



Ghost Hill Newsletter

27th March 2026

A message from Mrs Westall

We've had a wonderful week at Ghost Hill. On Wednesday, we welcomed our Trustees for a planned visit. Their time with us included a learning walk around the school, conversations with some of our children, and a meeting with me to discuss our current priorities and progress. The feedback was incredibly positive—they were especially impressed with our work on Character Education and how it is helping to maintain such a strong, supportive school culture.

Our Lockdown Drill also took place this week and went very smoothly. The children were absolutely fantastic—calm, sensible, and a real credit to the school.

Today, our Year 1 and 2 Dance Club are taking part in their dance show. I'm very excited to watch their performance this evening and will be heading over after school. A huge well done to all the children involved!

A big thank you to Jenny Beckingham, Friends of School and their team of helpers for organising the Easter Fayre. We are very grateful for all your hard work. It was a happy sunny event!

We have appointed Mrs Hassall as an HLTA in place of Mrs Gillings. We don't yet have a start date, but when we do, she will cover the same classes Mrs Gillings taught. Mrs Michael will continue with the SEMH sessions.

Wishing you all a lovely Easter holiday. We look forward to welcoming the children back to school on Wednesday 15th April.

Year 2 School Trip to The Bug Parc

It was a wonderful day, and the children were so well behaved. This was noticed by the owner of the Bug Parc. Well done Year 2!



Well done Year 1 for their day of Art on Tuesday.

The children created a piece of art using Clarice Cliff's 'Circle Tree' pottery as inspiration. Their focus of the day was primary and secondary colours.



Year 2 Art work

Well done to Year 2 for their wonderful Art work, 'Castle on the Hill.' Does anyone have any links to Ed Sheeran?!



Our Year 2 Communication Leaders want to say hello through the medium of paper bags!



Tesco Blue Tokens



Please look out for Ghost Hill token drop in the local Tescos. Thank you to Friends of School for making this happen.

It will read:

Playground equipment and improvements for the children of Ghost Hill School to support their health, wellbeing and physical development.



Class Photos are Wednesday 6th May. Please can children who do PE that day come in school uniform and the PE lesson will be adapted.

A Special Mention from Mrs Westall

Try Hard, be Brave, Be You.



Character virtue – Teamwork

Well done to Dulcie in Hedgehog Class for being so helpful at lunchtimes. Dulcie notices when jobs need doing and helps the adults, working well as a team.

Ready, Respectful, Safe



Sports News

Such a super term for achievements in school and outside school! Year 2 have done so well with their swimming lessons and they are so pleased with their accomplishments.

Year 1 have been enhancing their balancing skills and learning to ride their bikes with little riders, it was lovely seeing their confidence yesterday.

Dance club will be performing today with other schools- we will update you after the holidays on how we got on!

In Summer term we look forward to more school sports partnership events and Elise from school sports partnership will visit to work with classes about staying healthy!

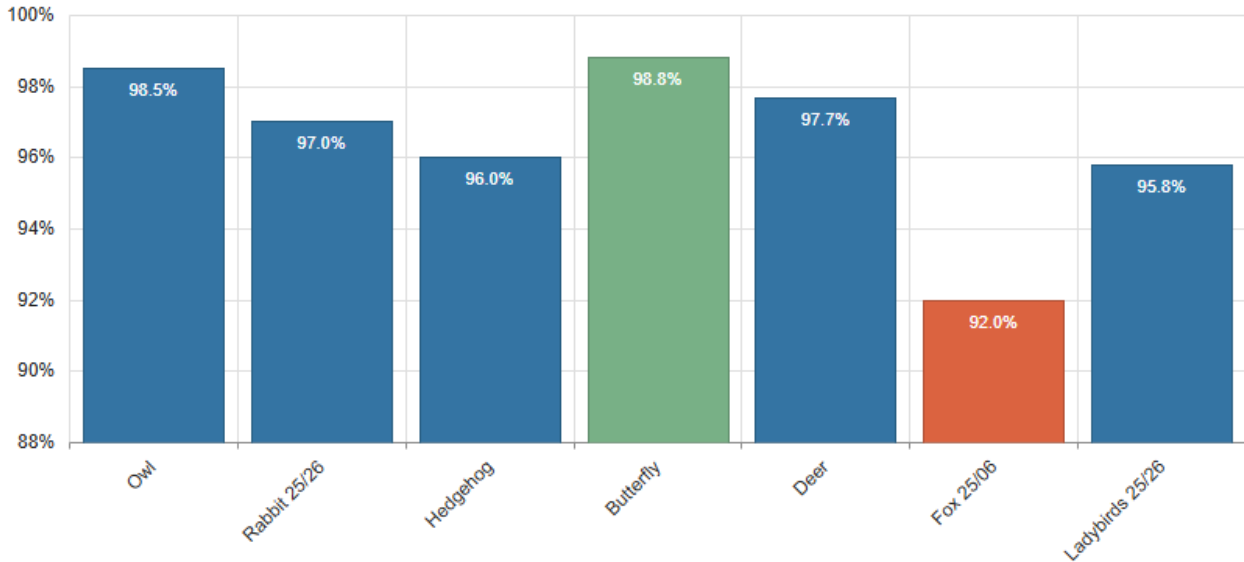
Tom Kenny from National Tennis will be visiting the school to deliver taster sessions on Monday the 20th April. He will be starting his tennis after school club the following week on Tuesday the 28th of April. These sessions will run for the rest of the term. This is an awesome opportunity to develop confidence with tennis skills and is always delivered in a fun, enthusiastic way by Tom!

