

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

10th March 2023 - Our "Value for life" is "Forgiveness".

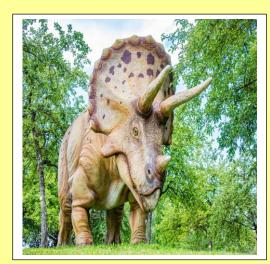
"Forgive and you will be forgiven". Luke 6:37



Head Teacher's Hello

Dear all

This week has literally flown by, we have had a rather unusual time in school and have had a dinosaur attack in Reception! The floor was strewn with items and footprints were found on the floor. The children investigated and all wrote telling me which dinosaur they thought damaged our class! Many of the children thought it may have been the T-Rex, I was more inclined to think it may have been the Triceratops, they have three horns that may just have got in the way! Year 3 and 4 have been practicing for their PAN performance – I really can't wait to see them perform on stage.



As part of our love of reading and knowing that Reading is at the heart of our school, we are going to have a class competition ...more details to follow next week.

"The grass withers, the flowers fade, but the word of God will last forever." Isaiah 40:8

Mrs Mowbray



We are a church school... Embracing Christian Values

We are reflecting how we can all show our lovely Reverend Jan how much she means to us all as she prepares us all for her retirement. We will of course be making our Easter service on Friday 31st March a special one and welcome all to join us.



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

One of the upcoming trends in education to watch out for is the "Genius Hour" This is a fairly new technique that allows children to work on self-paced and self-chosen projects for an hour a day, this encourages children to practice their creativity and independent thinking skills and attributed to create a love of learning...watch this space in the educational landscape.

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.



PAN Exhibition – Class 3 are making a wreath for PAN as part of the artwork this year using unwanted bits and pieces. We would like to ask if you have any unwanted bits and pieces that your child could bring into school? They need to be small items that would fit in a Christmas cracker such as tiny toys, key rings, plastic figures etc. Thank you.

Non-Uniform Day – Friday 17th March please be aware it is non uniform day for the whole school where we kindly ask for donations of chocolate eggs to be used in our ever popular Easter bingo event which will be held on 21st March. More information to follow! You will notice this is also Red Nose Day, Glazebury Primary will be supporting this worthy cause with a donation to the charity, but we will not be asking parents and carers for donations.

Flasks - during this cold weather children like to bring in a flask as an alternative to a cold lunch, although we are happy for children to bring in a flask containing pasta or rice, after Health and Safety Risk Assessments, we have been informed children are not allowed to bring hot soup in flasks as this can result in scalding. I am sure you will work with us to help keep our children safe which is of the upmost importance to us all. Thank you.

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 - Wednesday and</u> <u>Thursday 15th and 16th March.</u>

As you may be aware the NEU Teaching Union have called its members to commence strike action on Wednesday 15th March and Thursday 16th March 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 2 (Year 1 and Year 2) Class 3 (Year 3 and 4) and Year 5.
We are open for Nursery, and Year 6 and they will be in school.
Details will be sent home regarding plans for any subsequent strike days,

Water Bottles – we have now received a delivery of Glazebury logo water bottles and lids. If your child needs a new water bottle and/or lid, please make your payment on ParentPay. Bottles with lids are £2.00 and lids are 50 pence each, you can collect your bottles and lids from the school office.

School Dinner Reminder - Please can we remind you to pay for your child's school dinner on ParentPay in advance. It is Warrington Borough Council's year end on Friday 31st March so please ensure your account is NOT in debt on this date as we cannot have any outstanding money.

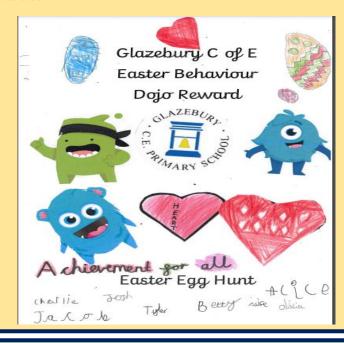
Thank you Farmer Berties Ltd

A massive thank you to the owners of Farmer Berties Pumpkin Patch who have kindly replaced our car booster seats that were solen from our minibus. The children are really looking forward to going out in our minibus again and we would not have been able to do this without this kind donation.



School Council - Glazebury Primary School Council have come together to share the news that our Easter Dojo reward this term is an Easter Egg Hunt, which will take place on Friday, 31st March 2023. This demonstrates our achievement for all children throughout the spring term. We cannot wait to share our summer reward details with you all!

We are also delighted to announce we have two new members of our school council, welcome Betty and Charlie!









All Singers Great and Small present their latest concert *'Leaving the Land.'*Including singalong popular songs and a short story.

At: All Saints Church, Glazebury
On: Saturday March 18th 2023 at 7pm

Tickets: £5 including refreshments from Jan 01942 671481 jan.harney29@gmail.com

Golden Tickets

- Nursery Archer, Charlie, Clark, Francie, George R, Harley, Harry P, Leo, Mila, Pippa, Rosie, Sofia, Spencer.
- Reception Well done reception who all received a dojo this week for trying really hard.
- Class 2 Well done class 2 everyone received a golden ticket this week.
- Class 3 Alice, Camilla, Emily, Evan, Gemima, Jaxx, Noah, Olivia, Rory, Sophie, Xanthe.
- Class 4 Everyone in class 4 received a golden ticket this week.

ATTENDANCE

Whole school attendance so far, this academic year is 95.4% Glazebury School attendance target is 97%

Attendance for Week Commencing Monday 6th March 2023

Acceptance for Week Conditionally 1 March 2023				
Ms Reid - Reception attendance	95.6%			
Mrs Smith- Year 1 attendance	96.7%			
Mrs Smith - Year 2 attendance	97.3%			
Mrs Goman- Year 3 attendance	95.6%			
Mrs Goman- Year 4 attendance	98.5%			
Miss Green - Year 5 attendance	96.7%			
Mrs Wall - Year 6 attendance	95.6%			



Head Teachers Award

Archer

for a lovely smile and sharing his toys.

Isla-Mae

for singing and dancing in collective worship.

Wonderful.

Guinevere

for being a wonderful friend and inviting others to join in.

Jessica

for always sharing her learning with others.

I am proud of you.

Rory

for showing kindness and friendship at dinner break, with friends.

Noah

for showing determination and kindness to others.

Dexter

for excellent listening skills whilst acquiring new skills (rounders).

Perle

for demonstrating to others what forgiveness looks like. I am proud of you.

Joshua

for showing putting others first, can be the kindest thing.



Personal Development Award

Rosie

for showing an interest in nursery rhymes and growing in confidence.

Fraser

for beautiful work at all times.

Harriet

for growing in confidence and participating fully in everything we do in class.

Annabelle

for a superb description of a pond linked to our text 'Tadpoles Promise.'

Alice

for working so hard in English, writing about Vesuvius.

Noah

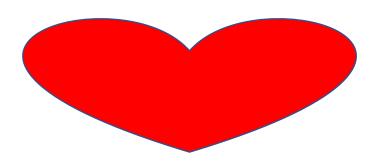
for his enthusiasm and hard work in English this week, writing about the eruption of Vesuvius in 79 AD.

Austin

for his great learning attitude and showing resilience when facing challenges.

Luca

for his fantastic leadership in his Attendance Officer role.



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Love never fails - 1 Corinthians