

# Blofield Bulletin

News & information for Parents/ Carers

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## SPORTS CONGRATULATIONS!



Huge congratulations to our amazing Year 6 boys - Jack, William L, and Max R who triumphed in style to win the Norwich U11 4Sports Cup on Sunday! They battled their way through the rounds eventually facing off against Brandon in a thrilling final. They secured a fantastic 2-0 victory to lift the trophy!



A big congratulations to Dara and Evie in Year 6 who finished 3<sup>rd</sup> in their dance performance. They performed a street dance routine as a duo with some incredible moves and choreography.



Well done to our three Year 5 boys, Theo S, Henry and Ben, who have made the latest Norfolk Korfball team! Excellent work!

## Y6 SATS

This week, Year 6 have been amazing during their SATs! We are incredibly proud of their determination, patience and particularly their positivity each and every day. They have truly blown us away this year, they have worked incredibly hard, and I am sure it will pay off. Huge congratulations to you all- WELL DONE! A big thank you to all the staff who helped ensure the children had a happy and productive week.



## NATIONAL WALK TO SCHOOL WEEK

As a school we will be taking part in National Walk to School week next week (19 - 23 May 2025). We will be running a week-long campaign to encourage our families to leave cars at home and choose a more active way of travelling to school.

Walking or cycling everyday provides great benefits such as improving mental and physical health, teaching road safety and developing a sense of community. As well as this, there are of course all of the benefits to our planet.

We would love for as many people to take part as possible but recognise that some pupils live outside the village so have no alternative to driving. However, it is possible to still take part by parking cars at a location such as the Margaret Harker Hall and walking the rest of the journey to school.

If you would like to know more about the campaign please follow the link: [Walk to School Week](#)



## PTA BAKE SALE & SCHOOL TOURS

The PTA will be holding a bake sale on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May from 2pm in the school hall. Parents and carers are warmly invited to come along for tea, coffee, a selection of cakes, and a chance to tour the new school.

Tours will be led by our Year 6 pupils throughout the afternoon.

If you're able to contribute any cakes, biscuits or sweet treats for the sale, we'd really appreciate it. Homemade or shop-bought – all contributions are welcome.

To help us manage dietary requirements, please ensure no nuts are used in any baked goods, including chocolate spreads. Donations can be brought to the school on Thursday afternoon or Friday morning.

We look forward to seeing you there!



## YEAR 3 TRIP TO TIME & TIDE

Year 3 had a wonderful time at Time and Tide on Thursday. We became members of the Icenii tribe and infiltrated the Roman army. We trained as soldiers (and got a little bit wet) and explored a Roman villa by becoming slaves and carrying out chores! We also had the opportunity to handle artifacts and guess what they might have been used for. Well done to all of



Year 3 for showing great enthusiasm during the activities and representing our school so brilliantly. Thank you to the adults who joined us on our trip.



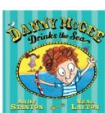
## YEAR 1

Year 1 have been sewing in Design and Technology the last couple of weeks. They have all shown resilience and determination to keep going, even when they get in a tangle! They will be creating their own rocket picture next week to show off their new sewing skills.



## RECOMMENDED READS

Please see the following page for more information regarding recommended reads this month.



## DATES FOR YOUR DAIRY

Summer Term - 24.04.2025 - 22.07.2025

Half Term Break - 26.05.2025 - 30.05.2025

Monday 19<sup>th</sup> May 2025 - Class Photos

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> June 2025 - Summer Disco

Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2025 - Sports Day

Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> July 2025 - Swimming Gala





Shrapnel Boys - Jenny Pearson

A historical fiction book published to coincide with the 80th anniversary of the end of World War 2. Shrapnel Boys is a gripping story about the lives of a group of young boys living in London through the Second World War. Ronnie is naively excited by the prospect of war, fighter planes and everything else that he associates with war, and he can't wait for the action to start. When the war finally comes to London, although the reality is scarier than they thought, Ronnie and his friends are excited to race each other to collect the best bits of shrapnel each morning after a night of bombing. This is a wonderful book which manages to weave so many themes into its pages. It deals with issues around family, friendship, bravery and loss, as well as providing insight and historical facts about an important time in British history.



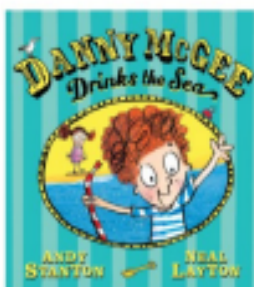
Land of the Last Wildcat - Lui Sit

Adventure and magic collide in Land of the Last Wildcat. This is a fast-paced children's novel about family, friendship and the beauty of our natural world. Puffin Lau is a 10-year-old girl who is obsessed by the Kuri, the legendary wild cat of Linger Island. Her Portuguese mum is a scientist and usually away on research so she mainly lives with Grandad Moe and her best friend Lance. Their lives are wrapped up in the Linger Museum, which her mum founded. But then Puffin finds a living Kuri in the museum. Her mum's boss, Mr Smoult, wants to experiment on the Kuri and find out how to extract its healing power. What can Puffin and Lance do to rescue it, and can they trust Mum to actually help them? And just what is the connection between Puffin and the Kuri anyway? An exciting magical mystery and adventure unfolds with twists and turns all the way.



Supa Nova - Chante Timothy

This story follows Nova, who is from a family of scientists and creative geniuses. Influenced by an environmental problem she sees on the news, Nova rushes to her secret lab to try to find a solution. After a few attempts, she succeeds, and all seems well until things get out of control and she is in a race against time to stop Chomp on his path of destruction. Nova soon realises that she cannot do this on her own and needs to enlist the help of her sister Cassi. This short and easy-to-read graphic novel is fast-paced, fun and the perfect read for budding inventors or scientists.



Danny McGee - Andy Stanton

A super silly picture from Andy Stanton – best known for the Mr Gum books.

Danny McGee drinks the sea after betting his sister he could. Once he drinks all of the sea, he starts to munch, crunch and devour everything in his sight: trees, mountains, animals, insects and even people. Once he starts, he does not seem to be able to stop. He carries on until he has eaten everything in the world and there is nothing left; he has just left one person – his sister. What will she make of her brother eating everything, and what will she do?



We Are All Animals - Ben Hoare, Christopher Lloyd, Mark Ruffle

We Are All Animals is part of the 'What on Earth!' children's information books, exploring elements of life on Earth from Bees to Wind. This book focuses on the similarities between animals, in particular demonstrating common traits between different species and humans. The aim is to highlight that humans should treat other species as equally important, as, after all, we are all animals.