



17th November 2023

Dear Parent/Carer,

Ormiston's Got Talent show

Today we were blown away by the amount of talent in our academy. We had 40 pupils enter and perform a huge variety of acts. The whole school were able to watch the and support the great talents our pupils have. Ormiston's Got Talent is an annual event which we have had a lot of success in recently. The last 2 years our boys' choir has reached the final and won the primary academies event 2 years ago. This year the structure of the competition has changed, with each academy holding its own competition, the 3 winners from each academy in the East then progress to the regional competition in Norwich in March 2024. Winners of the regional events will then perform in the final at Birmingham in June 2024.



Safe journey to school

Some of our Year 6 pupils have been gathering at the community centre across the road from our site before school to play football. There have been a couple of incidents recently where arguments between pupils have resulted in some aggressive behaviour. We have spoken to the children and asked that they come straight from home to school, as the community centre is unsupervised and presents a safety risk if parents do not know where they are on route to school.



Indoor Athletics Competition

Eight children from Year 5 and Year 6 attended the East Norfolk Primary Schools' Indoor Athletics Competition this Wednesday at Lynn Grove High School. They competed against 6 other local primary schools in a variety of events, including: Javelin, standing long jump and triple jump, speed bounce and ball throw. The event finished with a number of relay races. The children presented the academy brilliantly, showing plenty of resilience and determination taking a lot of 2nd and 3rd placings. Well done to our indoor athletes!





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Dates for your diary

- **Reception Reading Café** - Thursday 23rd November from 2:00pm till 3:00pm
- **Year 1 Phonics Café - Colney** - Tuesday 28th November at 9:00am
- **Year 1 Phonics Café - Trowse** - Wednesday 29th November at 9:00am

- 24/11/2023 – Year 6 Crucial Crew Trip (AM)
- 27/11/2023 – **ACADEMY CLOSED FOR STAFF TRAINING**
- 04/12/2023 – Year 5 Tide & Tide Trip
- 04/12/2023 – Lantern Workshop
- 05/12/2023 – Nasal Flu Spray (catch-up session)

Christmas is coming! We will be sending out a printed list of our Christmas dates next week.

A **BIG** thank you for your support during our harvest celebrations, today we received this amazing thank you letter from The Salvation Army!



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Date: 17/11/23.

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Dear children, parents/ carers and teachers,

Thank you for the kind donation of food from your Harvest Festival service.

The food items will go towards helping those in need in the Great Yarmouth area who use our food banks.

We understand this is a difficult time for everyone with the cost-of-living crisis, and we are grateful for your generosity.

God bless,
Amy Rutherford.
Community Assistant-Food bank.



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