



## Glebeland Newsletter

Friday 15th May 2026



### Message from Miss Davies – Academy Head

#### LAMBS!

Thank you to our PTA for arranging and funding the lamb visit this week. All children in GLE and the Burrow thoroughly enjoyed the experience and learnt about animal offspring and their care.



#### Parental Survey

Thank if you have already responded. Please do use the QR code and share your feedback with us.

**Glebeland 2026 Summer Term  
Parental Survey**

*Please complete the survey by Monday 18th May*

## Green Fingers Gardening Club

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> May is our last Gardening Club. We have made huge improvements to our natural environment and are looking forward to seeing the changes through the years as our seeds and bulbs grow, and our saplings mature. Eventually our plum, apple and pear trees will also bear fruit.

### Creating our wild meadow...



### And pond dipping...



## Get Ready to Rock! iRock School of Music is Coming to Glebeland

iRock School of Music will soon be visiting our school for an interactive, live music experience on **Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> June, 2:30-3pm!** Parents are welcome to come along and join the fun, to see what iRock is all about. There is no expectation for families to sign up for private music lessons. If you do want to explore iRock, visit [Enrol | iRock Rock and Pop Band Lessons](#) and search for Glebeland. If you have any questions, the iRock team is happy to help. You can contact them at 0330 174 2655 or by email at [info@irockschool.com](mailto:info@irockschool.com).

### Half term holiday

Next week, **school is closed on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup>** for staff training followed by the half-term break. School will reopen on Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June for the second half of the Summer Term.

## Star of the Week

Robins



Well done Melanie for your fantastic effort in phonics and reading your book at home and in school.

Red Kites



Well done, Rosie, for making brilliant links in your learning during maths! You recognised and used multiplication, counting in 2s/200s, volume and capacity all in one question.

Sports Star



Well done, Iris! You were super engaged in all the activities and put in lots of effort throughout the lesson. Keep up the fantastic work!

## Message from Mrs Softley – Robins Class

This week has been full of creativity and exciting learning in Robins class.

In English, the Key Stage 1 children have been learning to write their own stories inspired by Goldilocks and the 3 Crocodiles by Michael Rosen. They have enjoyed creating imaginative characters and developing their own story ideas using the book as inspiration.

Our Early Years children also explored the story in their own creative way, imagining mysterious sea monsters and magical creatures that might hatch from eggs found on the beach. The children loved sharing their ideas and describing the creatures they discovered.

In Maths, Early Years children have been learning about sharing and grouping through practical activities and games. Meanwhile, Key Stage 1 children have been deepening their understanding of fractions, including learning about non-unit fractions.

The children have also enjoyed some fantastic creative projects this week. They painted bread to create unique pieces of artwork and designed moving plant pots using a lever mechanism to make the plants move up and down. It has been wonderful to see such imaginative thinking and teamwork throughout the week.

### **Message from Mr Lamoureux- Red Kites Class**

This week has been full of fantastic learning. In English, we have become reporters and have begun the process of writing our own newspaper reports. The children have been exploring the key features of newspaper writing and thinking carefully about how to inform their readers. In maths, we have been busy weighing mass and exploring volume and capacity, using practical activities to support our understanding. In science, we conducted our own research about animal gestation periods and compared how long different animals carry their young before birth. During RSHE, we discussed peer pressure, making positive choices and how our decisions can be influenced by others. In geography, we recognised and explored different river processes. In outdoor learning, we used natural resources creatively to design and make our own flowers and flower bed designs. We also continued developing our athletics skills in PE, practising throwing, running and jumping in competitive situations. The children showed great determination, teamwork and resilience throughout the week!

### **Message from Glebeland PTA**

The PTA have our own email address in which you can contact us directly. If you have any ideas or would like to join us, email us at [glebeland.pta@gmail.com](mailto:glebeland.pta@gmail.com)

### **Upcoming Events**



### Movie Night

Please join us for the showing of Zootropolis 2, Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> May, 3.15-5pm

Tickets are available from the office, Please enquire within.

## Events & Dates

### PTA Events

- Movie Night – Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> May, 3.15-5pm
- Father's Day Sports Afternoon – Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> June, 2.30 - 3pm
- **Summer Fete** – Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> July, 11-2pm

### Next Week...

- Monday 18<sup>th</sup> May, 3:15pm – 4:15pm – **Green Fingers Gardening Club** (our last session)
- Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> May, 3.15-4.15pm - **Sports Club** (last session)
- Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> May – **Class Assemblies:** 2-2:30pm Red Kites, 2:30-3pm Robins
- Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May – INSET – **School Closed**

### Coming Up...

- Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> – Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May – **Half term holiday**
- Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> June, 3:15-4:15pm – **Lego Club** - run by Mrs Softley and School Councillors
- Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> 11<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> June, 3:15-4:15pm – Mr Aalders-Dunthorne's **KS2 after-school club**
- Wednesdays dates tbc– 3:15-4:15pm – **Dance Club** – Mrs Buttigieg (Brooke's mummy)
- Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> June – 1-3pm – **Open day for new Reception children**
- Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> June – **Norfolk Show** – whole-school educational visit
- Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> June – **CMAT 10yr Anniversary Celebration** – details tbc
- Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> July (afternoon) – **Sports Day & PTA Colour Run**
- Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> July – 1-3pm – **Open day for new Reception children**
- Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> July – 9:30-10:30am - **Open Morning**

- Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> July – **Circus** – whole-school educational visit