

Head of School's Newsletter



22nd May 2026

Our Values this term are: Responsibility and Courage

Well it's been a busy couple of weeks and I think that both staff and pupils are ready for half term!

I just wanted to say well done to Year 6. They worked really hard during SATS week and showed real maturity when taking the tests. We will find out the results in July.

Some of our Year 5 and Year 6 pupils joined other schools in the Trust (Fressingfield, Laxfield and Stradbroke) on a residential visit to Hilltop, near Sheringham, in Norfolk, earlier this week and I was lucky enough to spend the first day with them. They had great fun taking part in adventurous activities such as the Tree Top Trail (try saying that quickly!) and the air jump. They also had a lovely walk into Sheringham, where they had an ice-cream.

KS 2 pupils have the excitement of preparing for the KS 2 performance in July. We will be performing **Little Red Riding Hood and the Wolf** based on Roald Dahl's revolting rhyme. Pupils have been informed of their parts today so they should start to learn their lines.

Our Reading Café held on Friday 15th May was very well attended by parents. Thank you so much if you were able to come along. We hope you enjoyed your time with us. If you have any feedback about the session please email the office as this will help us with planning of future events.

Share mornings: We hope you can join us for these sessions. Please make a note in your diary.

Rowan Class is holding their share morning on Thursday 4th June between 9 and 10am.

Ash Class is holding a share morning on Tuesday 23rd June between 9 and 10am.

Oak Class is holding a share morning on Thursday 11th June between *9.30 and 10.30am* Please note the later start time because of the church service.

There will be a church service, led by Rev. Gary, on Thursday 11th June 9–9.30am—everyone is welcome to attend.

General reminders

Things that pupils need to have in school every day please

- Reading books/reading records
- Water bottles
- Sun hat/coat (please look at the weather forecast)
- Suncream (or come to school wearing an all day formula)
- Trainers (Ash and Oak class are resuming laps around the field)

Uniform—we have plenty of good-quality 2nd hand uniform in the hall. Please take a look if your child has outgrown any of their current uniform (we still have a few more months to go!).

PE and Forest Schools—*PLEASE NOTE CHANGES FOR AFTER HALF TERM*

ALL pupils require PE kit on TUESDAYS. KS 2 also need PE kit on FRIDAYS. (NOT THURSDAYS THIS TERM)

Reception and KS1 need Forest School clothes on FRIDAYS as they will start their sessions this half term.

Dates to remember:

Tuesday 2nd June—Y3—6 West Stow visit, Friday 5th June—Year6 Bikeability, Wednesday 10th June—TMHS staff in to meet with Year 6 pupils, Thursday 18th June—Wilder schools (wear forest school clothes to school).

Parent meetings this term

Monday 15th June—3.30pm in school hall. Meeting to look ahead to September. Parents can book their child into after school club with the office to enable them to attend this meeting. The PTA will be providing refreshments.

Monday 22nd June—All parents of pupils with support plans will be invited to book a meeting with their child's class teacher to review support plans. Meetings will be available to book via Arbor.

Monday 29th June— Parents will be invited to book a meeting with their child's class teacher to discuss their child's progress and look forward to next year. If you book a meeting for the previous week because your child has a support plan, please don't feel you have to book for this week too as you will discuss your child's progress and next year with your child's teacher then. These meetings will be available to book via Arbor.

School reports—we are planning to send these out on Monday 13th July with your child at the end of the school day.

I hope you can join us for our share events. We look forward to welcoming you into school. As always if you have any queries about events in school please talk to myself or a member of staff.

I wish you all a wonderful half term break and look forward to seeing you on Monday 1st June.

Mrs Reeve