



We cannot believe it is February already and in just a couple of weeks, we will be halfway through this school year!

You will have received a letter regarding Parents Evening next week (Wroxham has received a separate letter). The teachers have been working hard to write mid-year reports and these will form the basis for discussions with you at this mid-point in the school year. This will be an opportunity to discuss your child's progress, talk about what school will focus on and how you can support learning at home. You will also notice we have included your child's attendance to date. We know you are aware of the importance of attendance and how excellent attendance is essential to ensure your child reaches their academic potential as well as benefiting their social development and confidence. The Parents Evenings are a great way to update and we can all work together to ensure your child achieves their very best by the end of the year.

Important Dates in February

**Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup>: Online Safety Day**

**Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup>: Parents Evening 4-7pm**

**Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup>: Year Two How Hill Meeting in hall 9am**

**Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup>: Parents Evening 3.30-5.30pm**

**Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> & Friday 9<sup>th</sup>: Year One Step On It Road Safety training**

**Friday 9<sup>th</sup>: Last day of this half term**

*Half Term 12<sup>th</sup> - 16<sup>th</sup> February*

**Monday 19<sup>th</sup>: Back to school for Spring 2<sup>nd</sup> Half Term**

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**Thursday 1<sup>st</sup>: World Book Day (separate letter to follow)**

**January 2018 Attendance:**  
**Congratulations Barton Class!**

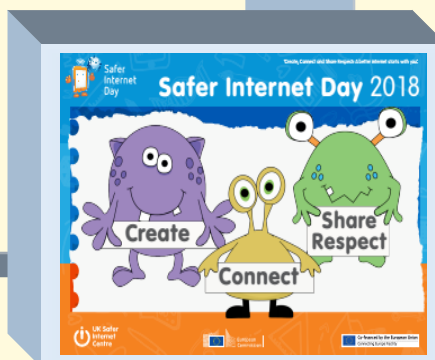


<b>Filby</b>	<b>95.9%</b>	<b>Wroxham</b>	<b>96.4%</b>	<b>Barton</b>	<b>98.1%</b>
<b>Salhouse</b>	<b>94.9%</b>	<b>Ranworth</b>	<b>96.9%</b>	<b>Hickling</b>	<b>96.5%</b>

Next week we will be taking part in an Online Safety Day. We hope you will find the link below useful to help you support your child's safe use of the internet, now and as they get older.

<https://www.saferinternet.org.uk/safer-internet-day/2018/safer-internet-day-2018-top-tips-parents-and-carers>

You will also find a puzzle piece template attached to this newsletter. On the reverse, are instructions to explain the fun and worthwhile challenge and we would love to create a school display of all the puzzle pieces. We would be so grateful if you could do this over half term and return to an adult in your child's class, by the end of the first week back after half term.



**HSA Fundraising**

(Home School Association)

We would like to say thank you to the HSA for planning and arranging some new and exciting events. Movie Night was extremely popular and has raised over £100. The HSA will update you about how this money is spent to support the children. The HSA are running 'Guess the Bear's Name' competition, which starts this Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> February and they will be running a secret shop to coincide with Mothering Sunday. More information will follow. The HSA will also be running a second hand book sale for World Book Day **so please start saving old books.**

Mr. Thrower & Mrs. Waterfield (Headteachers)