# **Sport Update**

With our amazing Sports Correspondent, Tyler Blyth Salhouse School is very sporty. There was a football match on the 29<sup>th</sup> March, Salhouse played Overstrand and won 11-0. Bradleigh scored 2, Tyler scored 2, Will scored 1, James scored, Thomas scored 1 and Justin scored 2. So that was a GREAT game. Salhouse also had a netball tournament. It was at St Johns school. Salhouse came an amazing second in the tournament.

# Messy Play? GO ON TRY IT!

Sand foam is perfect for some sensory exploration. There are only 2 ingredients, sand and shaving foam. Simply mix 3 cups of sand to 250ml of shaving foam and get stuck in!

## Message from the Chair...

"I was elected as a Parent Governor in 2015 and the following year 2016, I became the chair of the governing board.

As my children have attended Salhouse, most of my experiences have been there. This is something I would like to address in the coming months and I am looking forward to spending more time with the staff and pupils at Neatishead to get to know them better as well as continuing to strengthen my ties with Salhouse.

I am looking forward to continuing the work as a governor and to offer full support to the Headteacher and the school where required"

Regards, Steven





# Thank you!



Huge thanks to our usual suspects, the amazing FOSS for raising so much money for the school, especially their hard work for the Easter Fair. Almost £1000 was raised!

Thank you to Mr Ward, too, for supporting our teams and being brilliant!

## - -- FOSS NEWS - - -

Wow, what a busy term! There have been cake sales galore and we have been busy spending money! So far this year your money has help paid for the fabulous mural, 30 hoodies to use for sports events, a girls football kit, some dutch ovens for Forest schools and we have funded some visits to the school in the form of 'The Mini Monsters' and 'The Sentence Snatchers'. Every class has £100.00 to spend from the proceeds of their cake sale...watch this space to see what they have spent it on.

There have been a couple of changes in FOSS too. Laura Jarvis has now taken on the Treasurer Role and Katie Aldis is Chair. Caroline Britton has stayed on as Secretary and Vicki Welin is Vice Chair. Please come and see one of us if you are thinking of joining FOSS, we would welcome you with open arms!

In the Summer term the popular Ice cream Fridays will make a return (after May half term) and we are trying a new DJ for the school disco on June 15th.

We have decided to move the Summer Fete to a Saturday this year, so we can attract locals and more stall holders. If you know anyone interested in having a stall the pitch fees are £10.00 and it is on Saturday July 8th from 12-3pm. We are always in need of helpers for this event so if you are able to help, please let us know. Thank you for your continued support.

To keep up to date with events please like our facebook page - Friends of Salhouse School.



# **Salhouse Newsletter**



Our school...is a happy and safe community where everyone shares a love of learning. Our Christian values of respect, responsibility, courage, trust, perseverance & compassion

Issue 4

#### Letter from the Head...

Best wishes for a Happy Easter everyone. Another busy term has flown by and as ever it has been a delight to share my working day with your children – a really lovely bunch!

I hope your families can take some time to relax over the school holidays and I look forward to welcoming everyone back to school in the summer term.

#### Julie Church

# **Dates for Diary**

- 18 April first day back
- 19 April Swimming starts for Grebes
- Monday 24 Friday 28 Structured Conversations
- 28 April Celebration Assembly
- Week beginning 8 May SATS
- 25 May Norfolk Road Safety Bike Check - everyone
- Monday 29 May Friday 2 June half term holiday
- 6 & 7 June On the Road Training Y5
- 15 June FOSS School Disco
- 22 & 23 June BHS Induction Day Y6



# Come and visit us online!

Follow us on Facebook; we currently have 136 followers and counting!

Our website has had 2,794 visits this month! Have you visited us at www.salhouseschool.co.uk?

