

# Angel Road Junior Newsletter



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## Refugee Week

### Week commencing 18<sup>th</sup> June

Next week we will be supporting Refugee Week across the schools. We pride ourselves as a welcoming school and believe that it is vital the children experience and celebrate diversity within our community.

We are very proud of the wide range of faiths, cultures and backgrounds that exist within our schools. We want everyone who joins our schools to feel welcomed and have the chance to contribute to the development of Angel Road. There are so many success stories of children and families in our schools, some of whom have had to contend with very difficult situations in their lives. It is fantastic to see our friends settled in Norwich and enjoying their time at Angel Road.

Unfortunately, we do hear of upsetting incidents where members of our community experience hostility and prejudice. We all have a part to play to prevent such incidents from happening and to ensure everyone is welcomed and treated fairly.

Norfolk police are committed to tackling hate crime and have a range of advice and contacts at: <https://www.norfolk.police.uk/stop-hate>



## Year 3 Ancient Greek Music Day

On Thursday, Year 3 enjoyed an Ancient Greek Music Day. The children learnt about the story of Odysseus, were introduced to some traditional Greek musical instruments, learnt a group dance linked to the 'Labyrinth of Theseus and the Minotaur' and then made up their own Greek inspired dance to music. All the children enjoyed thoroughly themselves and showed great behaviour for learning throughout the session. Well done Year 3. Many thanks to Mrs Graham for organising this super event.

## Assist Trust Open Day

**A BIG THANK YOU to our Steel Bands and all of the families who supported their performance at the Assist Trust Open Day on Saturday . The children played extremely well , showing amazing team work in filling in parts for absent players and they all helped contribute to the lovely atmosphere of the event . The organisers tell me that The Open Day raised £2000. A great achievement!**

### **Lords Mayor's Procession - Saturday 7th July**

After a nail-biting few weeks, I can now confirm that we have a trailer for the procession and can go ahead with making arrangements for the day.

Year 6 and Senior Steel Bands will be playing pans on the lorry, which will be decorated with all things circus-related .

Our percussion band will be walking behind the float playing junk instruments.

All are welcome to join our entry, but must be dressed in a circus-related costume and all children walking must be accompanied by an adult (also in costume).

We are pleased to announce that we will be joined by members of the NHS Trust for Children's Health . Our entry will be ENORMOUS this year – Hooray!

*Mrs Graham*

### **Science Fayre**

A reminder to all parents and children that the annual Science Fayre is taking place next week on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> June. All children who are taking part will need to bring their experiments into school before this date and hand them to the school office. For those children not demonstrating an experiment, can you please provide them with a small amount of loose change, so that they can vote for their favourite experiments. Thank you.

### **Summer Fayre Success!**

The FRIENDS would like to extend their thanks to everyone who helped make the Summer Fayre such a big hit yesterday. We're pleased to report we've had some excellent feedback from stallholders on how polite and well-behaved all the children were.

There are some leftover Ronaldo Ice Creams available to buy from the Infant School office at 75p per tub - salted caramel, strawberry, vanilla and lemon sorbet tubs are available.

Prizes for the raffle and competitions will be sent home today with the children.

Congratulations to the winners of the games:

Guess the name of the bear - **RORY** - winner: Aleisha Wright (Infant)

Guess how many jelly beans in the jar - **1032** - winner: Matthew Coates (Junior)

Guess the weight - winner: Joel Blanch (Junior) who has won a £10 Waterstones voucher.

Thank you to all those who entered the fancy dress competition. The competition was judged by PC Victoria Tolladay and her colleague. The costumes were all so amazing!

1st prize went to Andrin who came dressed as a tube of Colgate toothpaste.

2nd prize went to Robyn who was dressed as No bot the Robot

3rd Prize went to Millie who was dressed in traditional Japanese attire.

### **Dates for your diary**

Tuesday 19th June 1-3pm - Science Fayre - *parents/carers invited to join us from 2:45pm*

Friday 22nd June - 'Great Get Together' Picnic

4th-6th July - Y4 Holt Hall Residential

Thursday 5th July - Y6 Performance of 'Jungle Book'

Saturday 7th July - Lord Mayors Procession

Wednesday 18th July - Upper Junior School Sports Day (Y5 and Y6)

Friday 20th July - Lower Junior School Sports Day (Y3 and Y4)

Tuesday 24th July - School closes for summer holidays