'll print it in on the next newsletter with your child's name!



END OF BACTON CURRENT TIMES TABLES CELEBRATION!

Come Join Us

Friday 15th March
14:00-15:00 for our
Bacton Current Times
Tables **'Turtles Tea Party'**
Afternoon tea event - A great opportunity
for you to work alongside your child in
class and see the progress your child has
made in improving their rapid recall of
times tables. Hope you can make it!
Our next Bacton Current will be focused
on supporting mental wellbeing - Look
out for details and how you can get
involved.

Kit Crisis

The children are really enjoying their P.E lessons at the moment but could we please ask that:

- socks are in P.E. kits as some children are coming in wearing skirts/dresses and tights and do not then have socks for P.E.
- A plastic bag for wet/muddy trainers would be ideal, especially for KS2

If you have borrowed any knickers, please can we ask that these are returned, as supplies are running a little low!



LEGO Competition

During February Archant Publishing will launch a competition for schools to compete to win over £10000 worth of Lego. We need your support with the competition by collecting tokens from the Eastern Daily Press, Evening News or North Norfolk News. Every school collecting more than 1000 tokens will receive £50 of free Lego while the three schools collecting the most tokens as a percentage of their school population will win £1000 of Lego each. The first token appear on Saturday 9th February and the final token on Friday 3rd May. A collection box will be in place in the airlock soon.

Check out the website for newly added photos and information!




Dates for the Diary







Date	Time	Event
Bacton Current the 8 week plan)-Improving children's instant recall of times tables		

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25.2.19	8:45	Return to school from February Half Term Holiday
27.2.19	9:30-11:30	Year 3 swimming lessons @ Victory Leisure Centre North Walsham
1.3.19	3:10	Half year reports issued to parents
4.3.19	10:15-12:30	E-Safety event @ North Walsham High School for years 5 and 6
4.3.19	6:30-8:00	E-safety event @ North Walsham High School for parents
6.3.19	9:30-11:30	Year 3 swimming lessons @ Victory Leisure Centre North Walsham
7.3.19	All Day	World Book Day
8.3.19	All Day	Year 3 and 4 off road cycling training with road safety officer
13.3.19	9:30-11:30	Year 3 swimming lessons @ Victory Leisure Centre North Walsham
13.3.19	15:30-17:30	Parents evening - Online booking opens after half term holiday
14.3.19	16:00-19:00	Parents evening - Online booking opens after half term holiday
15.3.19	14:00-15:00	Turtle Tea party - Bacton Current Times table celebration event - parents welcome
19.3.19	All day	James Campbell Visiting author to work with whole school (Author of 'The funny life of pets')
20.3.19	9:30-11:30	Year 3 swimming lessons @ Victory Leisure Centre North Walsham
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13.5.19	am	Year 6 Spelling, Punctuation and grammar SATs test
14.5.19	am	Year 6 Reading SATs test
15.5.19	am	Year 6 Maths papers 1 and 2 SATs tests
16.6.19	am	Year 6 Maths paper 3 SATs test

This weeks house point totals / This academic years house point total

		
This week 123	This week 166	This week 194
Total 1316	Total 1474	Total 1832

					
Collaborative	Creative	Curious	Reflective	Resilient	Resourceful

Our JONK (Joy of not knowing) Learning Behaviours: Why not ask your child to explain them!

Instalment	Amount	Due by
Deposit (non-refundable)	£20	4th May
1st	£50	01/10/2018
2nd	£50	01/11/2018
3rd	£40	03/12/2018
4th	£30	07/01/2019
5th	£50	31/02/2019
6th	£50	25/03/2019

Year 6 Isle of Wight Visit.
 Just a reminder of the payment schedule for the Isle of Wight. The fifth payment for parents choosing to pay by installments was due last Friday with the sixth and final payment due by 25th March at the latest. Please ensure the balance is paid by the deadline to enable the school to pay for the visit.

We're here to help.




Barbara and Boo

Family Support Team

Barbara and Boo (Family Support Team) are up and running! Boo is now offering a 'drop in' for parents and carers at the following times:
Mondays 8:30-9:30am (MJS)
Thursdays 8:30-9:30am (MIS)
Fridays 8:30-9:30am (BPS)

We can also be contacted by phone (01263 720401 Ext. 5) - please leave a message if we are not available and we will return your call as soon as possible.

