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Friday 6th March 2026



Edition 252

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Hello from the Head...

What a week! It has been a jam-packed ACE week full of opportunity, learning and fun. We hope you enjoyed our Masked Reader challenge – thank you to the staff team and families for getting involved on Instagram! World Book Day yesterday was a huge success; it was great to see children working together and sharing their love of stories. Thank you to Miss Wreford and team for a super day, and as always – families for putting in so much effort with costumes and fun.

Well done to our Penguins this week for a lovely class assembly – we are proud of you! We look forward to seeing Tigers in action next Wednesday at 2:45pm. Our Lions and Tigers are out on a trip today to ROARR! Bears are looking forward to their farm trip next week too.

Next week Years 2-6 will be completing some assessments, as well as other normal lessons, ahead of Parents Evening which is the last week of term (w/c 23rd March.) At these parent meetings, teachers will share these results with you, as well as discussing progress, behaviour and attitudes. Bears and Lions families – teachers will be sharing with you their teacher assessments to date. Booking on the Arbor Parent Portal will go live on Monday 9th March at 7pm. Please do make every effort to make a Parent's Evening appointment and let the office know if you have any booking issues.

Miss Wreford has chosen the Friyay tunes today, have a brilliant weekend.



TOP CLASS ATTENDANCE:



PENGUINS



ACE LEARNING THEME:



CONNECT

(Five Ways to Wellbeing)



RANK	NAME	CLASS
1	Hector Young	Penguins
2	Reggie Mallett	Dolphins
3	Chase Birchnall	Dolphins
4	Amelia Bamforth	Dolphins
5	Toby Mendham	Dolphins

ASTLEY CALENDAR AND EVENTS

w/c 9th March:

Tuesday 10th March:

Tuesday 10th March 2:45pm:

Wednesday 11th March 2:45pm:

Wednesday 18th March 2:45pm:

Wednesday 18th March:

Friday 20th March:

Friday 20th March:

Friday 20th March 6pm start:

w/c 23rd March:

Monday 23rd March:

Tuesday 24th March 4:30pm:

Wednesday 25th March 2:45pm:

Friday 27th March:

Friday 27th March:

Monday 13th April:

Monday 13th April:

Tuesday 14th April:

Monday 20th April:

Tuesday 21st April:

Monday 4th May:

Tuesday 5th May:

w/c 11th May:

Monday 4th May:

w/c 25th May:

w/c 1st and 8th June:

w/c 8th June:

Tuesday 9th June:

Wednesday 10th June:

w/c 15th June:

Tuesday 16th June:

Wednesday 17th June:

Thurs 25th/Fri 26th June:

Friday 3rd July 9:05am:

Friday 3rd July after school:

w/c 6th July:

Tuesday 7th July 4:30pm:

Monday 13th July 9:30am:

Monday 13th July 1:30pm:

Tuesday 14th July 9:30am:

Wednesday 15th overnight / Thurs 16th July:

Friday 17th July 10:30am:

Friday 17th July:

Assessment Week

Bears trip to Snettisham

Year One Lions Phonics Screening Check information session for families

Tigers Class Assembly

Lions Class Assembly

Dolphins' Norfolk Wildlife Trust workshop in school

Red Nose Day - details tbc

Final Celebration Assembly incl. a Rocksteady Band Performance

Friends Event – Bingo! Details tbc soon...

Parents Evenings this week - no Reading, Dodgeball, English, Handball, Maths or Spellings clubs this week.

Turtles and Penguins Roman / Greek workshops in school

Governor Meeting

Bears Class Assembly

Science ACE Day – no assembly – **there is an Open Morning sharing session for families – all welcome from 8:30am**

End of Term – Easter Holidays

Summer One – children back

Turtles Swimming starts today, every Monday

Forest School starts – Lions and Sharks details tbc

Maths ACE Day

Governor Deep Dive Day

Bank holiday – school closed

Class Photographs

End of Key Stage Two Assessments – SATs Week

School closed- bank holiday

Half Term

Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check

Year 1 Phonics Screening

Soul Space sessions (after school drop in for families in the hall)

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ACE Active Week

Sports Day KS2 morning, KS1 afternoon

Bears Hearing and Vision NHS check

School closed – training days

Final Celebration Assembly

Friends Summer Fair

ACE Year Ahead transition week – move up to new classes

Governor Meeting

KS2 (Y3,4,5,6) Summer Show to the school

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Sharkitude – Year 6 Leavers' Festival on the field

Sharks Leavers Assembly for Y6 Families

End of Summer Term – Summer Holiday – finish at 1:15pm