

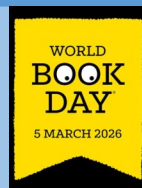
MPS Weekly Newsletter

Friday 27th February 2026



World Book Day - Thursday 5th March

We are taking part in World Book Day, and are celebrating in a variety of ways!

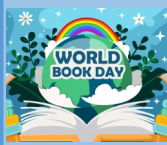


World Book Day Dress Up

We would like to encourage children to dress up as their favourite book characters. We can't wait to see some of the incredible outfits your children come up with!

Menu Changes

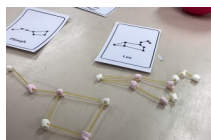
Norse as celebrating with a Winnie the Pooh themed lunch menu. It was sent to parents this week, but I have also attached a copy to the newsletter email.



Book Tokens

Your child will be coming home with their tokens today.

Year 5 had a fabulous Stargazing Evening. We were so lucky with the weather!



We enjoyed a range of activities, including creating our own constellations and listening to myths and facts about the planets. This image of the moon was taken through Mrs Mark's amazing telescope. Even Jupiter came to say hello!



Parent/Carer Workshops



Our next face to face Parent/Carer Workshop held at Taverham High School is Making Learning Stick (all ages) on Tuesday 10th March, 9.30-11.45am. See the website link below for more information on all the upcoming sessions.

[Dyslexia Outreach Support for Schools &](#)

Safe School Run Pledge

As a school we have signed up to the safe school run pledge. We want to provide our children, parents and the local community with the safest school run that we can. To help us do this, we are asking for your help.



If you see parking that isn't safe or vehicles parked where they shouldn't be, please report it: [Enforcement Requests – Parking Operations](#) or if there is a danger, you can report using [Parking issues and abandoned vehicles | Norfolk Constabulary](#).

As part of our pledge, we will be completing an activity a month. (Details will be sent out near the time of the event)

- 16-27th March: Big walk and Wheel
- Easter Holidays: Safe School Run Pledge Poster competition
- 18th-22nd May: Walk to School Week
- 19th June: Clean Air Day

Our children are eager to make their school run safe. We would really appreciate your support with the following:

- Walking to school if possible, or parking further from the school and walking the last part of the journey.
- Parking safely outside the school. Keeping the yellow zig-zag line outside the school gate free as this keeps the area clear so all road users can see the school entrance and keep our children safer on their way to and from school.
- Not parking on the pavement - pavements are important for our pupils walking to school. They need to be kept free of obstructions. This also enables the independence of the vulnerable, older or people with disabilities who may have visual or mobility impairments who need to use the path. This also allows families with pushchairs to safely walk on the pavement without having to walk into the road to go around vehicles parked on the pavement.
- Park considerately and think about the local resident who may need to access to their residence.
- Turning off my engine when parked (improving air quality keeping us healthier).
- Think about my speed: 20 is plenty!

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Calendar Dates

March

- 5th - World Book Day
 - Mobile Library Bus 3.15-3.45pm
 - 6th - PTA School Disco
 - 10th - Year 5 Maths Café: 9-10am
 - 11th - Reception Maths Café: 9-10am
 - Year 1 Maths Café: 2-3pm
 - 12th - Year 4 Maths Café: 9-10am
 - Step into NHS day
 - Year 2 Maths Café: 2-3pm
 - 13th - Orchestra at Music Festival
 - Year 3 Maths Café: 9- 10am
 - 16th - Barn Owls at Residential until Wednesday
 - 18th - Kestrels at Residential until Friday
 - Year 1 Multi Skills trip
 - Year 6 Maths Café: 2- 3pm
 - 19th - Parents' Evening
 - 23rd - Year 1 Wow Day
 - 24th - Year 3 and 4 Road Safety Show
 - Parents' Evening
 - 26th - Rock Steady concert Lower Hall 2-3pm
 - 30th - 13th April Easter Holidays**
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- 14th - Back to school
 - 15th - Year 4 Wow Day
 - Year 5 and 6 Netball team league game
 - 21st - SEND Active60
 - 28th - Class photos

SEN Café: 'How we support SEN at Mulbarton Primary School.'

We would like to invite parents of children with identified or emerging SEN needs to our next parent café on Thursday 19th March between 9 and 9:30. If you would like to attend this cafe, please fill in this form. [SEN Cafe – Fill in form](#)

Spring is coming!

The school site is starting to bloom and the children have loved seeing the flower beds begin to grow with the sunshine in the sky! Year 2 even asked if Miss Wyer thought parents would be getting paddling pools out this Wednesday after some brief sunshine!



Breakfast Club Won!

We were nominated for the Breakfast Club Tesco Community give away last month and we won! Rachel came from Tesco to deliver all the wonderful breakfast goodies that the children will enjoy eating their way through!



PTA

Pre-loved Uniform



Grounds To Unite

Fuelling futures on and off the pitch

Our PTA Pre-loved Uniform collection point at the office is now accepting football kits/ sports clothes as an official donation point for Grounds to Unite CIC. Grounds to Unite CIC is a local charity who fund youth football teams with subs, kits, and transport, and financially support wellbeing groups to tackle isolation and build community. They would welcome good condition sports clothes, football kits, boots, socks, shin pads. We are not collecting trainers.



Step into NHS Day - 12th March

If you, or somebody you know works for the NHS, in any capacity, we would love to have visitors talk to classes about their role and experiences. Whatever your role, we want to hear from you or your friends and family! Please use the form link below: [Step into NHS Day – Fill in form](#)



Volunteering

We are looking for reading champions for Reception and Year 4. If you are able to help, please complete the form below. [Reading Champions – Fill in](#)

MPS Friday Bulletin



Notice to Parents/Carers re Forest School.

Dear Parents/Carers

We are delighted to welcome Miss Laniardo back to school next week for a phased return to her full time teaching commitment.

Therefore, your child will need to ensure they have their Outdoor Learning clothes and wellies ready for their sessions.

- Year 5 will start from Wednesday 4th March
- Year 4 will start from Thursday 5th March
- Year 1 will start Tuesday 10th March
- Year 3 will start from Wednesday 25th March

Attachments:

- Neurodiversity parent leaflet
- Premier Sport Club information: Gymnastics
- Premier Sport Club information: Dodgeball
- Crusaders Rugby Club - Mini's offer

Reminders

- Year 1 Multi Skills trip consent
- Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 Scratch Canva consent request

Sent this week:

- Whole school parent survey
- KS2 Scratch and canva consent request
- Whole School Maths Café invitations

Coming Soon:

- Parents Evening information
- Extended Schools invoices for February