

Years 5 and 6 boys thoroughly enjoyed taking part in the school sports football competition at Framingham Earl High School, showing great teamwork, determination, and enthusiasm throughout the event. To round off the week, we were delighted to join the FOSS Parent Committee and our fantastic quizmaster Brian for a brilliant Quiz 'n' Chips night. It was a wonderful community event—and we're so grateful to everyone who helped organise such an enjoyable evening in support of our school.

### QUIZ 'N' CHIPS

A huge thank you to the wonderful FOSS Parent Committee and, of course, the amazing quizmaster Brian for pulling together such a brilliant Quiz 'n' Chips night! We are so incredibly grateful for all your hard work and continued support for the school. It was a truly lovely community event — full of laughter, friendly competition, and great company. And we must admit, the evening was made even better by our team's big win!



#### Attendance

Our school target for attendance this year is **97%**.

Our attendance this week is **91.7%**

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## Celebrations!

We had a very exciting Celebration Assembly today - Alex received a special 'determination' certificate for his impressive effort in swimming. Eli, Hannah, Audrey and Dan got 'Golden Writer' certificates for their independent writing based on the story The Secret of Black Rock, and Beth, Arthur, Harvey, Harry D and Pippa gained their pen licenses! We were also treated to a live cello performance from Pippa and her mum who amazed us with their musical talents and captivated the whole school.



### Healthy relationships updates

Online Harm parent session – November 11<sup>th</sup> 2.15-3.15 at Surlingham

Celebration Assembly for whole school and invited guests. An assembly will be held on December 12<sup>th</sup> at 2.30 with Year 6s leading and Year 7 campaign group to be invited back to receive award.



## Aspens VACANCY Chef Manager Surlingham Primary NR14 7DQ

- Monday-Friday 7:30am-2:30pm
- 35 hours per week
- £21,614.42 per annum
- Term Time Only
- A great community school environment.

Aspens Services is an established and successful school contract caterer. Providing meals to children in schools across the country. We are currently looking for a Chef Manager to join our team.

If you think this position is for you, please contact Joanne Cogger with your CV:



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## Diary Dates

### October

- **Monday 20th October** – Harvest Festival 2:00–3:00pm at the church
- **Wednesday 22nd October 2025**, a group of selected children from Years 3–6 will be representing our school at the Cross-Country Qualifying Event in Langley
- **Thursday 23rd October** our caretaker Steve Gildersleeve is going to be doing some school grounds work with our new Eco-Committee – parents/carers/grandparents/friends invited to help **12 – 1pm**.
- **24th October** – Wear It Pink non-school uniform – Raising funds for *Breast Cancer Now!*

### November

- **Monday 27th - Monday 3rd November** – Half term and INSET Day
- **Monday 4th November**– Children return to school.
- **Tuesday November 11th - Online Harm parent session – 2.15-3.15 at Surlingham Primary School**
- **Friday 15th November** – Children in Need – Non-uniform Day
- **Thursday 20th November** – Maths Café
- **Thursday 27th November** – Nursery Parent Forum, 8:50am in the Margaret Mack Hall (All parents of Nursery children welcome)
- **Thursday 27th November** – Gressenhall Victorian Trip (Willow)

### December

- **On Wednesday 3rd December** – Parent invitation to watch Hawthorn ukelele group music sessions @ 10am -10.30am
- **Week commencing 9th December** – Parent Teacher Meetings
- **11th December** – Hippodrome visit
- **Friday 12th December** - **Celebration Assembly for whole school Healthy Relationships Project and invited guests at 2.30 (Parents welcome to join us)**
- **Monday 15th December** – Nativity evening performance
- **Tuesday 16th December** – Nativity afternoon performance
- **Thursday 18th December** – Carol Service, 2:00–3:00pm at Surlingham Church





**Kids**

Disabled children  
say we can

**Norfolk**

**Parent Carer Service**

**Fortnightly on Wednesday**

**10.30 – 12.30**

**Autum Term 2025**

10th Sept – Guest Speaker (Stacey, Anglian Water)

24<sup>th</sup> Sept – Lego Workshop

8<sup>th</sup> October – Guest Speaker (Alice MacDonald MP)

22<sup>nd</sup> October – Wellbeing

5<sup>th</sup> November – Guest Speaker (Young Carers Matter)

19<sup>th</sup> November – Workshop (tbc)

3<sup>rd</sup> December – Guest Speaker (Family Action)

17<sup>th</sup> December – Wellbeing

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## Events 2025-26

September

**Teddy Bears Picnic**  
Sunday 14th



FREE

October

**Quiz and Chips**  
Thursday 16th 6.30pm  
Surlingham Village Hall

**Halloween Cafe**  
Friday 24th 3.15pm

November



December

**Christmas Carols**  
Saturday 13th



January

**Movie Night**  
Film and date - TBC



February

**Jumble Sale**  
Saturday 21st  
Surlingham Village Hall  
2pm-4pm



March



April

**Spring sculpture Trail**  
Over the 2 week Easter  
break



May



June

**Summer Fun Day.**  
Saturday 6th



July



August

**Fantasy Football**

