

Reepham Primary School – 01603 870321 May 2025 Newsletter

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May 23rd 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

That concludes the quickest half term on record! We have still managed to fit in everything from hosting our international teachers, completing SATs tests in Year 6, lots of school trips and of course a lot of running...

Run-a-thon

This was a fantastic event. I was blown away by the turn out. Huge thanks to Rose, Emily and the Friends committee for organising a very well organised, enjoyable event. I think the children will remember the experience forever. The amount of money raised was incredible and will make such a huge impact on all the whole school. Children spend nearly 20% of their school day at break and lunch and we know the importance of play in developing the whole child. Over the next year, we will be improving our outdoor spaces to promote play for all and the funds from the run will go towards this project.

Japanese visit

The headteacher from our link school in Sakado, Japan visited in April. The children had a great time learning Japanese, practicing writing, listening to stories and most importantly tasting traditional Japanese food. This year Shizuka made over 200 fruit sandwiches on one day so that everyone could join in. It is lovely to see the children embracing these new experiences.

Register on Arbor

Thank you to everyone who has registered an account with Arbor. If you have not already done so, please register using your individual link that has been sent to you by email. We will be transitioning to Arbor over the coming weeks. If you have not received a link, please contact the school office.

Key dates

I thought it would be useful to highlight some key dates for next half term:

12th June – Y4 trip to Norwich Castle and Y1 trip to Wroxham Barns

13th June – Non uniform day- Instead of £1 bring a tomobola prize for the fete stall

20th June - School Summer fete

Week beginning 23rd June – Sports week- wear PE kit every day.



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24th June – Sports day 9:15 KS2 (Y3,4,5 and 6) 1:15 EYFS/KS1 (N,R,1 and 2)

All families are welcome to come and watch their child. We will be having our whole school picnic again so please join us if you can. Bring a picnic, blanket, chair etc. and join us on the field for lunch 12-1pm. Friends will be providing refreshments.

30th June - Residential to Hilltop, Sheringham for Y5/6.

3rd July – School disco – after school. More details on times to follow.

15th /16th July - Year 5/6 play

17th July- School reports home

18th July - Celebration assembly

22nd – 11am Leavers assembly for Y6 and any other children leaving. Parents of all leavers welcome. Early closing 1:15pm.

I hope this information is useful. We will add reminders to SeeSaw. As always please ask if you are not sure on anything or need further support. We appreciate that it is a busy time of year.

Parking RHSC

We have been asked by Reepham High school to politely ask you to not park in their school car park for collection and drop off times as the extra traffic is causing problems.

Transition day

Whilst the Year 6 children visit the high school, every child will have the opportunity to spend time with their new teacher to prepare for September. Other dates have also been arranged but this is the main event. I will be able to confirm the staff structure the week before so that you can prepare and chat at home.

Safeguarding

Please find a link to help when preparing/ supporting your child for change/transition.

Transitions and change | Mental Health Parent Guide | YoungMinds

We continue to proud of our school community. Thank you for your continued support.

Wishing you a restful break.

Caroline



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Certificates for May

Class	Inspire	Challenge	Succeed together
Kingfishers	Mia rose	Molly	Toby
Puffins	Jessica	Morgan	Abel
Goldfinches	Fred	Beatrice	Flo, Matilda and Georgie
Wrens	Sienna	Willow May	Scarlet
Woodpeckers	Marley	Olivia	Flynn
Doves	Whole Class	Whole Class	Whole Class

Upcoming dates for your diaries (please be aware these may be subject to change)

Fri 20th June Year 6 Leavers Photographs Fri 20th June Celebration Assembly, 2:40pm

Fri 20th June Summer Fete Mon 23rd June Sports Week Tues 24th June Sports Day

Mon 30th June Three Day Year 5 and Year 6 residential

Tues 15th July Year 5 and Year 6 Play Wed 16th July Year 5 and Year 6 Play

Fri 18th July Celebration Assembly, 2:40pm

Tuesday 22nd July Leavers Assembly 11am Y6 Parents/ Carers to attend. Early closing 1:15pm.

Please refer to the school's website for all term dates. Please remember we <u>do not</u> operate by Norfolk County Council school dates.