EARSHAM PRIMARY ACADEMY

22nd May 2026

Head of School

Another Half Term comes to a close! Summer is almost upon us and a busy second half of the term awaits full of trips, performances and more. Wishing all the children and their families a wonderful Half Term break and we look forward to seeing you all again in June! **Mr Woodcraft**

Willow Class

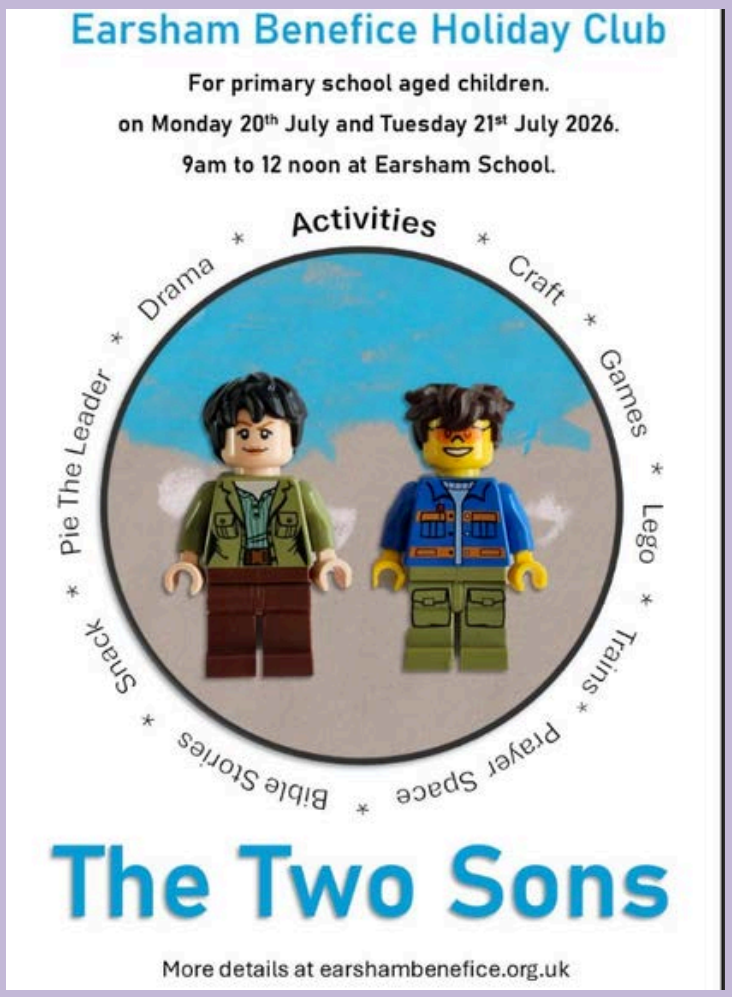
This week Years 1 and 2 have been working really hard on their assessments. A big well done to you all. In Science we learned about choosing the most suitable materials to make certain objects. In Geography we have made models of local landmarks following our work on our local area. We have also made our own maps in Computing and given instructions to guide our Beebots to key places on our maps.

Maple Class

This week in Maple Class the children have been busy completing assessments in Maths, Reading, Spelling and Grammar. Alongside this though we have still squeezed in a fun Science lesson where children had to design creatures for their very own food chain. We also continued our swimming and rounders lessons in PE and painted our vases in DT so that they can be brought home before the holiday! Some children also took part in our rounders tournament this week which we hope they really enjoyed!

Silver Birch Class

We have had a brilliant week leading up to the half term. Year 5 and 6 have been learning about the benefits of saving and money awareness in PHSE. In English they have been writing their own 'Recount holiday' stories, where they have practised writing in the first person and in past tense whilst also using some wonderful creative descriptions. Some of the Silver Birch pupils also attended a Cricket Tournament this week which they thoroughly enjoyed as it gave them the opportunity to practice their cricket skills!







Awards

Whole School Attendance

Year to date

96%

Attendance Award

Willow Class

Maths Monster Award

Willow Class for their Maths assessments this week

Book Worm Winners

Maple Class

Merit Certificate Awards

Congratulations to the following children who have successfully completed their merit card.

Logan - Platinum

Mia - Silver



Important Dates

Red dates have been added/updated since previous newsletters

25 May 2026	Half Term
1 Jun 2026	First Day of Summer Term 2
2 Jun 2026	Class and Leavers Photos
4 Jun 2026	Year 6 Forensics Day @ Hobart High
12 Jun 2026	Year 5/6 Castle Trip
18 Jun 2026	Sports Day Parents welcome from 1.15pm
26 Jun 2026	Willow Class Trip to Carlton Marshes
29 Jun 2026	Year 5/6 Horstead Residential
6 Jul 2026	KS2 Performance 2.15pm School Hall
16 Jul 2026	Leavers Church Service 2.15pm All Welcome
17 Jul 2026	End of term



Telephone Number	01986 892 557
E-mail address	office@earsham.norfolk.sch.uk
Term Dates 2025-2026	Click Here
Support Resources	Click Here

