Rackheath Primary School
School Values

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Newsletter

Friday 2nd October 2026

Dear Parents and Carers

Year 1 and 2 Castle Trip – Our Year 1 and 2 children enjoyed a super day at Norwich Castle on Thursday, which is all part of our Under Attack topic.

Book Fair – We finished the week with a book fair organised by Mr Edwards for Thursday and Friday this week and also Monday next week. So if you haven't visited there is still time!

Cafes – This week our cafes finished with the Year 5 café in the hall. Like all the others it was lovely to see lots of family members sharing learning with their children and meeting the new class team at the same time.

Girls Football Report – League Game Away at Falcon– The girls continued their brilliant start to the season with an excellent performance and win at Falcon. The first half was very even but we were able to score one goal right at the start and then one right at the end of the half, through Matilda and Emily. In the second half Ella scored a lovely goal before Emily completed her hat-trick. One of the goals being a sensational strike into the top corner. Falcon were unlucky not to score but came up against determined defending from the whole team – especially from Esme, Jaylen and Ava and some great goalkeeping from Izzy. A special mention for Florence and Willow who both did well in their first game for the school.

Boys Football v Drayton - The boys team played their first game of the season on Wednesday away at Drayton. The boys looked resplendent in the new school kit that we have been very kindly gifted. Mr Palmer took the team and reported that it was a very good, close game but one where Drayton's chances went in whilst ours hit the post or were saved.



The game finished 4-1 to Drayton with our goal coming from Jack. Well done to him and the rest of the team; Max, Seb, Sid, Alfie, Louis, Stanley, Jackson and Archie.

School Photographer – An email has gone out about school photographs, which are taking place on Monday 5th October. These photos are of all the children individually and with their siblings. This takes place during the school morning but the photographer will start from 8:15am for those families who have siblings in Bombers.

Upcoming Dates – Class Assemblies

- Thursday 15th October – Year 1
- Thursday 22nd October– Year 2
- Wednesday 11th November – Year 3
- Thursday 12th November – Year 5
- Wednesday 18th November – Year 4
- Thursday 19th November – Reception
- Thursday 26th November – Year 6

Upcoming Dates – Other

- Monday 5th October – School Photographs
- Tuesday 20th October and Wednesday 21st October – Parent's Evening

Reading Stars – Well done to Year 2 who had 22 out of 30 and Year 6 who had 31 out of 32 readers read at least 3 times at home this week.

Class	Star, Angel and Diamond
Year 1	Sophia, Marlowe, All of Year 1
Year 2	Autumn, Ruby-Mae, All of Year 2
Year 3	Harry, Grace, Archer
Year 4	Emmy, Cian, Lucy
Year 5	William L, Elliot, Henry
Year 6	Jacob G, Charlie, Ella

Attendance Bear - Well done to Year 5 who had 99% attendance for the week of the 21st September.

Best wishes

Chris Ashman