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Bulletin

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Dear parents, carers and friends of The Nightingale Federation

With only a short four-day week, we have achieved so much. Our Year 6 have been readying themselves for next week's SATs tests and learning the importance of rest, healthy eating and positive self-belief. All our chicks in Reception class have hatched and found new homes – thank you Mrs Taylor for re housing a couple for us.

Children from years 3 and 4 took part in Tri Golf at Dereham Hockey Club, they had a great time getting to 'grips' with a new skill!

Enrichment Clubs
Our free Teacher led Enrichment Clubs will be starting again after the May half term and are available to book using this link: **https://forms.gle/hqkvrM9QUQnQgtJYA**
The link will close next Friday 16th May and confirmation will be sent to parents the following week.

Wraparound Care
The google booking form for next half term's Wraparound Care is also available using this link: **https://forms.gle/dnFNcG8yLEyTEVh1A**
Please make sure **all** bookings are made before we break up to enable the office staff time to collate. Also, a gentle reminder for all outstanding fees to be paid before booking for the next half term. *Thank you.*

Tokens in Tesco
You may have noticed in Tesco, Dereham that the school is part of this month's 'Stronger Starts' vote. Please spread the word to friends and family and help us get the maximum grant award! We have just been successful in being awarded a grant of £500 for tokens collected in the Watton store. *Thank you for your ongoing support, it really does make a difference!*

Diary Dates
A few more dates have been added to the calendar including Sports Day, we are still finalising year 6 end of year arrangements but hope to have these updated for next week's newsletter.

WOW MOMENTS!

Mia (yr R) competed in her first ever show jumping competition on her pony! She got a clear round and placed 4th!

Martha (yr 2) was awarded Gymnast of the Month for May!

Please remember to continue to send in your ***WOW*** moments for achievements out of school
https://forms.gle/DV4RoVbQGpijcUMV7

DIARY DATES

21st Year 5 Victorian Day at Gressenhall
Half term 26th – 30th May
June 2nd Inset Day – school closed
5th Norfolk Wildlife Trust to visit the Nursery*
10th Reception Class to Gressenhall
11th Fathers' Day Lunchtime Shop*
13th Fathers' Day Lunchtime Shop*
23rd Sports Day and Picnic Lunch 9:00- 12.30*
24th Yr 2 trip to Banham Zoo
25th Norfolk Show – yrs 3,4 and 5
30th – 2nd July Year 6 Residential to Eaton Vale
July
1st Yr 5 trip to Northgate to see Wizard of Oz
5th FOSS Summer Fete
11th School Disco*
15th Yr 1 Trip to Wells Heritage Centre and Beach
22nd Last day of term
Summer holiday commences 23rd July

* New addition