



John Blow Primary School
Weekly Bulletin – Friday 12th June May 2026



Update to parents
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Staffing Update for September 2026

Following a slight adjustment to our staffing arrangements for the next academic year, I am pleased to confirm the class teacher structure for September:

- FS2 – Mrs Bingham
- Year 1 – Miss Rainey
- Year 2 – Miss Milner
- Year 3 – Miss Hollingsworth
- Year 4 – Mr Newberry
- Year 5 – Mr Barnard
- Year 6 – Mr Straw

Miss Ball will continue to play a key role across the school, providing Planning, Preparation and Assessment (PPA) cover and taking a lead role in the delivery of our phonics programme across EYFS and Key Stage 1 as part of our implementation of the Little Wandle scheme. This is an exciting opportunity to further strengthen the quality and consistency of phonics teaching while also enhancing our PPA provision.

I am also delighted to announce that we have secured the services of Mr West for a full day each week from September. This will provide valuable support for our PE and sports provision. You may have seen recent national news regarding reductions to the Sports Premium funding available to schools; however, we are working hard to ensure that pupils continue to benefit from the same high-quality PE and sporting opportunities despite these financial pressures.

Now that staffing arrangements have been finalised, we will begin our transition programme, giving children opportunities to spend time with their new teachers and become familiar with their new learning environments ahead of September.

We are also fortunate to have a wonderful team of Assistant Teachers (ATs) who work across the whole school. We will continue with this flexible approach, enabling staff to support pupils where they are needed most and helping to build the strong, positive relationships that we believe form the foundation of successful learning.

Photographs on the website...

Sports Day 2026

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Look at what we have been up to in June! -

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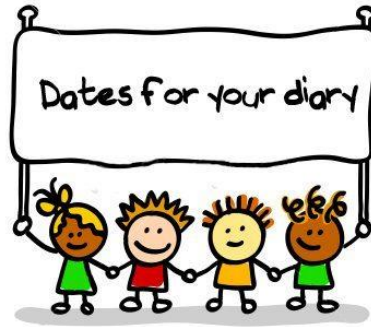
Year 5 had a wonderful day at Devon and Sconce Park as part of a Safety Day -

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Above and Beyond

Well done to this week's recipients:

EYFS	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
Edward Lyra-Bella Otis Luca	Lottie Noa Sofia x 2 Bonnie Year 1	Alfie Josie Meshach Annabel Evelyn	Max Robyn Alby Remi	Reuben x 2 Elliot Stanley	Ryan (Freddie's dad!) Lily Fraya Edward Lottie	Izabella Harry D Lillian Rafe Pippa



Summer Term 2 – 2025-2026 Bulletin Dates

w/c Monday 15th June

Mentoring – Starter: What helps you stay calm when you're nervous? Discussion: How can we prepare for changes and new starts?

Music Journey – Artists and genres chosen by children

Monday 15th June

- Assembly – National School Sports Week, TS
- KS2 visit to Lexus Nottingham Open, invitation only, RE & TS

Tuesday 16th June

- Assembly – We are kind & thoughtful, EM

Wednesday 17th June

- Mentoring
- KS2 cricket festival at Collingham CC – BC and AA out
- Y6 transition event, invitation only, TS

Thursday 18th June

- Share a Story, ER
- LKS2 visit to Horrible Histories
- Newark & District Athletics Competition (pm)

Friday 19th June

- Assembly – Above & Beyond
- Y1 Multi-Skills, EVENT CANCELLED

w/c Monday 22nd June

Mentoring – Starter: What would your perfect summer holiday look like? Discussion: What will you take with you from this year?

Music Journey – Artists and genres chosen by children

Monday 22nd June

- No assembly due to Haiku performance
- Haiku Performance (am)

Tuesday 23rd June

- Assembly – What does it mean to be a great learner, BB
- ComputerXplorers Programming, Y1-Y6
- Y5 history visit

Wednesday 24th June

- Mentoring
- ComputerXplorers programming, Y1-Y6

Thursday 25th June

- Share a Story, CN

Friday 26th June

- Assembly – Above & Beyond

w/c Monday 29th June

Mentoring – Final Reflection, Starter: What are you proud of from this year? Discussion: What are your hopes and goals for the future?

