

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October 2025,

Dear Parents and Carers,

## NEWSLETTER! IMPORTANT UPDATES & KEY INFORMATION!

As we come to the end of our first term back, we would like to take a moment to thank you for your continued support. It has been a fantastic start to the academic year, filled with learning, laughter, and growth. We are incredibly proud of how well the children have settled back into school life.

### PE Days for Term Two

Please note the PE days for Term Two are as follows:

- **Seahorses:** Thursdays and Fridays
- **Seals:** Wednesdays and Fridays
- **Sea Otters:** Wednesdays and Fridays
- **Dolphins:** Mondays and Fridays
- **Tiger Sharks:** Thursdays and Friday
- **Blue Whales:** Mondays and Fridays

(Please ensure your child comes to school in their PE kit on their designated day.)

### No Afterschool Clubs in Term 2

Term 2 is a short and very busy term full of Christmas fun and activities organised by our wonderful staff and this leaves very little time for staff to lead an **afterschool club** in addition to all the wonderful activities already planned throughout the term. For a full breakdown of what's happening, please refer to the "What's On In Term 2" guide.

### Reception Open Evenings – For September 2026 Admissions

We are pleased to invite prospective families to our **Reception Open Evenings** on:

- **Monday 10th November & Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> November**
- **Time: 3.30pm – 6.00pm**

Please spread the word to any families of children whose birthday is between 1<sup>st</sup> September 2021 – 31<sup>st</sup> August 2022, who may be interested in joining our school community next year.

### New Communication System – Arbor

We are moving away from Groupcall and will now be using **Arbor** as our main parent communication service. Going forward, you will start to receive text messages from **07476 979301**. Please save this number in your phone as 'IGA Text'.

If your child is unwell and will not be attending school, please now use 'IGA Text' on **07476 979301** to send us a message.

We wish you all a lovely and safe half term. School will reopen on **Monday 10th November**, ready for the most festive term of the year!

Miss J Howden  
(Principal)



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