

ROBY PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

JOIN US THIS THURSDAY FOR OUR ANNUAL FAMILY COLOUR RUN

We are really looking forward to welcoming families to our annual Colour Run this Thursday. Please remember that all sponsor forms and sponsorship money are due in on Thursday. Let's come together and raise as much as we can for our chosen charities. We are also hoping that representatives from each of the charities will be able to join us for the afternoon.

Colour Run timings:

- Nursery & Reception: 12.45 – 1.15pm
- Y1, Y2 & Y3: 1.30 – 2.00pm
- Y4, Y5 & Y6: 2.15 – 2.45pm

For full details, please refer to the letter sent home last week:

<https://robyparkprimary.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2026/04/20.4.26-Colour-Run.docx>

Thank you for your continued support – we can't wait to see you there!



WELLBEING COFFEE MORNING - THURSDAY 7TH MAY

Next Thursday, we will be hosting another of our Wellbeing Coffee Mornings at 9am. The focus of our upcoming sessions is mindfulness, and Miss Bligh will be leading the session to support parents and carers with simple, practical strategies that can be used at home.

We hope you can join us for a relaxed and friendly morning.



BONUS BALL UPDATE - THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT

Thank you to everyone who takes part in our weekly Bonus Ball competition. Your support is greatly appreciated! Mrs Lyon is on the playground every Friday before and after school, selling numbers at £2 each. This weekend's winner was Logan M Y1 with number 23!

All profits go directly towards helping us resource and sustain our OPAL play provision, ensuring our children continue to enjoy high-quality play experiences. Thank you to everyone who supports us each week!

FACE SESSIONS FOR PARENTS THIS MAY

Please check your emails for information about our upcoming parent sessions, which all families can access free of charge.

Timetables for the month of May have been shared, along with full details on how to book your place.

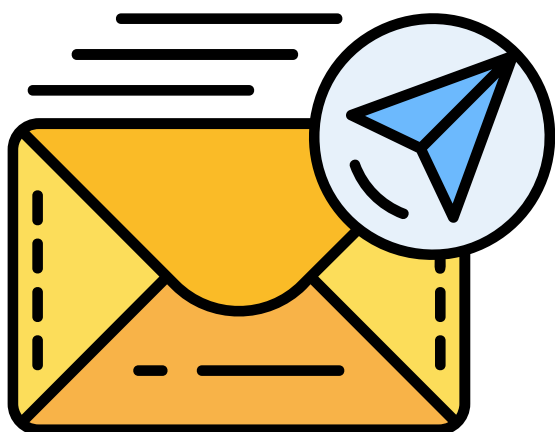
We look forward to seeing many of you take advantage of these valuable opportunities to support learning and wellbeing at home and school.



May 2026 Timetable
All regular sessions delivered live online via zoom. 90 minutes long
£24 each or FREE with School Membership
Book online at facefamilyadvice.co.uk
Recordings available for 48 hours

School Anxiety	4 May 10am
Understanding Anger	4 May 7pm
Facing Defiance	5 May 10am
Supporting Healthy Screen Use	5 May 7pm
Cannabis and Ketamine Awareness	11 May 10am
Anxiety Explained	11 May 7pm
Introduction to OCD	12 May 10am
What is ACT?	12 May 7pm
Decreasing Depression	18 May 10am
Raising Self-Esteem	18 May 7pm
Supporting Healthy Sleep	19 May 10am
Understanding the Teenage Brain	19 May 7pm
Autism: Improving Communication	25 May 10am
Improving Family Communication	25 May 7pm
Supporting a Child with ADHD	26 May 10am
Understanding Addictive Behaviour	26 May 7pm
FREE Getting a Good Nights Sleep	28 May 7-8pm

SEND QUESTIONNAIRE - PLEASE COMPLETE BY FRIDAY



Parents/carers of children with SEND, please could you take a quick moment to complete our SEND questionnaire by Friday this week.

Your feedback is really important. It will help us to understand what is working well and identify any areas we can improve, so we can continue to develop our SEND provision and ensure the support we offer meets the needs of children and families.

The link to the questionnaire has been emailed and is also below.

Thank you for your time and support.

Link to questionnaire: <https://forms.gle/QSFnC4QUcZxm6Tns5>

WORLD CLIMATE CHANGE DAY - 'OUR WORLD, OUR FUTURE' WORKSHOPS

to mark World Environment Day, children in Y1-5 will be taking part in 'Our World, Our Future' workshops delivered by the wonderful West End Musicals for Schools.

