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Friday 20th December 2024

Edition 206

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Hello from the Head...

What a spectacularly festive fun week we have had! We are so incredibly proud of our Bears, Lions and Tigers for their performances of 'Twinkly Nativity.' The hard work, enthusiasm and joy on display was impressive; they did themselves so so proud. A big thank you to the great team of staff for their efforts and to our fantastic families.

Christmas lunch day was a success, with 160 children having a delicious school dinner yesterday! Thank you to Tabby and the whole lunchtime staff team for their hard work. We look forward to launching the new Aspens menus after Christmas; we sent a copy of these home last week and they can also be found on our website. Please take the time to look at the menus with your children and talk through them; these are still on a three-week plan. As per the letter, there will be no cold option but there will be jacket potato with three topping choices every day and pasta every day, as well as the main event and meat free magic. Please let us know if you have any questions.

Thank you to the Friends for funding our Christmas parties again this year – the children had a great day.

Reminder that Dolphins class will be swimming after Christmas, and *the day has changed to a Monday*. Year 4 Dolphins' first swim will be on Monday 13th January. Turtles and Dolphins also have Forest School next term every Tuesdays. Bears will continue their sessions on a Thursday.

As school is closed over the break your normal paths to support may not be available so I'd like to remind you of other sources of help you can access. The 'Just One Norfolk' phone line and website are a good place to go. The phone number is 0300 300 0123 and the website can be found at Health Advice & Support for Children & Families. In an emergency, where you believe the safeguarding of a child is at risk, you can call the Children's Advice and Duty Service on 0344 800 8020.

I would like to take this opportunity to say a heartfelt thank you to the whole ACE community. Astley is a special place filled with brilliant children, adults and families; a massive thank you to you all for your continued support this year. Wishing you all a happy and fun festive break, and we can't wait to see you on Wednesday 8th January for Spring term 2025 – Merry Christmas!


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TURTLES 99%



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RANK	NAME	CLASS
1	Harry Knowles	Dolphins
2	Hector Young	Dolphins
3	Olivia Willimott	Sharks
4	Scott Myhill	Sharks
5	Skyla Batch	Dolphins

ASTLEY CALENDAR AND EVENTS

Friday 20th December:

Wednesday 8th January 2025:

Thursday 9th January:

Monday 13th January:

Tuesday 14th January :

Thursday 16th January 4:30pm:

Tuesday 21st January 2:45pm:

Thursday 23rd/Fri 24th:

Tuesday 28th January 2:45pm:

Wednesday 29th January:

Thursday 30th Jan /Friday 1st Feb:

Thursday 30th January:

Wednesday 5th February 2:45pm:

Monday 10th February

Tuesday 11th February:

Wednesday 12th February 2:45pm:

Friday 14th February:

Monday 24th February:

Monday 24th February

Wednesday 5th March 2:45pm:

Thursday 6th March:

Tuesday 11th March:

Wednesday 12th March 2:45pm:

Thursday 13th March:

Wednesday 19th March:

Wednesday 19th March 2:45pm:

Friday 21st March:

Wednesday 26th March 2:45pm:

Friday 28th March 9:05am:

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Monday 31st March:

Friday 4th April:

Friday 4th April:

Wednesday 23rd April:

Friday 25th April:

Monday 5th May:

Tuesday 6th May:

Thursday 8th May:

Friday 9th May:

Thursday 13th March 1:30-4:30pm:

w/c 12th May:

Tuesday 13th May 4:30pm:

Wednesday 14th May:

Monday 19th May:

w/c 26th May:

Mon 2nd June:

w/c 2nd June and w/c 9th:

Tuesday 3rd June:

w/c 9th June:

Thurs 26th/Fri 27th June:

w/c Monday 30th June:

Thursday 3rd July:

w/c 7th July:

Tues 22nd July:

End of Term – Christmas Holidays - 1:15pm finish

Spring One – children back

Whole School Martial Arts sessions – all in PE kit please

Year 4 Dolphins Swimming starts

Turtles and Dolphins Forest School starts

Governors Meeting

Turtles Class Assembly

Bikeability 1 (Y6 details tbc)

Penguins Class Assembly

Music ACE Focus Day

Bikeability 2 (Y6 details tbc)

Turtles trip to Gressenhall

Dolphins Class Assembly

Year 4 Dolphins last swim

Safer Internet ACE Day

Sharks Class Assembly

Half Term

Spring Two – children back

Year 3 Turtles Swimming starts

Penguins Class Assembly

World Book Day

Governor Deep Dive Day and Governors Meeting

Tigers Class Assembly

Dolphins Trip to the Broads

Penguins Trip to Deepdale Farm

Lions Class Assembly

Comic Relief

Bears Class Assembly

Final Celebration Assembly

Parents Evenings this week

Year 3 Turtles last swim

History ACE Focus Day

End of Term – Easter Holidays – usual 3:15pm finish

Summer One – children back

No Celebration Assembly, Open Morning as usual.

School closed – Bank Holiday

Lions and Tigers trip to Sealife Centre

Turtles and Dolphins trip to Cromer Zoo

Annual Reports out

Sharks STEAM trip to Gresham's

End of KS2 Assessments this week

Governors Meeting

Bears Trip to Snettisham Park Farm

Maths ACE Focus Day

Half Term

Summer One – children back

Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check

DT ACE Focus Day

Year 1 Phonics Screening Week

School closed – training days

ACE Active Week

Sports Day

Turtles, Dolphins, Penguins and Sharks morning

Bears, Lions and Tigers afternoon

ACE Year Ahead – move up to new classes

End of Summer Term (Summer Holiday) 1:15pm finish