Have a super active Easter!

Mrs Woollorton and Mrs Everett



Well done **Butterfly class for 98.8 %** attendance this week, closely followed by Owl class with 98.5% !!



The trust attendance target is **97%**

Ghost Hill Infant and Nursery School current attendance this week is **96.5%**



Designated Safeguarding Leads

Mrs Westall, Mrs Hamill, Mrs Michael, Mrs Ferguson

These members of staff monitor and manage all safeguarding practices and ensure staff are supported and have the training they need. Please ask to see one of these adults if you are worried about the safety of a child at school.

If you have a safeguarding concern about a child out of school hours, then the number to ring is:

CADS – Children’s Advice and Duty Service - 0344 800 8020.

Please see the most recent Online Newsletter on our school website:

[GHOST HILL INFANT AND NURSERY SCHOOL](#)



Information:

Please ensure push notifications for the my child at school app are switched on.

- All booking and amendments for lunches and wraparound care need to be made 24hrs in advance.
- Please order your child's lunch on the MYCAS app. This is a great opportunity for you to discuss the lunch options with your child and encourages them to try new foods. The new lunch menu has been added to MYCAs for the Summer term.
- Please check the data collection and the parental consents tabs for your child/ children to ensure the information we hold for you is up to date and correct. To revoke any parental consents, please email to school office.

If you do not have MYCAS and would like access, please speak to Mrs Ferguson in the school office.

Please use the school office email address for any future emails. Office@ghosthill.set.education

Breakfast and After school club contact number

Please be aware breakfast and after school club has its own contact number. Should you need to reach them, please call 01603 558807

Breakfast and Afterschool club sessions are available to book on our 'my child at school' app.

Bookings are now available for next half term (15/04/2026- 22/05/2026)

Afterschool clubs for next term.

Please see the list below for teacher led clubs for the summer term. Please only book your child on to one club to give as many children as possible an opportunity to attend.

Bookings for teacher led clubs will be available from 6.00pm this afternoon on MYCAS.

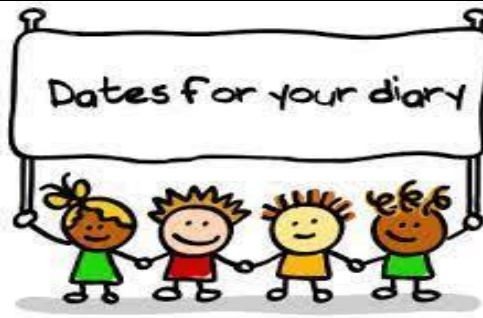
Club	Teacher	Day	Available to:
Art Club	Mrs Ulph	Monday (6 weeks) 27/04,11/05, 18/05,01/06,08/06, 15/06	Yr 1 & 2. Places offered to those previously due to attend.
Outdoor Story Club/ Forest school	Mrs Goolding	Wednesday (4 weeks) 29/04,06/05,13/05, 20/05	Reception, Yr 1 & 2
Colouring Club	Mrs Adkins	Monday (4 weeks) 01/06, 08/06, 15/06, 22/06	Reception, Yr 1 & 2
Girls Football Club	Miss Davies	Fridays (6weeks) 01/05, 08/05, 15/05, 22/05, 05/06, 12/06	Reception, Yr 1 & 2
Music Club	Mrs Westall	Fridays (6weeks) 01/05, 08/05, 15/05, 22/05, 05/06, 12/06	Reception, Yr 1 & 2
Family Cycling	Mrs Everett	Mondays Afterschool starting 27/04 until 4.00pm on the school playground.	Everyone welcome. Parents to attend. No need to book a place.

