

Sporle Newsletter for week ending 14th November 2025

The Nar Valley Federation of Church Academies

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Dear Parents and carers,

We've had a great week here at Sporle. This week was Anti Bullying Week and it began with a great Federation wide collective worship, online led by Mrs Neary. This helped us reflect on our 'power for good'.



On Tuesday, we gathered at St Mary's Church in Sporle for the community remembrance service. The children showed great respect and reverence in their participation and offered their own tokens of remembrance they made in class, as well as partaking in the 2 minutes silence.



Finally, thank you to our kind parents for their donations for 'Children in Need'. The children enjoyed doing the BBC online exercise challenge and designing their own gladiator super power, reflecting on what their own super power would be. What an action packed week.

Upcoming Events

See Diary Dates for details.....

24th November - Flu catch up session - for any children that were absent and who have consent

26th November - Year 6 NCMP and Year R NCMP/Vision and Hearing
If you wish to opt your child out of the checks, please complete the link on the email sent 9th September, thank you

27th November - Y6 Residential to Horstead Centre - parents information meeting. This takes place at CastleAcre

Reminders and Information.....



PE DAYS

On your child's PE day (see opposite), please send them to school **WEARING** their FULL PE kit (WITH THE EXCEPTION OF KINGFISHERS ON SWIMMING DAY), including trainers. Please send their school shoes and jumper/cardigan in a separate bag to change into afterwards.

Robins - TUESDAY and FRIDAY

Woodpeckers - WEDNESDAY

Kingfishers - WEDNESDAY (SWIMMING) AND THURSDAY

This year, Christmas jumper day will be on the same day as Christmas Lunch. We will be sending a form to choose the lunch prior to the day so please complete this as soon as you are able to. We have to put orders in to the kitchen before the date. Look out for the menu soon!



Swimming - Years 4, 5 and 6

Please remember your FULL kit including a towel. If your child does not have a towel, they can not swim

Military Families.....

Military Club with Mrs Jary is every Thursday lunchtime in person at Narborough, but children from Sporle and Castle Acre are also going to be able to access this online in coming weeks. Come along, eat your lunch, bring a friend and chat! In future we will be 'meeting' online with our other service children at Castle Acre and Sporle. We're proud of our Service personnel and proud to support our service families. We have strong links with the RAF base and look forward to our involvement in events.

Attendance Awards.....

Class	%
Robins	95.99
Woodpeckers	96.65
Kingfishers	94.34

Well done to Woodpeckers Class! Nearly Robins!





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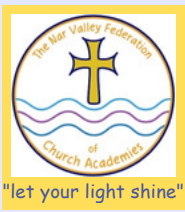
Robins Class

Award	Goes to...	For.....
Reader of the week	Aubrey	good word blending
Writer of the week	Tommy	super sentence writing in phonics
Mathematician of the week	Ollie	his impressive maths knowledge
Shining Light	Malachi	trying his hardest all week
Letting your light shine	Oliver	helping others make positive choices



Woodpeckers Class

Award	Goes to...	For.....
Reader of the week	Olivia	for spotting our new spellings in her reading
Writer of the week	Lillie	for always working hard in writing
Mathematician of the week	Freddie	being independent in his maths sessions
Shining Light	Jennifer	for always working hard every lesson



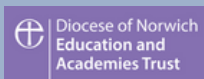
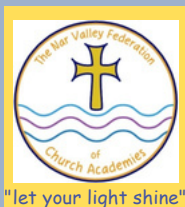
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Kingfishers Class

Award	Goes to...	For.....
Reader of the Week	 Honey	great reading at home
Writer of the Week	Fearne	always producing neat work
Mathematician of the Week	 Lucy	great working with co-ordinates
Shining Light	Annie	always listening in class 



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Help with online safety::



The CEOP website, run by the National Crime Prevention agency, gives helpful advice about when and how to report your concern.

<https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/Get-help/Reporting-an-incident/>



See these links for further information, games and tips:

https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/4_7/
https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/8_10/
<https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/>



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Safeguarding

Don't forget the online safety training package for Parents/Carers that we've bought you all:

You can login [here](#).

Username:
narvalley.parents
Password:
MidnightBrainsIdeally90

Healthy mind, healthy body

Being outside really helps our bodies AND our minds. Lots of local landmarks, parks, forests and walks are free to use, so can you spend some time outdoors this weekend?

Message from the Executive Headteacher....



I want to thank all our Head Pupils and their families who attended the Remembrance service in our communities last Sunday. I went along to Narborough (Castle Acre last year and Sporle next year!) and it was a moving, thought-provoking service. Thank you to Lexi and Sophie at Narborough, Fletcher, Holly and Rosanna at Castle Acre and Skye, Ella-Brooke and Lucy at Sporle. The community members and celebrants were very impressed with all our children - well done Head Pupils!

Governor recruitment - we would really like to have a parent Governor from Sporle and Narborough. (We have one from Castle Acre) The role has changed recently, and is now focusing on our ethos and Christian distinctiveness. It isn't hard, you don't need to read lots of papers, you don't need to be available during the day to do the job and there aren't lots of meetings. We meet 4 times during the year, currently on a Tuesday evening 6pm-7.30pm. Please consider this and ask either myself or our clerk, who is our secretary at Castle Acre, Miss Karen Howman, any questions you might have. Thank you in advance!

Just to let you know that some parents still owe for trips that have taken place. Unfortunately, if the debts are not settled, then we will not be able to arrange any further trips for that class, as we have no budget to fund these and are reliant on each person paying their bit, as well as our small but mighty Friends/PTFA groups who fund some of the travel.

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



FOSS will be holding their annual Christmas Fayre during December. Look out for the date soon! As previous years, any donations of unused, unopened gifts/bottles/toys will be greatly received. We will inform you of when to start bringing these in.



Prayer for the Week....



Dear God,
Thank you for helping all the children in need. Thank you for looking after our animals and keeping us all safe.

Amen

by Elsie, Kingfishers Class



Thank you as always for your support and partnership,

Head of School
Sporle C of E Primary Academy

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Castle Acre, Narborough and Sporle C of E Primary Academy