



Learning and growing together in God's love

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WEEKLY WHAT'S ON

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ALL

**Tuesday 4th June – Family Hubs
Coffee Morning 9 am**

**Saturday 15th June – Heigham
Park Centenary**

Tuesday 18th June Diversity Day

**Friday 21st June – School Fete and
Football Tournament**

**Wednesday 26th June Sports Day
Thursday 27th June to 4th July
Book Fair**

**Tuesday 2nd July 3.30 pm to 5.30
Music Concert for all choir and
musicians to perform**

**Wednesday 3rd July 9.30 am
RockSteady Bands Concert**

**Thursday 11th July – School Discos
during day for Years EYFS to Year
4**

6-8pm Year 5 and 6

**Friday 15th November 2024
Choirs for Change Norwich
Citadel 6pm to 8.30 pm
Flu Vaccination Programme Mon
18 Nov and Mon 09 Dec**

Reception

**Wednesday 3rd July ROCKSTEADY CONCERT 9.30
to 10.30 parents invited.**

**Wednesday 3rd July Year 1 Teacher Talk 3.30 –
4pm HALL**

Year 3

**Tuesday 2nd July 3.30 to 5pm
MUSIC CONCERT FOR PARENTS all choir and all
musicians in and out of school.**

**Wednesday 3rd July ROCKSTEADY CONCERT 9.30
to 10.30 parents invited.**

**Wednesday 10th July Year 4 Parent Talk Hall 3.45
– 4.15 pm**

Year 4

**Wednesday 19th June – Trip to the Forum
am**

**Tuesday 2nd July 3.30 to 5pm
MUSIC CONCERT FOR PARENTS all choir and
all musicians in and out of school.**

**Wednesday 3rd July ROCKSTEADY
CONCERT 9.30 to 10.30 parents invited.**

**Thursday 4th July Year 5 Parent Talk 3.45 to
4.15 pm HALL**

Friday 12th July 2.30pm Year Group Assembly

Year 1

Thursday 23rd May Year Group Assembly

**Wednesday 3rd July ROCKSTEADY
CONCERT 9.30 to 10.30 parents invited.**

**Monday 8th July Year 2 Parent Talk 3.30 –
4.00 HALL**

Year 5

**Wednesday 22nd May - NETBALL
TOURNAMENT CITY ACADEMY 3.30 to 5pm**

No Year 5 Assembly due to Dance Show

**Monday 10th June NETBALL TOURNAMENT
CITY ACADEMY 3.30 to 5pm**

Tuesday 21st June Gressenhall Trip

**Tuesday 2nd July 3.30 to 5pm
MUSIC CONCERT FOR PARENTS all choir
and all musicians in and out of school.**

**Wednesday 3rd July ROCKSTEADY
CONCERT 9.30 to 10.30 parents invited.**

Monday 8th July Trip to Duxford

**Tuesday 9th July Year 6 Parent Talk 3.45 to
4.15 pm HALL**

Year 2

**Tuesday 2nd July 3.30 to 5pm
MUSIC CONCERT FOR PARENTS all choir and
all musicians in and out of school.**

**Thursday 13th June Year Group Assembly
2.30 pm**

**Wednesday 3rd July ROCKSTEADY
CONCERT 9.30 to 10.30 parents invited.**

Year 6

**Wednesday 22nd May - NETBALL
TOURNAMENT CITY ACADEMY 3.30 to 5pm**

**Monday 10th June NETBALL TOURNAMENT
CITY ACADEMY 3.30 to 5pm**

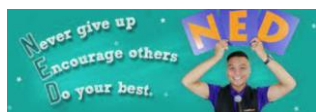
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**Wednesday 3rd July ROCKSTEADY
CONCERT 9.30 to 10.30 parents invited.**

Thursday 11th July School Disco 6-8pm

Friday 12th July Transition Day Notre Dame

**Year 6 Production 6.30 pm Tuesday 16th and
Wednesday 17th July**



1LP Jacey for creating beautiful illustrations of different holy days that we celebrate and labelling them neatly.

1L Freya for always doing her best and never giving up in everything she does.

2B: Clara - We would like to celebrate Clara for developing her ability to recognise and explain fractions that we have been exploring. Well done Clara!

2B: Amelia - We would like to celebrate Amelia who has been working just like NED in her maths early morning work. This has led to her making great progress.

2H Thomas and Teddy for writing beautiful descriptions of the Sonoran Desert, using powerful verbs and adjectives that really made their writing grow.

3MD - Esther for your shared ideas, your answers in Maths and your creative writing responses. Well done!

3M - Andrea for rising to a challenge and doing well!

William - for very thoughtful ideas in the Values' Assembly.

4HD: Daisy is a star this week for taking herself out of her comfort zone with a very messy art lesson and getting 'stuck' in! Well done Daisy, we are proud of you for getting so involved.

Iris is a star this week for becoming more engaged in her daily maths learning by sharing her understanding in whole class discussions - your confidence is simply shining off you!