These engaging sessions use music, movement and drama to explore key themes around looking after our planet. Through songs, interactive activities and performance-based tasks, pupils will consider how small actions can make a big difference and how we can all play our part in protecting the environment.



Payment for the workshops can now be made via Arbor. Thank you for your support.

ACTIVE UNIFORM GOING LIVE ON ARBOR

Our active uniform is going live on Arbor. A limited number of George items are available now and PE tracksuits will be live from tomorrow morning. We are selling the PE kits on behalf of Lisa's Schoolwear, throughout the Summer to support families and the transition to our active uniform. These will be available to collect on designated dates which we will confirm with families shortly.

We have a small number of George items available to purchase on Arbor whilst stocks last, including:

- Skorts
- Cycling shorts
- Active stretch joggers (no cuffs)
- Active stretch leggings

Please note: George update their webpage daily so it is worth keeping an eye on stock as items may become available again.

Finally, a reminder that only the items linked in the Active Uniform consultation document and in letters sent home are permitted uniform items. Any items not included in these links/documents are not part of our approved uniform and will not be allowed. It may be an active uniform however expectations remain high.

Thank you for your support and cooperation.

WE'RE BACK IN TESCO FOR BLUE TOKEN VOTING

We are delighted to share some exciting news with our Roby Park community! Our application to the Tesco Grants Programme has been successful and our project has been selected to go forward to a customer vote in local Tesco stores.

From Tuesday 28th April 2026 until the end of July 2026, customers will be able to support our school by placing their blue tokens in our voting box.

Our Project: Learn to Ride

We are committed to empowering children with confidence, independence and lifelong skills through access to bikes and safe cycling experiences. This funding will support our mission to ensure every child has the chance to learn to ride in a safe and supportive environment.

How You Can Help

Whenever you shop at one of the participating Tesco stores, please collect your blue token and pop it into the Roby Park Primary School – Learn to Ride voting box.

The project with the most votes in our region will receive £1,500, second place £1,000, and third place £500. Every token truly counts!

Participating Stores

You can cast your blue tokens for Roby Park at the following Tesco stores:

- Huyton Hillside Express – L36 8BJ
- Prescot Extra – L34 5NQ
- Tarbock Woodlands Express – L35 1QY
- Whiston Windy Arbour Express – L35 3PA

Thank You for Your Support! Your participation helps us give our children valuable opportunities and experiences. Let's work together to bring this fantastic project to life. Every token helps us pedal closer to our goal!

#MISSSCHOOL #MISSOUT

Our #MissSchool #MissOut message this week is a reminder of just how much learning – and how many special moments – children miss when they are not in school. Every day counts: good attendance helps children keep up with their learning, build confidence, strengthen friendships and feel part of school life. Here are just a few examples of what children have enjoyed this week:

- Tobias Y1 has loved practising counting in 2s, 5s and 10s.
- Arthur Y1 would have been really disappointed to miss out on our RE Day activities.
- Logan Y6 has especially enjoyed writing in English this week.

Thank you for your continued support in making sure children are in school every day, on time, whenever they are well enough to attend.

STARS OF THE WEEK

Use your camera to scan the QR code to see who our wonderful stars of the week are. We are proud of our children demonstrating our values of: collaboration, creativity, resilience, reflectiveness, being inquisitive and motivated.



ATTENDANCE RECOGNITION WINNERS



Our attendance recognition winners this week were YR, Y2 & Y5 and they were chosen by Mila Y1, Alba YR & ruby Y6.

Miss Murphy said, “Well done to all of Reception for following Joe's instructions in English and planting your seeds! We can't wait to see them grow!”

Mr Swatman said, “Well done to Trudi who worked incredibly hard in English and showed amazing resilience and motivation to produce a great piece of writing based on The King Who Banned the Dark.”

Y5 won popcorn and a movie. Who will win this week?

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Miss Sutton said, “Well done for being engaged and enthusiastic about your RE learning, especially Matilda, Darcie and Lily W. your contributions were non-stop and were brilliant!! ”

REMARKABLE READERS

Well done to our remarkable readers this week. Children get to bring the remarkable reader bag home with a book, hot chocolate, bookmark and pencil.

Children also get to choose a book from our book vending machine.

Children can be selected as our remarkable reader winner by engaging in reading at home and in school. Who will win next week?