#### Worth a Look:

www.familylives.org.uk www.netmums.com www.nspcc.org.uk www.nhs.uk parentchannel.tv



# **Attendance Targets**

Each fortnight our attendance bear becomes a guest pupil in the class with the highest attendance over the last two weeks. The best attending class is:

# Kingfishers

We aim for our attendance to be above 96% at all times, our attendance since September is:

96.3%

As you know, good Attendance is linked to high achievement. Our attendance Improvement Officer is Zoe Jardine

#### The UK's TOP SELLING Children's Books for March 2017

Grandpa's Great Escape - David Walliams Detective Dog - Julia Donaldson Fantastic

Beasts & Where to Find Them - J. K. Rowling The Midnight Gang - David Walliams

Gangsta Granny - David Walliams Demon Dentist - David Walliams

Old School - Jeff Kinney Super Good Skills (Almost...) Liz Pichon

## **Easter Chocolate Truffle Cake; WOW**

150ml sunflower plus extra for greasing

- 175g self-raising flour, plus extra for dusting
- 4 tbsp cocoa powder
- 1 tsp baking powder
- 1 tsp bicarbonate of soda
- 140g golden caster sugar
- 2 tbsp golden syrup
- 2 eggs
- 150ml full-fat milk

#### For the icing and filling

- 125ml double cream
- 1 tbsp soft butter
- 140g dark chocolate (about 70% cocoa solids)
- 4 tbsp raspberry jam or apricot jam

#### For the truffles

- 100g milk chocolate, broken into chunks
- 1 tsp soft butter
- 50g digestive biscuits
- 2-3 tbsp coloured or chocolate sprinkles



Heat oven to 160C/140C fan/gas 3. Grease two 20cm cake tins and dust with flour. Tip all the cake ingredients into a large bowl and beat well with an electric hand whisk or wooden spoon to give a smooth, thick batter consistency.

Divide the mixture between the tins and bake in the oven for 30-35 mins until it springs back to the touch and a skewer inserted into the centre comes out clean. Leave to cool in the tins for about 10 mins, then turn out onto a wire rack.

Meanwhile, make the truffles. In a bowl, gently melt the milk chocolate in the microwave or over a pan of simmering water. Stir in the butter. Put the biscuits in a sandwich bag and crush them to fine crumbs by bashing with a rolling pin. Mix into the chocolate and chill in the fridge for about 20 mins. When chilled, roll into 11 even-sized balls with your hands. Coat in sprinkles and set aside.

For the icing, pour the cream into a saucepan and place over a medium heat. Once hot, stir in the butter until melted. Break the chocolate into small pieces, tip into a medium bowl and pour over the hot cream mixture. Stir well until the chocolate melts into the cream. Cool for about 30 mins.

Once the cake is completely cool, sandwich the two sponges together with the jam in the middle. Spread the top and sides with the icing. Finish by placing the truffles around the outside of the cake

# Family Maths Challenge... From Ms Church

Put the numbers where the letters are to make the sum add up.

CLUE: T is a 1!



# WOW moments this half term...

#### Coots

"The Coots' amazing writing linked to the Spaceship Adventure – I am so proud of their work!" Miss Goldsmtih

**Kingfishers** 

"The Completion of our Roman history

projects, lots of hands on experience

examining artefacts and searching for clues"

#### **Bitterns**

"My children have taken on marking their own work with amazing enthusiasm"

**Mrs Collins** 

#### **Grebes**

"The football team has had a great season in the league and the girl's team is going from strength to strength which we built from scratch this year" Mr Leaver



#### **Herons**

"Nettle soup is actually very Tasty and does not sting!"

**Mrs Edwards** 

### **Fledglings**

"The Fledglings have made their very own fabulous pet shop and have been playing so well together"

**Mrs Phillimore** 

# 'Courage'

The Christian core value next term is courage. We will enjoy reflecting on Bible stories that help us to understand the meaning of good courage.

"Be strong and of good courage" Joshua 1:9

# **Online Safety**

Broadland hosted an excellent online safety event for pupils, parents & staff

Gaming: Did you know GRA is the Games Rating Authority which is an arm of the Video Standards Council. The GRA exists to provide ratings information for games using the PEGI rating system:

- PEGI3 (e.g. Angry Birds) Suitable for all age groups
- PEGI7 (e.g. Minecraft) Will contain frightening scenes, sounds & unrealistic violence
- PEGI12 (e.g. world of Warcraft) Graphic, realistic violence, mild swearing and may contain horror content
- PEGI16 (e.g. Star Wars; Battlefront) Violence, death and injury. Bad language, use of alcohol & drugs.
- PEGI18 (e.g. Call of Duty) Adult Classification

Find out more at www.pegi.info & www.thinkuknow.co.uk

