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July 18th 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

The last Newsletter of the year!

I can't quite believe we are at this point already. We have had a busy few weeks in school and I thank you for all your support. I know that we ask a lot from our families at the end of term with regards to trips, costumes, different lunch arrangements, getting children to plays, supporting them through transitions all whilst juggling your own lives and preparing for the holiday ahead. It is appreciated.

Please find dates at the bottom of the letter that we have already put in the calendar for the next academic year which I hope will help you plan.

Residential to Hilltop

Year 5 and 6 had a fun filled few days in Sheringham taking part in a wide range of outdoor and adventure activities. Thanks to all the staff who left their families for a few days to make this possible. A separate letter has been sent with an update for the next residential so please ask if you have not received this.

Robin and the Sherwood Hoodies

Thanks to Dove class and Woodpecker class for putting on a superb performance for us this week at RHSC. Once again, we were all treated to outstanding performances of acting and singing. Many people said after the show that it was a play they would happily have paid to go and watch, and they were blown away by the children's commitment and evident enjoyment for what they were doing. I am still laughing at many lines!

Lost property

The lost property bins will now be located in the bike shed and removed at the end of every half term. We are getting far too much and I thought this would make it very easy for you to find your children's clothes. Things with names on get returned straight away so please spend the summer naming everything.

Scarlett

We are incredibly proud of Scarlett in Year 4 for her winning design at the mini-COP. We will soon see her flag flying in the school grounds to remind us that we all have a voice and can make change happen.

Cost of a school lunch

From September, school lunches will be £2.60, a rise of 5p. Aspens will be available after school on September 26th to sample food and take feedback.



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Leavers' assembly

We will be holding an assembly on Tuesday 22nd July at 11am for Year 6 pupils and any other children leaving. Parents of these children are welcome and may I suggest arriving at 10:45 so that we can start promptly. We have a lot of memories to share!

Safeguarding

The Summer holidays can be a wonderful chance to spend quality time as a family. But this is not always the case! Six weeks can feel like a very long time, especially if you are trying to juggle work, childcare and entertaining your children. Mind has some support and advice for parents in navigating the Summer holidays. Please see the link below:

Supporting parents during school holidays | Mind

We wish Mrs Shorten the best of luck as she starts her maternity leave on Tuesday. We also wish Miss Norman good luck for her wedding this summer.

On behalf of everyone at Reepham Primary, I wish you a restful summer and look forward to welcoming children back to school on **Wednesday 3rd September 2025.**

Caroline Henry

Certificates for July

Class	Inspire	Challenge	Succeed together
Kingfishers	Rex	Alfred	Hudson
Puffins	Milo	Olivia	Jessica
Goldfinches	Raef/Aisha	Harriet	Martha
Wrens	Charlie	Tom	Harper/Elisan
Woodpeckers	Indie	Ella	Otis

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

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

September

1 st /2 nd	INSET DAYS
3 rd	Children back in school
29 th	Harvest Assembly
25 th	Parents evening for Y6 SATS tbc
26 th	Celebration Assembly/ Open Pm Maths/Cake sale Y6/ Aspens Parents display



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October

3 rd	Harvest festival
23/24	Reception New intake 2026 open mornings
24 th	Celebration Assembly/Cake sale Y5

November

3 rd	French week
11 th /13 th	Parents' evening
14 th	Children in Need
28 th	Celebration Assembly/ Cake sale Y4

December

5 th	Decorations day
5 th /8 th	Santas grotto tbc
10 th /11 th	KS1 play AM 9:30am
12 th	Celebration Assembly/ Cake sale Y3
16 th	Y3/4 play 2pm /6pm
18 th	Carol service at the church Y5/6 1:30pm
18 th	Christmas lunch
19th	Break up Normal time

January 2026

Weds 5 th /6th	INSET
7 th	Children return to school
30 th	Celebration Assembly/ open Pm English/ Cake sale Y2

February

6 th Feb	Number day
23 rd	Japan Week
27 th	Celebration assembly/ Cake sale Y1

<u>March</u>

5 th	World Book day
17 th / 19 th	Parents' evening
21 st	Red Nose Day
20 th	Celebration Assembly/ Open PM – Internet Safety/ Cake sale R/N
27 th	Break up Normal time

<u>April</u>

13 rd	Return to school
22 nd	World Earth day
24 th	Celebration Assembly

<u>May</u>

11 th	KS2 SATs
15 th	Celebration Assembly / Science Open PM



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<u>June</u>

Malawi week
Multiplication check for Year 4
Phonics screening week
Celebration Assembly
Sports week
Sports day
INSET

<u>July</u>

10 th	Celebration Assembly
14 th	Play y5/6 6pm
15 th	Play y5/6 6pm
17 th	Leavers assembly 10:30am
17 th	School closed at 1:15pm