Useful Information

8:45 Gates Open
9:00 Registration closes
3:15 End of Day

Community


SAVE THE DATE!
BANK HOLIDAY MONDAY
25TH MAY 2026
12NOON - 4PM
BUNGAY COMMUNITY CENTRE
FAMILY
fun
DAY


JACKET POTATO, CHOICE OF FILLING, SALAD AND FRUIT
SPUD CLUB
After school club
for primary age kids during term time
Thursdays 3.30 pm - 5.00 pm
Bungay Community Centre NR35 1PU
ACTIVITIES, FUN, CRAFT, GAMES, PRAYER STATION AND A FREE HEALTHY MEAL
@LighthouseBungayandBeyond
www.lighthouse.community


ICENI TAEKWON-DO'S
"Little Warriors"
Mr and Mrs Bedingfield's
FUN & SAFE introduction to Martial Arts for ages 5 to 8 yrs
Wednesdays 5.30-6.30pm
in the STUDIO at Swift Fitness Gym
Earsham NR35 2TQ
Fully Certified ITF Instructors
Photo QR code to learn more > >
"Activities using imagination and movements inspired by Mythical ICENI Warrior Creatures!"
iceniTaekwondo.co.uk


1ST EARSHAM SCOUT GROUP
AGES 6-8 & 8-10½ YRS
SATURDAYS | 10 - 11:30AM
BEAVERS & CUBS
Give your child the chance to lead, explore, and grow in a supportive and exciting environment. Don't miss out on the adventure!
EARN BADGES!
ARTS & CRAFTS
HIKING AND CAMPING
PICNIC
INDOOR GAMES
OUTDOOR GAMES


Weigh your baby here!
Bungay Community Library
Tuesday & Friday:
9am - 12pm
No booking required
Suffolk
Suffolk County Council


School ART Competition 2026
Calling children from Norfolk primary schools to create a drawing inspired by their own church. There will be three judging categories: Reception, Year 1 & Year 2 · Year 3 & Year 4 · Year 5 & Year 6.
WIN ART EQUIPMENT
£500 for your school
£100 for the artist
1st prize
£250 for your school
£75 for the artist
2nd prize
Prizes awarded on 17 June by Dame Emma Bridgewater
FINALISTS WILL BE JUDGED BY A CELEBRITY PANEL
Suzie Fowler Watt
Ben Youngs
Lauren Hemp MBE
For full information and entry form scan the QR code or visit norfolkchurchestrust.org.uk/events/schools-art-competition/

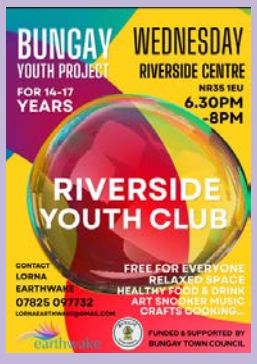

BUNGAY YOUTH PROJECT
WEDNESDAY CLUB
YEARS 6-8 (10-13 YR OLDS)
3.30PM-5PM
MEET AT EMMANUEL CHURCH ROOMS BUNGAY NR35 1DG
TIME WITH FRIENDS
ART SPORT GAMES FOOD
CRAFTS MUSIC FUN & SPACE
EVERYONE WELCOME - FREE


MAKE A SPLASH THIS SUMMER!
WATER SPORTS CENTRE
Summer Activities at OBWSC!
Sailing • Kayaking • Canoeing • Paddleboarding
Raft Building • Winging • Windsurfing
Rowing • Teambuilding Activities
Open for children ages 8+
Book Now
For news on our free HAF places, visit Eequ:
https://eequ.org/experience/9750
https://obwsc.co.uk
Email: enquiries@obwsc.co.uk
Tel / WhatsApp: 07480 834445
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ATHLETICS NORFOLK
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FUNETICS MULTI-CHALLENGE
FUN · ACTIVE · EVERYONE WELCOME!
For children in School Years 3-6
WHY TAKE PART?
2026 MATCH DATES
TYPICAL TIMETABLE*
HOW TO ENTER Go to www.linktr.ee/athleticsnorfolk for the lastest booking links


JUNIOR PADDLE CLUBS
SUMMER HOLIDAYS


BUNGAY YOUTH PROJECT
earthwake
WEDNESDAY
AFTER SCHOOL CLUB
AT EMMANUEL CHURCH ROOMS
3.30PM - 5PM FOR YEAR 6, 7 & 8
SPACE TO RELAX WITH FRIENDS
FREE TO ATTEND & INCLUDES HEALTHY SNACKS
MUSIC, SPORT, GAMES, CRAFTS, COOKING,
CASTLE HILLS VISITS & GARDENING
FOR INFORMATION CONTACT LORNA
LORNA.EARTHWAKE@GMAIL.COM 07825 097732
EMMANUEL CHURCH ROOMS, ROSE LANE, NR35 1DG FUNDED BY


