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Weekly Northgate News - 19th January 2024

Dear Parents and Carers

I am delighted to be able to write my first newsletter as Head Teacher of Northgate Primary School and Sunflowers Nursery. I feel honoured to be chosen to build upon the success of the school. I have met some parents and carers at the school gate and look forward to getting to know everybody in the coming weeks. I am also getting to know all of the children; they have all been so welcoming and I am proud to be working to ensure that every child reaches their full potential.

From now on, a newsletter will be issued every Friday.

Good News

I am pleased to announce that the following children have been recognised for outstanding work and achievements in last week and this week's 'Good News' Assemblies:

Gracie-Rae H and Henly K in Butterflies
CJ F-M and Emilis Z in Ladybirds
Filip A and Ned M in Bumblebees
Arlo T-W and Kayden K in Caterpillars
Lana-Rose M and Clay M in Centipedes
Ariana M and Ajus G in Dragonflies
Chantelle R and Sophia S-G in Jupiter
Thomas Q, Oscar C and Isobel S in Saturn
Nikola M, Ava N and Lottie S in Mercury
Emelia B and Afonso C in Neptune
Ayden P and Lilith C in Mars
Aaliyah S and Nathan W- B in Venus
Skye M in Apollo
Ruby H-M, Star B and Jaydn M in Soyuz



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House Points

For the last two weeks, Avocets have won the most House Points and have received an extra play - well done Avocets!

Attendance Award

Last week Saturn Class won the attendance award with 98.2% attendance.

This week, Jupiter won the attendance award with 100% attendance.

Apollo Class

A special mention to Apollo Class who have been taking part in Into University week. Following their visit to the Norfolk Record Office, staff from this organisation contacted us to say:

"Yesterday we had the pleasure of the Apollo year 6 class visiting the Norfolk Record Office with Into University.

The Education and Outreach team just want to pass on our compliments to the class, teachers and parents.

The class were very knowledgeable, engaged with all the activities and had excellent behaviour, we were very impressed."

Important Dates

Monday 22nd January - KS1 Parent workshop with the Mental Health Support Team 2pm - 3pm

Wednesday 24th January - Friday 26th January - Y4 Residential Aylmerton

w/c 29th January - Into University focus week - Soyuz Class

Monday 5th February - Year 5 Into University class visit - Venus Class

Tuesday 6th Friday - Year 5 Into University class visit - Mars Class

Monday 12th and Tuesday 13th February - Reception Class vision and hearing screenings

Thursday 15th February - Year 5 and 6 Disco 3.30pm to 5pm

Friday 16th February - School closes for half term

Have a lovely weekend!

Susan Bacon
Headteacher

