



Newsletter

Hilgay Riverside Academy & Ten Mile Bank Riverside Academy

4th October 2019

Dates for your Diary

October

Wed 9th	Family Café
2pm	Oak and Acorns
Tues 15th	Federation Day
	KS1@ TMB KS2 @ Hilgay
Thurs 17th	Family Café
1:30pm	Barn Owls & Tawny Owls
After School	Pudding Lane bake sale
	- at both schools
Fri 18th	Break up for Half Term
Mon 28th	Children return to school
Tues 29th	Parents Evening
	- both schools

November

Mon 11th	Remembrance Day
11th–15th	Anti Bullying week
Fri 15th	Children in Need
	Non uniform
Fri 29th	Family Café - All classes
	- both schools

December

Wed 4th	Christmas Performance
2pm	TMB
5:30pm	Barn Owls & Tawny Owls
Thurs 5th	Christmas Performance
2pm	Barn Owls & Tawny Owls
5:30pm	TMB
Mon 9th	Christmas Performance
5:30pm	Owlets
Tues 10th	Christmas Performance
2pm	Owlets
Thurs 12th	Panto Trip to Hunstanton
	- more info to follow
7:15pm	Christmas Singing Hilgay
Mon 16th	Christmas Party @ TMB
Tues 17th	Christingle
9am	Hilgay
2pm	TMB
Tues 17th	Christmas Party @ Hilgay
Wed 18th	Last day of term

January

Tues 7th	Pupils return to school
Please check the website for our term dates for this year	

Dear Parents,

I started out this year thinking that we could have a newsletter once a month but there are so many great things happening in our schools that I want to be able to share with you regularly so we are going to continue with weekly newsletters once more.

These newsletters are important for to you to see what is coming up in school and to celebrate what has happened too. It is also the place to find out which maths activity your child should be doing for homework each week.

The newsletters will be emailed to you as usual and then uploaded to the school website too.

Regards,
Mrs Turner
Executive Head Teacher

Staffing Update

I would like to welcome three new members of staff to the Federation Team.

Mrs Williams has taken on the role of admin assistant and MSA at TMB.

At Hilgay, Miss Jackson and Mrs Ladbrook join us as

temporary teaching assistants supporting specific children in school.

Welcome to them all!

Attendance this week

Barn Owls 98.18%

Oaks 98.15%

Tawny Owls 98.61%

Acorns 96.15%

Owlets 96.54%

Well done!

We Love Maths

This week please complete **Activity 3** and return the signed book to school on **Tuesday 8th** October.



Reflection Day

On Monday 30th September our year 6 children spent the day at Ely Cathedral, the trip was to give them time to reflect on their school lives.

During their visit to the Cathedral they took part in a number of activities including drama and completing a labyrinth, which resembles the path of life. Following on from this the children were tasked with drawing a picture to reflect on their time in school so far, they all worked really hard and produced some lovely drawings. The pictures included many symbolic items including trees for wisdom and growth, rivers to show a fresh start and a flock of birds to symbolise friends.

In addition to this there was time during the day for the children to observe the beautiful stained glass windows and learn about the memorials.

All the children had a wonderful time, and we hope it enabled them to see how much they have grown in their school journeys so far. We wish them all the best in their final year with us and in their transitions to high school.



Macmillan Coffee Morning

The Macmillan coffee mornings held at Hilgay and Ten Mile Bank on Friday 27th September, were very well attended. The friends of both schools did a excellent job of hosting these events with lots of delicious cakes. Hilgay raised £200 and Ten Mile Bank raised £70.26 for Macmillan cancer support.

Well Done!

Harvest Festival

Thank you to everyone who donated produce for our Harvest festival. We have a huge collection of tins, packets and jars to donate to the food bank, who will be very grateful.

Thanks!