4D: Matilda is a star this week for going above and beyond in improving the class environment for her peers by creating colourful name cards for the tables - thank you for such a thoughtful gesture!

Tatiana is a star this week for having such a positive attitude towards all of her learning - no challenge is too great for Tatiana!

5J David and Mateusz for their engagement and deep thinking in all subjects.

Alexis 5W - She is always ready to share her great ideas and work in class.

Laura 5J - For her determination and excellent work ethic.

Year 6 A massive well done to all Year 6 for their excellent effort and focus this week on their SATs. They have been amazing, and we are so proud of each and every one of them. In the afternoons, they have been busy preparing their Hats for the Hat Show on Wednesday 22nd May next week. They cannot wait to take part in the Hat Show and show any parents who can join us their creations.

LEARNING THIS WEEK

Year 1 This week Year 1 have written a Pentecostal Promise, learnt about holidays and holydays and thought about how to say sorry when we've made a mistake. In maths we have been learning how to find half of a shape.

Year 2 have turned their attention to the Sonoran Desert this week, writing detailed setting descriptions of what can be found there. In art, we created beautiful pieces inspired by the Aroua Borealis. It was so lucky to be able to use recent pictures from last weekend to share with the children!

Year 3 have been researching Canadian animals, especially the lynx, the moose, the eagle, the wolf and the polar bear. They have looked at the particular features, diet and habitats and how these aspects help them live in that part of the world. The children have started to create their own 'hybrid' animal! They are collecting information for a factsheet about their animal. Have you ever seen a moose with wings? Perhaps you will soon!

Year 4 This week we have completed the next stage in creating our own 3D model islands. We were inspired by reading Kensuke's Kingdom by Michael Morpurgo and last week we made a structure out of newspaper and masking tape. This week we used papier mache to add depth and body to our islands, ready to paint them to match our designs. This was a very messy lesson but a fun time was had by all!

Year 5 have been designing pouches for ice lollies out of materials which they believe to be the best thermal insulators. Testing will take place on Friday where we will see which pouch keeps an ice lolly frozen for the longest time. Dragon's Den here we come! In RE we have looked at how the disciples were left with the Holy Spirit after Jesus ascended into heaven and how the Early Church began.

BUSKING FRIDAY TODAY

Children performed and other children enjoyed an hour of entertainment from musicians, singers and poets on the field today. I think the Norfolk and Norwich Festival would be impressed.



A colorful poster for the Heigham Park Centenary Celebration. At the top, there is a string of colorful bunting (yellow, green, red, blue). The text reads 'Heigham Park Centenary Celebration' in large, stylized letters, followed by 'Saturday, 15th June 11am to 4pm'. Below the text is a green grassy field with a sunflower and a small logo for '100 Heigham Park 1924-2024'. The bottom text says 'Organised by The Friends of Heigham Park, Norwich'.

Football – [After School Football Club – Premier Education \(premier-education.com\)](#)

Dodgeball - [After School Dodgeball Club – Premier Education \(premier-education.com\)](#)

Gymnastics – [After School Gymnastics Club – Premier Education \(premier-education.com\)](#)

Friday - [After School Cricket Club – Premier Education \(premier-education.com\)](#)

AFTER SCHOOL PREMIER CLUBS

Also you should have received a flyer yesterday about Tennis Club on Thursdays

HEIGHAM PARK CENTENARY - Saturday 15th June

St Francis have been asked to have a stall at Heigham Park on this date as we are part of the local community. We will be offering old fashioned games for children (and adults) to play.

My first question is if there are any KS2 children who would like to sign up for an hour slot during the day. I believe it starts at 11! Mrs Furness will be there for the whole day together with a few visiting staff members so there will always be two SFA staff. Mrs Furness will ask pupils in class next week if they are interested and then give them a letter to sign up. Please talk to your child about this over the weekend. I do have an Event Shelter so we will be under cover to save us from lashings of rain or extreme heat.

Karate demonstration from Traditional Karate and Fitness

Jake came and demonstrated karate in our Friday singing assembly today. He is hoping to set up an after school club. More details next week

FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT FRIDAY 21st JUNE

We are really looking forward to hosting our annual St Francis Football Tournament as part of the Summer Fayre! It has been extremely popular for a number of years and we are expecting 2024 to be no different! The children will be made aware of how to organise their own teams with good notice but, as always, we will insist upon a mixture of boys and girls and those with different levels of experience playing football outside of school.

Teams in will compete in two leagues (Year 3&4 then Year 5&6) in 5 minute 5-side matches before a final between the top two teams in each league. We look forward to seeing you all there supporting the school and players!

HELP

Can anyone lend Mrs Furness toys for the Heigham Park Fete :

- Croquet set
- Skittles
- Any game that is slightly old fashioned in concept and idea.

We have cup and balls, hula hoops, but anything that can be offered will be looked after and very much appreciated.

SCHOOL FETE AND FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT

Please save the date of Friday 21st June 3.30 to 6pm to join the St Francis Annual Summer Fete and Football Tournament.



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