Music Journey – Artists and genres chosen by children

Monday 29th June

- UKS2 play dress rehearsal
- 1.30pm – KS2 play

Tuesday 30th June

- 9.30am – KS2 play

Wednesday 1st July

- Mentoring
- EYFS & KS1 musical performance, invitation only (pm)
- Tuxford Academy Transition

Thursday 2nd July

- Share a Story, TS
- Collingham in Bloom judging
- Sir Robert Pattinson Academy Transition
- Tuxford Academy Transition

Friday 3rd July

- Assembly – Above & Beyond
- Sir Robert Pattinson Academy Transition
- Tuxford Academy Transition

w/c Monday 6th July

Mentoring – End of year mentoring group awards

Music Journey – Artists and genres chosen by children

Monday 6th July

- Assembly – Class Dojos, BC
- Twinlakes Class Dojo Reward Visit

Tuesday 7th July

- Assembly – World Chocolate Day, BB
- KS2 Wimbledon trip, invitation only

Wednesday 8th July

- Mentoring
- KS2 musical performance (pm)
- 3.30 – 4.30pm – Y6 Fund Raising Sale, further information to follow

Thursday 9th July

- Share a Story, BC

Friday 10th July

- Assembly – Above & Beyond
- 2.00 – 4.00pm – FOJB inflatables afternoon

w/c Monday 13th July

Music Journey – Artists and genres chosen by children

Monday 13th July

- Assembly – Summary of 2025-2026, BC
- Y1 trip to Sherwood Forest

Tuesday 7th July

- Assembly – Reflecting and looking forward, BB

Wednesday 8th July

- Mentoring

Thursday 9th July

- Share a Story, KTB

Friday 10th July

- Assembly – Above & Beyond

w/c Monday 20th July

Music Journey – Artists and genres chosen by children

Monday 20th July

- Assembly – Preparing to move on, BC
- Y6 Leavers' Trip (arrangements TBC)
- Whole school DT Day

Tuesday 21st July

- Assembly – A new school year, what to look forward to, TS

Wednesday 22nd July

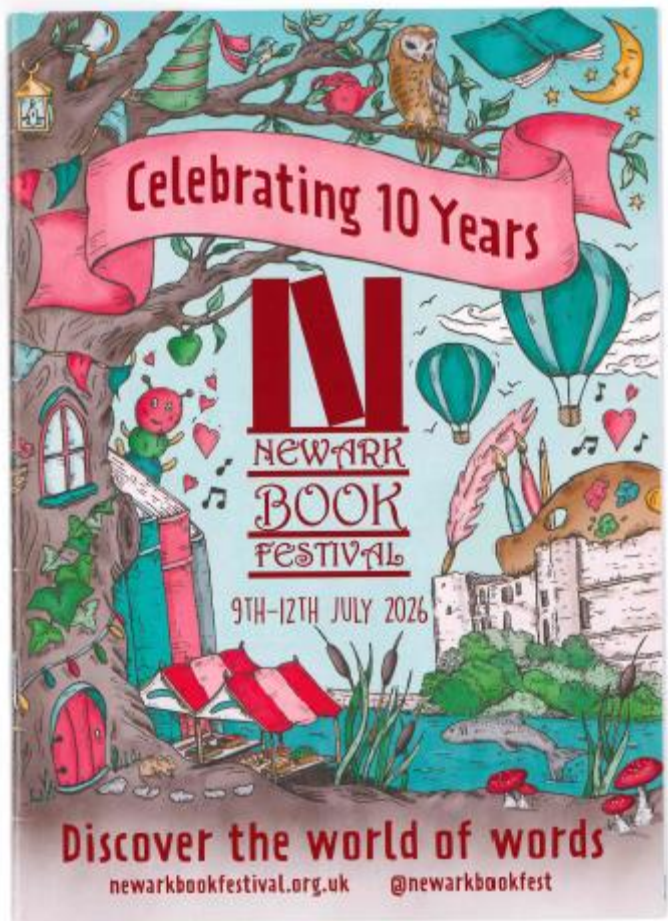
- Mentoring

Thursday 23rd July

- 9.00 – Merit Assembly (invitation only)

Friday 24th July

- 9.00am – Assembly, Y6 Leavers
- Read with a relative morning
- 3.30pm – END OF TERM



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