



Sporle Newsletter for week ending 10th November 2023

The Nar Valley Federation of Church Academies

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Dear Parents and Carers,

In our newsletter this week we firstly wish to send our prayers to Mrs Joplin, after the sudden death of her beloved son. We will hold her and her family in our thoughts. Secondly, I wish to commend our fantastic children with the pure kindness, love and respect that they have shown to her in this unimaginably difficult time. I am beyond proud of the way they have conducted themselves. It has been another busy week here at Sporle. Well done to our children who represented us at the next round of the cross country: Annabelle, Bella, Adhanaa, Annie and Cal. Our older children also represented us at cross country and our Woodpecker class attended their trip at the Bure Railway.

Upcoming Events after half term

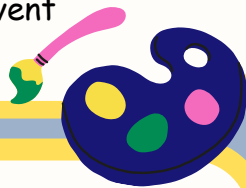
See Diary Dates for details.....

Friday 17th November
Children in Need

Monday 20th November
Carol singing at Community Centre

Monday 27th November
Sportshall Athletics -
at TNHA Yrs 3 - 6

Saturday 2nd December
Santa Dash - FOSS event



Attendance Awards.....

Class	%
Robins	93.9%
Woodpeckers	96.52%
Kingfishers	93.89%

Well done to Woodpeckers Class for achieving the highest percentage this week



Reminders and Information.....



We wanted to draw your attention again to the Sporle Relief in Need Charity who are able to offer financial assistance during times of need or hardship. If you think you or someone you know may benefit from this charity, please see the attached form and complete and send back to townfarmclerk@gmail.com

All Parents/Carers are invited to join us for the Christmas Church Service on Tuesday 19th December, from 2:00pm. Straight away afterwards, at 2:45pm, we would like to invite you all to the school hall for a café. You will be able to purchase refreshments and cakes/biscuits for a small donation. In memory of Mrs Joplin's son and to commend the amazing work they do, we would like to donate all proceeds to the East Anglian Air Ambulance Charity (EAAA)

Children in Need: this year the children can wear an accessory or one item of clothing with spots on. Donations for the charity will be welcomed - further details will follow.

ATTENDANCE MATTERS



Every school day counts BUT every minute is equally important!

Please remember to be on time for school - children need to be in their seats at 8.40am, learning. Every minute helps them and every minute is time lost from their learning and over time is a huge and needless disadvantage for them.



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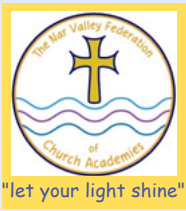
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Robins Class

Award	Goes to...	For.....
Reader of the week	Aadithri	super speedy reading!
Writer of the week	Vinnie	a beautifully presented piece of writing when ordering the Hansel and Gretel story
Mathematician of the week	Joshua	fantastic independent addition in his busy learning
Shining Light	Jennifer	showing acts of kindness to friends and staff

Woodpeckers Class

Award	Goes to...	For.....
Reader of the week	Lennie	for retrieving answers and finding evidence
Writer of the week	Sienna	for engaging the reader with imagery
Mathematician of the week	Annie	for challenging herself in multiplication
Shining Light	Teddy	for always doing his best every day
Crew Award	Alfie	for always showing team behaviour
Reads at home	for	Alfie, Adhanaa,

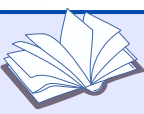


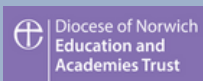
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Kingfishers Class

Award	Goes to...	For.....
Reader of the week	Joel	excellent answers to comprehension questions
Writer of the week 	Bailey	generating good vocabulary for writing
Mathematician of the week	Maddie B	Working hard on addition and subtraction word problems
Let Your Light Shine	Ida	Super effort in all lessons this week
Tackling Tables 	<i>Multiple children</i>	Bailey, Annabelle and Joel all received certificates
Reads at home	Joel, Bella, Annabelle	50 reads at home (Silver Badge) 



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Safeguarding

Vaping:

Did you know that there is a loophole that allows the vaping industry to give free samples of vapes to children in England? However, is set to be closed under new plans announced by the Prime Minister to clamp down on youth vaping.

Recent NHS figures for 2021 showed that 9% of 11 to 15 year old children used e-cigarettes, up from 6% in 2018.

We are also seeing a rise in interest among primary children, so please could you talk to your children about the dangers of picking up used vapes and putting them in their mouths, that vapes are not safe and that companies deliberately target young children.

Message from the Executive Headteacher....



Firstly, I want to thank everyone across our Federation community for their support following the sudden death of the son of Mrs Joplin, our wonderful Teaching Assistant at Sporle. Everyone has been very kind and we have all appreciated it greatly.

Across the Federation we have today marked Remembrance Sunday with services and I know that all the members of the community have noted the fantastic behaviour and values of the children. Here at Sporle, I want to say how incredibly proud I was of the children and staff - the beautiful artwork, stunning poetry and the impeccable behaviour of our lovely children who have embodied our school values this week, demonstrating respect, compassion and love both for the Fallen of the village and also in their beautiful writing for Mrs Joplin. Thank you children for your kindness.

Finally, a big well done to all our families as attendance across the Federation is very strong this half-term - thank you and keep it up, as it really helps our children.

Friends of Sporle School (FOSS).....

Our Friends of Sporle School organise events throughout the year and are always looking for new members so if you would like to join them, please do speak to a member on the playground or speak to the school office.

Prayer for the Week....

Dear Lord,

We thank all of the people that died in the war and we hope they are remembered.

Amen
By Maddie J



Thank you as always for your support and partnership,

Head of School
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