

'Growing together at the Heart of God's Community'

28th April 2023 - Our "Value for life" is "Creation".

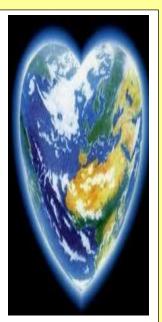
"Let there be light" and there was light. Genesis 1:3



Head Teacher's Hello

Dear all,

This week in school we have been considering God's creation – our world, and children have been reflecting how we are going to all contribute to looking after it. I heard one year 1 child say he would sweep up all the litter in the world ...I love the ambition and its true, that each one of us that do one small part would make a huge difference to look after our world. We have been working hard again in school this week, lots of learning... have you checked out twitter? We have lots of learning and smiles for you to see. We have also officially launched our EYFS app -Tapestry this week, this is where our younger children have observations posted for parents and carers to see learning in action.



Our Ethos group are working hard on the coronation party that we are having soon, please check out the letter sent home and details in the newsletter below, if you would like to join us you will be very welcome for a cup of tea and a slice of cake!

School Council are also discussing how to have another food bank drive to

help those in these difficult times, more news will follow of how they would like us all to help. As you can see your children are being so responsible and caring – I am so proud of them. "*The world is the Lords in all its fullness Psalm 24:1*" Mrs Mowbray.

We are a church school...

Embracing Christian values -

Children are collecting used shoes (or even new ones) to help others- Hand crafted posters coming soon...can you help by donating your shoes?

Education update: where we inform on educational research and thinking.

What are Big Ideas?

These are key facts relating to your child's topic, we put these together to inform the children and help them retain the knowledge that will be taught and explored, we use these in class and children can look back and refresh their knowledge. Next week...why do we use mind maps?

The HEART of our Curriculum:

- H Helping children prepare for life, growing with God.
- E Embracing Christian Values.
- A Achievement for all.
- R Reading at the heart of our school
- T Teaching a knowledge rich curriculum.

Our Trust's Prayer Heavenly Father, Let peace, friendship and love grow in our schools. Send the Holy Spirit to give excellence to our learning, love to our actions and joy to our worship. Guide us to help others, so that we may all Learn, Love and Achieve, Together with Jesus. Amen

<u>Teachers Strike – Tuesday 2nd May 2023</u>

As you may be aware the NEU Teaching Union have called its members to commence strike action on Tuesday 2nd May 2023.

At Glazebury CE Primary School we have a number of teachers in the union who will be exercising their right to strike, and as a result, our school will be partially open.

We will be closed to pupils in Reception, Class 3 (year 3 and year 4) and year 5 on Tuesday 2nd May 2023. We will be open for children in nursery, class 2 (year 1 and year 2) and year 6 who will be in school.



The Coronation of King Charles III – we will be celebrating the Kings Coronation next Friday 5th May in the afternoon with a party and we have 2 plans according to the weather on the day.

Children can come to school in red, white, or blue clothes – or all 3 colours on Friday if they wish.

A letter has been sent home with details of all the celebrations that will take place.

Plan A - Parents and carers are welcome to join us for a traditional cup of tea and slice of coronation. cake at 2pm.

Plan B if it rains – We will be able to fit all the children in the hall and go ahead with the celebrations, but unfortunately this will mean we there will be no room for parents and carers, so let us all keep our fingers crossed that the weather is kind to us,

School Council – met this week and Joshua, year 6 said 'we talked about the Kings Coronation and what we could do on the day to celebrate '



Gardening Club – are asking for your help. They would be very grateful if you have any fruit or vegetable plants or any bedding plants that you can donate, the children would love to plant them in the school gardens to make them look beautiful and grow our own produce. Please contact Mrs Holcroft in the school office on

01925 763234 if you can help. Thank you in advance.



Glazebury C.E. Primary School and Nursery Nursery Open Morning – Saturday 20th May 2023 from 10am to 12 noon





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foodbank **CHILDREN'S SHOE DONATIONS**

Glazebury CE Primary School will be collecting pre-used good condition children's shoes of all sizes and age groups, this can be any children's shoes not just school shoes.

Warrington Food Bank were so delighted with the support they received from us last winter when we collected and donated so many winter coats that they have asked for our help again with their shoe collection.

