



# Sacred Heart School

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Weds 7 <sup>th</sup> Feb	9.00am – 4.00pm Years 10 & 11 Geography Trip – Norwich suburbs 3.45pm – 5.30pm U13 & U15 Netball v Hammonds. Away
Thurs 8 <sup>th</sup> Feb	3.45pm – 5.30pm U14 & U16 Netball v Hammonds. Home
Fri 9 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Individual times - Speech & Drama Exams 3.00pm Years 1 & 2 Assembly in the Barn Theatre. All Parents welcome 3.45pm Half Term begins
Tues 13 <sup>th</sup> Feb	12 noon Swaffham Lions Pancake Race outside the Assembly Rooms
Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup> February	7pm during HALF TERM – TWELFTH NIGHT live streamed from the Royal Shakespeare Company. Tickets £12.50 for children and £15 for any adults.
Mon 19 <sup>th</sup> Feb	8.30am School resumes 8.45am – 1.30pm Year 11 GCSE to Norwich Playhouse
Sat 24 <sup>th</sup> Feb	10.00am – 12 noon Open Morning
Mon 26 <sup>th</sup> Feb	7.00pm PTA Meeting in Prep Room
Wed 7 <sup>th</sup> March	2.15pm – 3.00pm U9 Netball v Glebe at home 3.00pm – 3.45pm U13 Netball v Glebe at home
Thurs 8 <sup>th</sup> March	BINGO. Doors open at 5.45pm – Eyes down 6.30pm
Fri 9 <sup>th</sup> March	3.00pm Little Pedlars Assembly in the Barn Theatre. All Parents welcome
Wed 14 <sup>th</sup> March	5.00pm – 7.00pm Year 7 – 9 Parents Evening
Sat	Barn Dance

### Well done to the following pupils who have reached Service Award milestones:

Bronze (25): Year 7 – Seth, Cole

Silver (50): Year 7 – Isaac, Sophie

Turquoise (75): Year 7 – Demi, Isaac, Eliza

### Well done to the following pupils who have reached Housepoint Award milestones:

Bronze (25): Year 7 –

Silver (50): Year 7 – Sophie, Olivia, Tom, Bronagh

Turquoise (75): Year 7 - Eliza

The Gold Bars were awarded this week to Abi, Year 9 for having the courage to join the choir mid-term and make a valuable contribution.



Miss Williams writes that she chose Abi because ‘last Thursday Abi turned up quite unexpectedly and

for the first time, for Senior choir. Both Mrs Pickard and I are always cheered to receive new members but we were especially happy to see that a student has the inner strength to join a group mid-term. It is always good to confound others’ expectations.’ Also to Dexter, Year 2 for his efforts in class. This decision was endorsed by his class who thought that he always worked hard.

### The Scholarships were awarded to the following pupils in Year 6 who had three days of assessments and three days of fun and enjoyment.

Congratulations to the whole of Year 6 and our visiting pupils for persevering in all their tasks, not everyone can come first or second but everyone can make an effort and know that they have done their best.

Scholarship Awards 2018		
Subject	Position	Name
English	1 <sup>st</sup>	Isabella McCullough
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Francesca Cooper
Reading	Ist	Emily Sturman
Maths	1 <sup>st</sup>	Tabitha Hayter
Music	1 <sup>st</sup>	Jack Traylor
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Neve Smith
Sport	1 <sup>st</sup> boys	Jack Traylor
	1 <sup>st</sup> girls	Tabitha Hayter
Art	1 <sup>st</sup>	Neve Smith
	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Tabitha Hayter

**Year 4 Assembly** – Year 4 educated and entertained us with the story of Chinese New Year with great performances and a song from all. Well done and thanks from *Mr Smith*



**The Chinese New Year Disco was a big success.**

Children wore wonderful costumes, danced energetically and joined in the games that were provided by Abigail's mother and grandad. Mrs Dorling led a group of willing helpers, though I think that she was the stalwart that did most of the work. She is appealing for more parental help at the next event. Thank you to all parents who attended and gave their children a fun evening. We raised £207.20 towards the playground. The dog plates from Little Pedlars to Year 9 made good decorations for the Year of the dog.



**Sports Report –**

On Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> of January the year 7 boys went to KLA to play a cluster basketball tournament, thanks go to Mr Hodges and Miss Wookey for organising and supporting us in such an enjoyable tournament.

