

# Stoke by Nayland Church of England Primary School Summer News 2021



## **Tiptree Patisserie Bread Baking Competition**

The East Anglian Daily Times published an article on 8th July about the Tiptree Patisserie's challenge to design a new style of bread. Professional bakers, Daren McGrath and Chloe Alderton, judged the competition. Well done to Year 6 winners, Maisie, Lizzie and Jacob for baking cheese, chicken and chilli bread respectively, each winning a Tiptree gift box of goodies and a baking set. Star bakers!

## **Awards Assembly**

Our Awards Assembly celebrated exceptional achievement during what has been an incredibly challenging year: Achievement in KS2 – Lizzie, KS1 – Aurelia, EYFS – David, Effort – Hannah B, Drama – Freya (Oak), Sport – Robyn, Computing – Jacob, Art – Quintus, Science – Michael, Music – Byron, French – Lilly (Oak).



### **Haverhill Trip**

We had a fabulous trip to East Town Park, Haverhill, where Oak Class learned to light fires with flint, build catapults, and enjoyed geocaching and archery. Guides from Explore Outdoor commented on their impeccable behaviour, and ability to rise to a challenge. These were some of their highlights:

"It was fun, because we got to do lots of things like climbing trees and making fires, which was my favourite thing to do."

"I loved using the Geocaching GPS system."

"I loved playing the games."

#### **Fun and Games Evening and Sleepover**

The whole school fun and games evening, with pizza and a movie, was a great success. Some of the older children enjoyed a sleepover in the school hall too, although we're not sure how much sleep the staff managed! This is what the children had to say:

"My favourite part was exploring the field in the dark."

"I loved the campfire with smores and marshmallows."

"The pizza was delicious, and I loved toasting the marshmallows to make

smores."

### **New Equipment**

Children in Saplings have been working together to make a range of constructions with a new outdoor wooden construction set. We are also looking forward to using our new coding equipment - mice (for Early years and

Key stage 1) and Crumble starter kits (for Key stage 2). Many thanks to FOS (Friends of Stoke by Nayland) for funding this.



#### **Sports Day**

Sports Leaders from TGS helped to run a carousel of activities for Sports Day this year. Well done to the Red Team, who won overall. Sticker for individual races and ice lollies were a hit!

## **Summer Play**

Roald Dahl's version of The Three Little Pigs was performed beautifully by Years 5 and 6, and supported by Years 2-4. This was professionally recorded for families to keep and enjoy.

#### **Summer Fare**

We raised a staggering £1000 with the help of FOS! The children performed with clarinets and recorders, as well as some beautiful Maypole dancing. Thank you to Michelle, Steph, Jess, Annabel and Donna. We wish you a wonderful and fun-filled summer.