If you have any children's shoes that you no longer require, we greatly accept your kind donations. Please drop them off at the school office.



New School Meals Menu. Please find attached a copy of the new school menu. Thank you.

ParentPay Breakfast Club, Extended Provision and School Dinners - please can we kindly remind parents and carers who have children attending Breakfast Club, Extended Provision or access school dinners please can you prevent your account from going into arrears and credit your account for all services accessed in advance. Thank you for your cooperation,

Important Dats List – Please find attached Summer Term Dates List. Please check this list regularly as dates can change. Thank you.

Birthdays Celebrated 21st April – Joshua 22nd April – Emily 22nd April - Henry 25th April - Elsie





Cheshire Cricket are running All Stars Cricket offering fantastic opportunities for children to enjoy a new hobby. All Stars Cricket aim to engage 5-8 year old children and their parents/carers in a fun and inclusive activity that promotes healthy living: <u>https://www.ecb.co.uk/play/all-stars</u> Dynamos Cricket offers a great entry opportunity for children aged 8-11 to start or continue their cricket journey. <u>https://www.ecb.co.uk/play/dynamoscricket</u> Parents/carers can simply tap their postcode into the websites above to find their nearest centre, All children who sign up to the All Stars programme receive a 'Participation Pack' which includes a

backpack, bat, ball and activity booklet and those who sign up to Dynamos Cricket receive a personalised training shirt.

Glazebury CC will be running on the following dates/times:

All Stars Cricket – Saturdays – from 20th May – 9.45am to 10.30am.

Dynamos Cricket – Fridays from 19th May – 6.30pm to 7.30pm.

Early booking is recommended due to high demand for places.







May Bank Holidays – Monday 1st May, Monday 8th May and Monday 29th May are all Bank Holidays and school will be closed.

Head Teachers Award James for showing his riding skills on the bike...impressive. Genevieve for sharing her reading skills with me. Thank you. Shea for being a good friend by including others in play. Cora for completing extra work with Mrs Mowbray. I am proud of you. Sophie for looking after the class environment - showing the Christian value of creation. Lincoln for being a wonderful role model and being so polite to children and adults. I am proud of you. Jack for including others and being a good friend especially in basketball. Emily for going the extra mile in school life and work at

home. I am proud of you.

Personal Development Award

Millie

for amazing writing skills showing clear letter formation.

Genevieve

for her devotion to reading at home.

Harriet

for excellent focus on her work and having a good attitude to learning. We are proud of you!

Isaac

for joining in and becoming more confident at school. You have been a lovely friend too.

Libby

for knowledge and understanding to solve some tricky fraction reasoning problems.

Holly and Tyler

for your absolute determination, perseverance and focus in math this week. I am very proud of you.

Jaxon

for his hard working attitude during math and always making us smile.

Thomas

for his engagement in PE lessons and skills.

Golden Tickets

🕬 Nursery – Charlie, Harry W, Mila, Millie, Rosie, Sofia, Spencer.

🌌 Reception – Genevieve, Fraser, Isla-Mae, Lucas, Molly-May.

🐖 Class 2 – ~Annabelle, Betty, Caleb, Charlie, Oscar, Cora, George, Guinevere, William.

Class 3 – Alice, Gemima, Holly, Jaxx, Lewis, Lincoln, Lucy, Noah, Oliver G, Olivia, Sophie, Tyler, Xanthe.

Class 4 – Belle, Freya, Freya-Mae, Gabrielle, Jack, Jaxon, Maisie, Noah, Owen, Perle, Sanam, Sienna, Tyler, Arthur, Daniel, Ella, Emily, Gabriel, Joseph, Luca, Riley, Theo, Thomas, William.

ATTENDANCE Whole school attendance so far, this academic year is 94.6% Glazebury School attendance target is 97% Attendance for Week Commencing Monday 24 th April 2023	
Miss Bimson - Reception attendance	91.2%
Mrs Smith-Year 1 attendance	96.7%
Mrs Smith - Year 2 attendance	100% Well done!
Mrs Goman-Year 3 attendance	100% Well done!
Mrs Goman-Year 4 attendance	96.2%
Miss Green - Year 5 attendance	93.1%
Mrs Wall - Year 6 attendance	98.1%