

Sporle Newsletter for week ending 8th November 2024

The Nar Valley Federation of Church Academies

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Firstly, we have to offer our fabulous FOSS a huge thank you and well done for the amazing chalk board. It looks wonderful and I know the children will enjoy using it. A congratulations also goes to FOSS for raising a whopping **£410.00** at the school disco.

Wow, it's also been an action packed week here at Sporle! All of our children have enjoyed the opportunity to go to the Federation days and loved being able to take part in team building activities. They loved getting to make some new friends at Narborough and Castle Acre. Our Woodpeckers children also enjoyed their amazing Rainforests trip to Cambridge Botanic Gardens yesterday.



Upcoming Events

See Diary Dates for details.....

Flu Vaccinations - 12th November - please read the information carefully

Monday 11th November - Cross Country Qualifiers at Lynnsport
The pupils are being transported by parents and carers for this event.

Wednesday 13th November - Dodgeball at TNHA - if you received a link, please complete ASAP and also ensure your child has their PE kit for the day

Friday 15th November - Kingfishers Class Trip to Duxford

Reminders and Information.....



We are still outstanding some data collection forms from before the half term break. Please ensure these are returned the school office even if there are no amendments, thank you

There are still a lot of spaces for Premier Sports after school club on a Monday afternoon - if your child would like to attend, please use the link in the email to sign them up

Year 6 Residential
Following from feedback from parents, this year we have decided to separate the Year 5 and 6 residentials. The year 6 residential this year will be 29th-31st January at Horstead Centre. Parents are invited to attend a meeting at 3:30pm at Sporle school to find out more information and answer any questions you have.

County Lines training for Parents/Carers:
<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/understanding-gangs-and-county-lines-for-parents-and-carers-in-norfolk-tickets-1037754049297>

Attendance Awards.....

Class	%
Robins	95.54%
Woodpeckers	95.78%
Kingfishers	96.07%

Well done Kingfishers Class Keep up the good work! So close everyone else..



Drop In with Mrs Joplin Please remember -

IF THE BOARD IS OUT THEN IT'S ON! PLEASE JOIN IN!



AWARDS

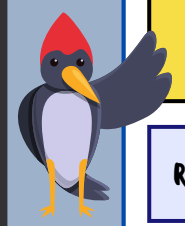
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Robins Class

Award	Goes to...	For.....
Reader of the week	Mia	For smashing her reading and being able to help Mr West read books to the class
Writer of the week	Archie	For really impressing Miss Slegg when writing about fireworks
Mathematician of the week	Ava	For helping people spot and label 3D shapes
Shining Light	Ralph	For growing in confidence and always trying his best.
Letting your light shine	Tommy	For doing brilliantly on our federation day, meeting and including all of the other children



Woodpeckers Class

Award	Goes to...	For.....
Reader of the week	Nicholas	for spotting his new words in the environment around him
Writer of the week	Amelia-Rose	for working hard on her writing
Mathematician of the week	Esther	for confidence in her subtraction work
Letting your light shine	Violet	for impressing Mrs Yule with her spelling work
Shining Light	Ethan	for trying his best in everything he does

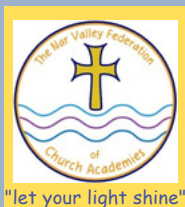


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Kingfishers Class

Award	Goes to...	For.....
Writer of the Week	Brandan	Trying hard with his writing 
Reader of the Week	Ralph	Excellent answers when working with Mrs Honhold
Mathematician of the Week	Jasper	Showing a great understanding of common factors 
Shining Light	Skye	Always being kind, polite and hardworking in class 
Let Your Light Shine	Teddy	Excellent artwork which has caught the attention of all adults coming in the room



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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

Online Parenting Courses - Family Lives

Being a parent has never been easy. There are no manuals for it! Some Parents/Carers may not have other family members nearby for support and at the moment, for adults, life has never been more rushed or challenging. Family Lives has produced a series of online parenting courses, to make this challenge a little easier. If interested please follow the link below:

<https://www.familylives.org.uk/how-we-can-help/online-parenting-courses>

Family Lives offers a confidential and free* helpline service for families in England and Wales (previously known as Parentline). They can be contacted on **0808 800 2222** for emotional support, information, advice and guidance on any aspect of parenting and family life. Their website is also a rich source of useful support and advice.



Message from the Executive Headteacher....

We all know that research shows that good attendance is absolutely crucial for children's attainment, confidence and success at each stage of education and in later life. We monitor attendance daily and weekly, and then each half-term we evaluate and so you will have been getting letters about your child's attendance. I wanted to say a huge thank you to all our families who ensure that their children attend 96%+ of the school year; our attendance at all 3 schools is above the national average and this is wonderful. If you have had a letter to say that we are monitoring your child's attendance, it means that it may be lower than 96% but we know the reason and we anticipate that it will return swiftly to a good rate. Those families whose children's attendance has been and has remained at an unacceptably low level will be asked to come in for a meeting so that we can explore together the issues and see what can be done to help and support. We want to ensure that every single one of our children has strong attendance and the best chance of success. We look forward to working together and seeing children's attainment and achievements improve as their attendance does. The good news is that there are only 19 children at Sporle whose attendance needs to improve and 53 whose attendance is helping them succeed.

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

Please keep looking here for Christmas event information!

Prayer for the Week....

Dear Lord,

We are thankful for the world giving us food.

Amen

by Aadithri, Robins Class



Thank you as always for your support and partnership,

**Head of School
Sporle C of E Primary Academy**

**Executive Headteacher
Nar Valley Federation of Church Academies
Castle Acre, Narborough and Sporle C of E Primary Academy**