Support for children is also being offered and, as well as individual slots, a 'drop in' for children is available too.

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School Clubs				
Starts/Ending	Day	Club	Year/Maximum club size	Time
Starting 4/3/19	Monday	Karate	20 Details to follow after Feb half term Maximum 20	3:15-4:15
Restarts 5.3.19	Tuesday	Walking Club	For years 3-6 Maximum 10	Lunchtime

Restarts 5.3.19	Tuesday	Homework club	For years 2-6	3:15-4:00
Restarts 6.3.19	Wednesday	Story club	For Years R-6	3:15-4:00
Restarts 28.2.19	Thursday	Archery/ Fencing (alternating) Provided by Premier Sports	For Years 2-6 Maximum 20	3.15-4.15
Restarts 7.3.19	Thursday	Gardening Club	For Years 1-6 Maximum 10	Lunchtime

There is currently no cost to take part in any of our after school clubs - including those led by external providers such as Premier Sport and TKF



Attendance/Safeguarding

Attendance target set by the government = 96.1%

Current updated Bacton Primary School attendance = 96.75%

(To the end of this week 15/2/2019)

We have 72 on roll and there are currently 41 children with 100% attendance.

The class with the highest attendance this week was Seahorse class with 99.60% attendance

Well done Seahorse Class - who receive the £10.00 weekly attendance reward



Have you received one yet? - If your child has 100% attendance during the week we will be texting you to congratulate them. Look out for your message!

Last week 65 messages were sent out as 65/72 children had 100% attendance for the week. How many messages will be sent this week?

Reception children - Promoting independence

When we return from the February half term break we request that parents of Reception children say their goodbyes at the door and encourage children to go into school by themselves to encourage their independence and continue to build their confidence now that they are halfway through their first year in school and familiar with routines. There are already over half the Reception children who enter school independently and hang their coats and bags in the cloakrooms which is fantastic.



Internet Safety

Here at badon we are doing internet safety that helps us be safe on the internet and these are the items of games that are unsafe and we need to watch

- Such as:
- snapchat
 - Roblox
 - Fortnite
 - instagram
 - facebook
 - MSP = movie star planet
 - minecraft
 - Pokemon Go
 - League of Legends
 - Diablo

These games are addictive and unsafe you can get hacked and body hurt people can steal out your address and more.

Breaking news

2012

Taiwan teenager died after playing computer game non-stop.

An 18 year old collapsed and died at an internet cafe in Taiwan after playing an online game for 40 hours straight.

The game that he was playing
Diablo

E-Safety

Following on from our successful in school E-safety lessons Jasmine continued her learning at home and produced a poster to promote safe use of the internet. Great work Jasmine!

PLEASE ensure that all holidays are taken during the designated holiday time.



Norfolk County Council

2018-2019

Norfolk Model Calendar

This calendar applies to community schools, community special schools, VC schools and nursery schools and sets the days on which school transport will be provided. While most Foundation, VA, foundation special, free schools and academy trusts who are able to set their own dates, adopt the Norfolk Model, we advise you to check with your child's school before making holiday or other commitments.

September 2018							October 2018							November 2018							December 2018						
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May 2019							June 2019							July 2019							August 2019								
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Key : White dates - schools open to pupils
 Yellow dates - pupil holiday
 Red dates - bank holiday

Five staff training days will be selected from yellow dates, we suggest 5 September, 18 & 19 October, 19 December and 2 January. Some may choose to use twilight hours for staff training instead of some or all of these.



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FREE conference for all parents and carers of children (0–25 years) with Special Educational Needs and/or Disabilities (SEND)

Our Keynote Speaker is
Sara Tough
Director of Children's Services

Saturday 16th March 2019
10.00–15.30
John Innes Conference Centre, Norwich NR4 7UH

For more information and to book a place

Bookings open from 14 January 2019

Via:
 • www.familyvoice.org.uk
 • Facebook
 • Twitter
 • Email spenche@familyvoice.org.uk
 • Call/text 07535 895748 and leave a message with your contact details
 Please book early
 Places will be allocated in order of booking

Come and participate in informative workshops and individual sessions with service providers, charities and others

More than 40 information stands

Open to members and non-members
 Free to attend
 Free buffet lunch
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