



# WALSINGHAM CE VA PRIMARY SCHOOL

## Newsletter – 29th September 2023

### Where did September go?



#### Hedgehogs

Hedgehogs have had a great few weeks and particularly enjoyed Prayer Spaces on Tuesday. We were very proud of the way they joined in and enjoyed all the activities set up for them. In Maths, we have been doing a lot of place value work and children are getting very good at using number lines and other resources to help with their learning.

We have talked a lot about Harvest and are enjoying getting ready for our Harvest Festival in October.



#### Badgers

The Badgers have been using books and the internet to research information about badgers. We are now in the process of writing fact files to put on display outside the classroom – watch this space! In Geography, we have been learning about volcanoes and making our own papier maché volcanoes. We have also carried out a film study of the Pixar film ‘Lava’.



#### PARENT CONSULTATION

##### APPOINTMENTS:

Letters are coming home today with your appointment times. Please look out for them. If you have not yet returned your form, please do so soon.



##### CLOTHING:

**COATS:** Please ensure that children come to school with a coat. They are outside in all weathers and many are feeling the chill in the air now.

**WELLIES:** Please could Hedgehogs have a pair of wellies in school (or spare old trainers) so that they can go outside for Forest School.

**SHOES:** Children should be wearing proper school shoes (not trainers) unless there are exceptional circumstances that staff are already aware of, and on PE days.



**NON-UNIFORM DAY:** Advance notice that we will be holding a non-uniform day on Friday 20th October. This will be in return for prizes to be used at the Hindringham fireworks - more details to follow.



#### FORTHCOMING DATES:

- Wed 11th and Thurs 12th Oct - Parent consultation afternoons
- Thurs 12th Oct - Harvest Festival, 9.15am at St Peter's Church
- Wed 18th Oct (am) - Year 6 to Crucial Crew (details to follow)
- Thurs 19th Oct - Individual and sibling photographs
- Fri 20th Oct - finish for half term
- Mon 23rd - Fri 27th Oct - Half Term break
- Fri 3rd Nov - Federation Fireworks at Hindringham
- Wed 15th to Fri 17th Nov - Y6 residential to Norfolk Lakes