We will also have the following clubs available during the summer term for years 1 & 2. These are paid for clubs. Places are booked directly, using the following links.

Gymnastics-Thursday afterschool [Jolly Gymnastics afterschool club](#)

Football -Monday afterschool. [Football afterschool club](#)

Tennis- Tuesday afterschool [Tennis afterschool club](#)



Any dates that are added each week will be highlighted for easy reference.

Summer Term 2026 Dates	
Wednesday 15 th April	Summer Term starts for children
Tuesday 21 st April	Year 1 School Trip to How Hill
Tuesday 28 th April 1.20pm	Reception Sports afternoon for parents.
Monday 4 th May	School closed – Bank Holiday
Wednesday 6 th May	Class Photos
Friday 8 th May	Friends of School Crazy Hair Day event . £1 donation.
Wednesday 20 th May 1.20pm	Year 1 Sports afternoon for parents.
Thursday 14 th May 1.20pm	Year 2 Sports afternoon for parents.
Monday 25 th to Friday 29 th May	HALFTERM
W/b 8 th June	Year 1 National Phonics check and Y2 retakes
Tuesday 9 th June PM	Friends of School Marvellous Men Giftshop
Wednesday 10 th June	Open Evening for new intake 5.30pm
Friday 12 th June	Reception School Trip to Gressenhall
Thursday 18 th June 9.30am	Sports Day for Reception, Year 1 and 2.
Thursday 25 th June 9.30am	RESERVE sports day for R,1,2
Tuesday 30 th June 11am	Nursery sports day + family picnic
Thursday 2 nd July	Year 2 Multisports and Music day at Taverham Junior School – in school hours – Ghost Hill staff to take and collect.
Tuesday 7 th July	Reserve Nursery sports day
Wednesday 8 th and Thursday 9 th July	Year 2 transition days to Taverham Junior School. Parents to take and collect from the Junior School. More info will follow.
Friday 10 th July	Friends of School Summer Fayre
Friday 17 th July 9.30am	Year 2 Leavers Show
Friday 17 th July	Last Day of Term

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Key: White dates - school open to pupils, Yellow dates - pupil holiday, Blue dates - Staff Training (school closed – pupil holiday), Red dates - bank holiday for staff and pupils.



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Where - Aylsham Library
When – Thursday 9th April 2026 1:00pm – 4:00pm

To book a place email –
cspartnercommunitybroadland@norfolk.gov.uk
with :

- Your preferred time, (sorry, we are unable to guarantee this but will give you the nearest time available).
- Names and date of birth of children to be seen by the dentist.
- Your postcode and a contact phone number.

You will receive an email confirming that you have an appointment by Thursday 2nd April.





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Dyslexia Services

Dyslexia Awareness
Saturday 18th April
10am to 12pm



You are warmly invited to our free open morning, aimed at parents who would like to learn more about dyslexia and how to support your child:

- Chat with one of our specialist teachers
- Find out more about dyslexia
- Seek advice and support
- Meet other parents
- Look at useful resources and books to use at home



You can find our office at
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info@shiningstarsdyslexiaservices.co.uk



JUNIOR TENNIS CAMP

Reepham Tennis Club
Hellesdon Community
Tennis
Taverham Tennis Club

30th March - 3rd April 2026
9am-1pm / 9-11:30am / 12-2:30pm
5-10 / 11-16 years

Action packed holiday camps with team challenges, tennis skills, games and prizes.



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Cracking crafts this Easter **FREE Family fun activities**

Hop along this Easter holiday for some
FREE family fun!

Get creative with Easter crafts to make and take home, enjoy scavenger hunts, and settle in for some egg-citing Easter stories!

Where: Taverham Playing field (Next to Taverham library) Sandy Ln, Taverham, NR8 6JR.

In the case of rain or other extreme weather we will be inside the library.

When: Thursday 2nd April 2026

Time: 11am - 1:00pm

There is no need to book so just turn up on the day and join in with lots of fun.



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