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Weekly Attendance

Whole School Attendance – 96.32%

Little Sparrows – 100%

Finches – 100%

Swifts Class – 91.01%

Robins Class – 97 %

Owl Class – 96.15 %

Congratulations to Little Sparrow & Finches Class for having the best attendance figures this week.

Lunches

Don't forget to order your child/children's lunches on Parent Mail. Children will not be able to change their option at school.

Jeans for Genes Day

Bring in a £1 donation and wear a pair of jeans to school - Friday 19th September.

Safeguarding

At Caston the designated safeguarding leads are Mrs Disney, Mr Halmshaw and Miss Cavanagh. If you have any safeguarding queries please do not hesitate to get in touch via the school office.

Dates for your Diary

19th Sept – Jeans for Genes day

24th Sept – Flu immunisations (consent link has been sent out)

29th Sept – Macmillan Coffee Morning 9:00 -10:00am

20th Oct – Robins Parent event 2:00-3:00pm

23rd Oct – Swifts Parent Event 2:00-3:00pm

24th Oct – Last day of half term

27th – 31st Oct – Half term

3rd Nov – Children return to school

18th Nov – Sparrows & Finches Parent Event 2:00-3:00pm

10th Nov – Pupil Photos

3rd Dec – Owls Parent Even 9:30-10:15

19th Dec – Last day of term

6th Jan – Children return to school

10th Feb - Sparrows & Finches Parent Event 2:00-3:00pm

13th Feb – Last day of half term

16th – 20th Feb – Half Term

23rd Feb – Children Return to school

17th Mar – Owls Parent Event 9:30-10:15

27th Mar – Last day of term

14th Apr – Children return to school

4th May – Bank Holiday

22nd May – Last day of half term

25th – 29th May – Half term

1st Jun – Children return to school

17th June – Owls Parent Event 2:00-3:00pm

26th June - Sparrows & Finches Parent Event 2:00-3:00pm

17th Jul – Last day of term



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P.E Days

Please ensure your child/children has a named P.E kit in school for their P.E Days.

Sparrows & Finches - Tuesday

Swifts – Monday & Tuesday

Robins – Tuesday & Thursday (swimming)

Owls – Tuesday & Thursday (swimming)

You're invited to the Parent Café held at Parkers CofE Primary Academy Tuesday 30th Sept 2:30pm-3:30pm

School Parent Cafe



**30th September 2025
2:30pm to 3:30pm**

Why not come and join us for a cuppa, meet other parents and carers, have a coffee and a chat.

Stephen from the School and Communities Team, and Michelle from the Family Hub will be joining us. They will be there to offer information, advice around family and parenting worries.

We look forward to seeing you there!



Celebration Worship

Congratulations to all the children who received a certificate or gold star badge in our celebration worship.



Swifts Class – Malachi, George

Robins Class – Rosie, Thorin

Owls Class – Harry, Charlie, Summer, Sienna, Seb

Mobile Phones on site

Polite reminder that mobile phones should not be used within school grounds especially on the playground.

Parent Event Dates

Class teachers would like to invite parents/carers to class events over the school year.

Sparrows & Finches – Tuesday 18th Nov 2:00-3:00pm

Tuesday 10th February 2:00-3:00pm

Friday 26th June – 2:00-3:00pm

Swifts – Thursday 23rd October 2:00-3:00pm

Robins – Monday 20th October 2:00-3:00pm

Owls - Wednesday 3rd December 9:30-10:30am

Tuesday 17th March 9:30-10:30am

Wednesday 17th June 2:00-3:00pm



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family hubs

BRECKLAND FAMILIES

FAMILY HUBS AND SCHOOLS AND COMMUNITIES ARE COMING TO YOUR SCHOOL!

Parents & carers do you need advice, support, or just someone to talk to?

Come and chat with **Stephen** from the Schools and Communities, and **Michelle** from Breckland Family Hub Team!

We're here to help with:

- Emerging SEND needs & navigating support
- Behavioural advice & family routines
- Cost of living & money worries
- Mental health & emotional wellbeing
- Childcare & parenting advice
- Supporting your child's learning
- Housing concerns
- Pregnancy & early years support
- Training, jobs & career changes

Book your appointment today via school
Let's work together to help your family thrive

Norfolk County Council

Stephen
Early Help Consultant

Michelle
Early Help Community Worker

The poster features illustrations of a family (father, mother, and child) on the left and a woman in a wheelchair with a child on the right, set against a background of clouds and a green hill.



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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Dove Federation (Caston C of E Primary Academy and Parker's C of E Primary Academy) are looking for new governors to join their local governing body.

What is involved being a governor?

- ✓ Five meetings a year which last a maximum of 2 hours
- ✓ A small amount of in school monitoring

 **For more information**



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