On Thursday the 1<sup>st</sup> of February the under 13 girls played a basketball tournament at KLA, Everyone played well, and out of the seven matches we played we won six and drew one. We were the overall winners of the tournament with a total of nine points. Thanks go to Mr Hodges and Miss Wookey for organising and supporting a very enjoyable tournament. *Connie Wildbur Sports Prefect*

**Holiday Challenge for half term**

Pupils from Years 5 – 10 have been given instructions for the ISA Essay Competition. This can also be found on our website. Years 1 – 4 are asked to write a handwritten page on one of the following titles: An adventure with my best Friend or The Treasure I found on the beach or the The Day it never stopped Raining. .

There is an alternative essay organised by the Rotary Club entitled 'A Different Perspective. This is for Year 3 – 11. Pupils are asked to use their writing skills and imagination to create an A4 handwritten page or up to 500 words. The entry form is on our website.

All essays to be submitted by Monday after halfterm.

Letters have been given to every child in the school containing appropriate information for parents regarding one or more of the following: Renewal of Bursary Forms, Attendance at School, Termly Contribution Reminders, and Home Office Request. Replies are sought after half-term – Monday 19<sup>th</sup> February 2018. Termly contribution calculation for last term is included below.

**Lice** – Please check children's hair for lice. As far as we know there are no cases at the moment, but there has been some teasing of other pupils. Regular checks are important and some of the recommended treatments are to use tea tree oil or conditioner when washing hair.

**Antibiotics** – It is the school's policy not to administer medication to pupils that have a short term illness. Antibiotics can be taken before and after school and the correct dosage still be managed.

**Half-term Activities** – The Swaffham Lions are organising their usual Pancake Race on Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> February at 12 noon. They would like 3 teams of 2 children to compete for the 'frying' pan award. Please will volunteers see Sr Francis.

**Sr Francis and staff**

## Termly Contributions Academic Year 2017 - 2018

Autumn Term 2017	Ltle Pdlrs	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
<b>Pupils in year group</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>152</b>
Balance end Summer 17 b/fwd	25.50	26.00	29.50	22.50	20.50	16.00	8.50	27.50	50.50	49.50	52.50		
<b>Contribution for Autumn '17</b>	<b>30.00</b>	<b>25.00</b>	<b>25.00</b>	<b>25.00</b>	<b>25.00</b>	<b>45.00</b>	<b>45.00</b>	<b>45.00</b>	<b>20.00</b>	<b>20.00</b>	<b>20.00</b>	<b>25.00</b>	
<b>Total for new term</b>	<b>30.00</b>	<b>50.50</b>	<b>51.00</b>	<b>54.50</b>	<b>47.50</b>	<b>65.50</b>	<b>61.00</b>	<b>53.50</b>	<b>47.50</b>	<b>70.50</b>	<b>69.50</b>	<b>77.50</b>	
Pupil Planner				-7.50	-7.50	-7.50	-7.50	-7.50	-7.50	-7.50	-7.50	-7.50	
Drawstring School bag	-1.50	-1.50	-1.50	-1.50	-1.50	-1.50	-1.50	-1.50	-1.50	-1.50	-1.50	-1.50	
Digital s/ftwr renew Mths & French				-1.50	-1.50	-1.50	-1.50	-1.50	-1.50	-1.50	-1.50	-1.50	
06/09/17 Walsingham -				-8.00	-8.00	-8.00	-8.00	-8.00	-8.00	-8.00	-8.00	-8.00	
20/09/17 Dioc Mass & Sains Cntr						-8.00	-8.00	-8.00	-8.00	-8.00			
11/10/17 Castle Acre Priory								-6.50					
11/10/17 CofE Cathedral Nwch							-11.00						
08/12/17 The Tiger who came to Tea	-16.00	-16.00	-16.00										
<i>Anticipated trips / estimated expenditure</i>													
<b>End of term balance - c/fwd to Spring 2018</b>	<b>12.50</b>	<b>33.00</b>	<b>33.50</b>	<b>36.00</b>	<b>29.00</b>	<b>39.00</b>	<b>23.50</b>	<b>20.50</b>	<b>21.00</b>	<b>44.00</b>	<b>51.00</b>	<b>60.50</b>	

# Sacred Heart School Swaffham

Whole  
community  
event

Tell all your  
friends and  
family



Doors open 6pm Eyes down 6.30pm

## Thursday 8th March



Full booklet £6  
Smaller books for children from £2  
Cash flyer £1 (adults only)



Everyone and all ages welcome

Car park at back of school on Sporle Road  
Signposts to Main School Hall