

Dear Parents and Carers,

### Message from Mrs Talbot:

Firstly, I would like to say thank you to all our families for supporting us closing early on Monday for the funeral of our colleague Mrs Fiore, this was very much appreciated not only by us but also Mrs Fiore's family. As a school we have donated £130 to the family's chosen charity 'Mind', thank you for your kind donations. We will be deciding on a lasting tribute to Mrs Fiore for school, suggestions so far have been: to plant a tree and to name a friendship bench. We will ask school council to seek the views of all children in the classes and to make a decision, we will let you know what they decide.

We have lots of exciting things happening next week, Swans exciting 3 day residential to Burwell, trips to the Cambridge Science Centre in March for Years 1-4 for STEM activities (Science, Technology, Engineering & Maths); Year 1&2 will be building land yachts and Years 3&4 building roads taking on the roles of engineers and scientists, and we will be celebrating pancake day with our traditional pancake races too! Lots of fun for the last week before the half-term break! Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Talbot - Headteacher

### PE- Active Calendar Challenge

It is always important to keep fit and healthy (and have fun doing it!). Follow the link below for your very own Get Set 4 PE Active Calendar. Your challenge is to complete an active game every weekday throughout February. Follow these steps to help you:

Go to [www.getset4education.co.uk](http://www.getset4education.co.uk) and click on the Home Learning tab to see the Active Families Games.

Pick an active game and play it.

Write the name of the game you played onto your active calendar and enter a symbol to show how it made you feel.

Remember, some days you may not enjoy a game but then love it on another day. Give games a go more than once.

**An active calendar challenge will be set at the start of each month.**

### Can your child ride a bike?

We are asking parents of those children who are in Reception, Year 1, 2 and 3 if your child can ride a bike. This information is being used to help us plan our cycling training going forward with Bikeability. It's a quick survey and shouldn't take more than 1 minute but it will be really useful to us to determine if we need to extend our Bikeability training. If you have not already done so and your child is in Reception YR1, YR2 or YR3 please complete the form here: <https://forms.office.com/r/7CEGZkxZZP> Thank you for your help.

Have a lovely weekend.

Kind Regards

Mrs Rachael Barton  
School Secretary

### Important Dates:

Monday 12th- 14th February Swans Burwell Residential Visit

Monday 12th February Film night until 5pm

Monday 19th February- Friday 23rd February Half Term

Thursday 7th March World book day

Tuesday 19th March Doves Share & Shine 2.45pm

Wednesday 20th March Owls Share & Shine 2.45pm

Thursday 21st March Swans Share & Shine 2.45pm

Friday 22nd March Robins Share & Shine 9.00am

Friday 29th March- Friday 12th April Easter Holidays

Monday 15th April INSET DAY- No children in school

Wednesday 17th April	Bikeability Level 1- Owls Class
Tuesday 23rd April	Parents Meetings 3pm-6pm
Wednesday 24th April	Parents Meetings 3pm-6pm
Monday 6th May	Bank Holiday
Monday 13th- Friday 17th May	Year 6 SAT's
Monday 27th May- Friday 31st May	Half Term
Tuesday 4th June	Heights & Weights Measurements YR & YR6
Wednesday 5th June	Vision Screening YR
Monday 22nd July	INSET DAY- No children in school
Tuesday 23rd July- Friday 30th August	Summer Holidays
Tuesday 3rd September	INSET DAY- No children in school
Wednesday 4th September	Term Starts
Monday 28th Oct- Friday 1st Nov	Half Term
Monday 23rd December- Monday 6th January	Christmas Holidays
Monday 6th January 2025	INSET DAY- No children in school
Monday 17th- Friday 21st February 2025	Half Term
Friday 4th April 2025	INSET DAY- No children in school
Monday 7th- Monday- Monday 21st April 2025	Easter Holidays
Monday 5th May 2025	Bank Holiday
Monday 26th- Friday 30th May 2025	Half Term
Monday 2nd June 2025	INSET DAY- No children in school
Wednesday 23rd July 2025	INSET DAY- No children in school
Thursday 24th July- Friday 29th August 2025	Summer Holidays