



Week Beginning Monday 9th March 2026



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Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been another lively week at Lowercroft with a range of activities taking place across school. We have launched our British Science Week poster competition and our Year 6 pupils took part in an important Prevent 2 Protect workshop. Pupils have also been representing the school in sporting events, including a gymnastics competition, where one of our pupils proudly secured a bronze medal and a Boccia event. In addition, the latest school podcast is now available to listen to. We are pleased to share more details about these events in this week's newsletter.

Key Dates & Information - Week Beginning Monday 16th March 2026

Date	Event	Information
Monday 16th March 9:00am	Celebrating Eid al-Fitr	Pupils only.
Friday 20th March	Year 6 visit to Air Raid Shelters	Please see information sent out
Friday 20th March 8:45pm	Wake up Shake up	All welcome to join the fun!
Friday 20th March	Comic Relief	Pupils are welcome to dress in Red or something 'funny'
Friday 20th March	There will be no assembly this week due to Cominc Relief activities across school	

Come and join the club - New clubs for this half term:

Club	Day	Time	Who	Place	Information
Lunchtime Clubs					
Lowercroft's Got Talent	Tuesday	Lunchtime	Miss Savery/Mrs Hall	TBC	Performing arts club. For pupils who want to take part in the annual LGT, this is an opportunity to rehearse and build confidence.
Podcast Club	Wednesday	Lunchtime	Mr Roberts	The Nest	
Crochet Club (Y6)	Thursday	Lunchtime	Mrs McGadie	Y6 Classroom	Please bring a crochet hook (size 5 or above) Wool provided
Boys Football (Y6)	Friday	1 - 3pm	Mr Moss	School playground	Mr Moss will be supporting the coaches from 'Build a Baller'
After School Clubs					
Choir	Monday	3:15 - 4:15	Mrs McGadie	School hall	If you have not yet signed up, please ask Mrs McGadie for a permission slip
Basketball	Tuesday	3:15 - 4:15	Sports Coach	School Playground	Please see letters sent home for more information about signing up.
Tag Rugby Club	Tuesday	3:15 - 4:15	Mrs Kay	School Field	This club has now been changed to Summer term
Craft Club	Tuesday	3:15 - 4:15	Mis Pearson	Y2 Classroom	
Netball Club	Thursday	3:15 - 4:15	Mrs Parkinson	School Playground	This club has now been changed to Summer term
SATs Booster clubs - Y6 only					
Reading Booster Club	Monday	3:15-4:15	Mrs Parkinson	Y6 Classroom	By invite only. Please refer to the letter sent home for more information.
Maths Booster Club	Monday	3:15-4:15	Mr Roberts	Mr Roberts - Study	
Maths Booster Club	Thursday	3:15 - 4:15	Miss Savery/Mrs McGadie	Y6 Classroom	



Let's Celebrate!

Our Year 6 pupils took part in a safeguarding workshop this week, delivered by Prevent 2 Protect as part of the "Gang for Life Project". The session helped pupils understand important topics such as peer pressure, personal safety and the risks of exploitation, as they prepare for their transition to high school. The workshop combined an educational session with a boxing-themed fitness activity, helping pupils build confidence, resilience and awareness of how to make safe, informed choices. The session was delivered very sensitively and in a child-friendly way, ensuring pupils could engage with the important messages while feeling supported and reassured.

Year 6 Safeguarding Workshop – Prevent 2 Protect



Gymnastics Success at Goshen Sports Centre

A group of our Year 4 pupils recently represented Lowercroft at a gymnastics competition held at Goshen Sports Centre in Bury. The team, made up of both boys and girls, did us proud, performing with great energy, enthusiasm and determination throughout the event. Most importantly, the children had a ball and thoroughly enjoyed the experience. A special congratulations goes to Alicia, who achieved an impressive bronze medal in the vaulta fantastic achievement and a wonderful reward for her hard work and effort. A big thank you to Mr Moss for coordinating the many sporting opportunities our pupils enjoy throughout the year and to Mrs Hall for organising and supporting this particular event. Well done to all the children for representing Lowercroft so positively.



The February podcast is now out – click [here](#) to listen.



Boccia Event

Some of our pupils also represented Lowercroft this week at a Boccia event, where they demonstrated great teamwork and enthusiasm. Boccia is an inclusive sport similar to bowls, where players aim to throw or roll balls as close as possible to a target ball. The game focuses on accuracy, strategy and control, making it accessible for a wide range of abilities. Our pupils approached the event with a positive attitude and represented the school brilliantly. Well done to everyone who took part.

Attendance

Whole School	97%
Y5	98%

Award Winners

Rec	Amaiya
Year 1	Elise & Reggie
Year 2	Forest School
Year 3	Whole Class
Year 4	Whole Class
Year 5	Joshua H
Year 6	Oliver M & Sam

Gold Coins Winners

Y5
House Points
Neptune



Notices

• Parent Webinar – Supporting Children’s Focus and Emotional Regulation:

Parents may be interested in a free online webinar taking place on Tuesday 24th March (8–9pm),

[Click here](#) to find out more

- **Parents Evening:** The link will be shared soon for booking appointments for parents' evenings. Booking opens on Tuesday 17th March at 7pm.
- **Smartie Challenge:** The tubes will be coming home today. Please support us in this event.
- **Easter Egg Bingo:** Please [click here](#) for more information
- **Comic Relief - 'Just Giving Page':** Please [click here](#) if you are able to donate

Thank you for your continued support this week. It has been great to see pupils taking part in such a wide range of activities, from sporting events to workshops and classroom learning. We look forward to sharing more updates and celebrating further achievements in the weeks ahead.

Mrs. McGadie

& The Lowercroft Team