BUNGAY YOUTH PROJECT
FOR 14-17 YEARS
WEDNESDAY
RIVERSIDE CENTRE
NR35 1EU
6.30PM -8PM
RIVERSIDE YOUTH CLUB
CONTACT LORNA EARTHWAKE
07825 097732
FREE FOR EVERYONE
RELAXED SPACE
HEALTHY FOOD & DRINK
ART SNOOKER MUSIC
CRAFTS COOKING...
earthwake
FUNDED & SUPPORTED BY BUNGAY TOWN COUNCIL


Genius HOLIDAY CLUBS
SUMMER
2026
ARTS & CRAFT
SPORTS
SCIENCE EXPERIMENT
HOT MEALS
TRIPS
WHEN: 27TH JUL TO 20TH AUG - MON TO THU
TIME: 10AM TO 2PM
WHERE: The Riverside Centre, The Staithe
Bungay, NR35 1BF AGES: 5-16
VISIT:WWW.GENIUSTUITION.CO.UK/bungay


GIRLS ONLY RUGBY & GIRLGUIDING SESSION
Beccles Rugby Club are proud to collaborate with Beccles Girlguides, Rainbows and Brownies to offer all girls from both clubs and any other girls from outside the clubs to join us in a combined girl guiding and girls only rugby session.
Enjoy the art of girlguiding and its principles followed by learning core skills of rugby. Please note that parents must stay with their child.
Saturday, 11 July
12pm-3pm
Beccles Rugby Club, NR34 9BH
£3 per girl
Price includes Girlguiding Rugby badge, a goody bag and a raffle ticket to win a Red Roses x Barbie exclusive rugby ball.
Hub kitchen will be open, serving hot and cold drinks
Book your place now:
minis@becclesrufc.co.uk


ONLY £3!
WE NEED YOUR HELP!
TEACHER TRAINING SWIMMING LESSONS!
Open to all swimmers 3yrs+ without a parent / guardian in water
STA Stanley through to Advanced Swimmer levels
Swim England Stage 1 - 10
LIMITED SPACES
Book now to avoid disappointment
Harleston Pool
• Friday 29th May — 10am-12pm
• Saturday 30th May — 2pm-4pm
30 minute lessons every half hour
water lillies swimming school
To book email: treacle@waterlilliesswim.co.uk


MIDLANDS LOVE RUGBY SERIES
Girls only playing opportunity for girls aged 6-11
Events:
17/05 - Wymondham RFC
17/05 - Droitwich RFC
18/05 - Cambridge RFC
24/05 - Worcester RFC
26/05 - Birmingham Moseley RFC
27/05 - Nottingham Rugby
26/06 - Stoke on Trent RFC
JUNE TBC - Loughborough RFC
rugby SERIES
Find your local event and sign up!
visit findrugby.com


BECCLES SALVATION ARMY
Calling all 7-12 year olds for a...
BEACH PARTY
THEMED HOLIDAY CLUB IN A DAY
Day: Thursday 28th May 2026
Time: 10am-2pm
Cost: Free
with a silent disco, crafts, bible stories, games, lunch provided


FAMILY Fun DAY
BANK HOLIDAY MONDAY
25th MAY 2026 ~ 12NOON till 4PM
BUNGAY COMMUNITY CENTRE
-FIRE ENGINE -GAMES RAFFLE
-BBQ -BAR -ICE CREAM -CAKES -TEAS
MINI PETTING FARM
1PM FOLK ORCHESTRA
2PM CEILIDH DANCE FAMILY FRIENDLY
FRITTON OWL SANCTUARY
Barry Thornton Children's Entertainer
BBQ
ICE CREAM
MINI PETTING FARM
Licensed Bar
Fresh Cakes
BBQ
EVERYONE WELCOME
A FREE AFTERNOON OF FAMILY FUN FOR ALL AGES!
Magic Shows • Live Music • Fire Engine • Games • Raffle
BBQ • Ice Cream • Cakes • Mini Petting Farm • Fritton Owl Sanctuary
Come along and meet some of our hirers, try putting on a bandage with St John Ambulance, Explore a Fire Engine, enjoy the Mini Petting Farm and join in our free family Ceilidh!
Free Admission


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EARSHAM CALLING
Here are some summer dates for your diary enabling villagers and newcomers to get together socially at the village hall, to bring us all together as a community to meet friends and make new ones over tea, coffee and biscuits, (no charge), in a relaxed friendly atmosphere.
Tuesday 16 June 10am-12
Tuesday 14 July 10am-12
Tuesday 18 August 10am-12
Its early days for this initiative everybody is welcome so please continue to come along and support us. It's an opportunity for a friendly chat, share ideas etc etc.
Looking forward to seeing you.


FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY
CIRCUS Ferrel
Tickets just £8 each from school office! (£9 on the door)
Everyone welcome in the BIG TOP!
ALL HUMAN SHOW
DITCHINGHAM
School Field, Rider Haggard Way, NR35 2RE
Sat 13th June 2pm
Sun 14th June 2pm
INFO www.CircusFerrel.com 07525053225 or