



Magdalen Academy

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MAGDALEN ACADEMY – NEWSLETTER 16

22nd May 2026
Every Fortnight

Parents as Partners

Dear Families,

It has been a busy half term and we are so glad the sun is shining for half term! The children have worked really hard on their learning, and we are proud of all of them. The Year 6 children completed their SATs last week and showed amazing resilience and determination to do their best. We await the results in July.

I must share the sad news that Mrs Clarkstone has made the decision to retire at the end of the school year. She has worked tirelessly across the federation for a long time supporting our families and their children. She is one of a kind with her dedication to our schools and is going to be difficult to replace.

Some good news - We have appointed a new class teacher for Robins Class from September. We had some very strong candidates and pleased to say Miss King will be joining the team! She is looking forward to meeting everyone when she visits next half term.

Enjoy the sunshine

Regards

Mrs Louise Arrowsmith

Executive Head

Half Term Holiday Half Term Holiday Half Term Holiday





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NOW LIVE ON PARENTPAY - Please authorise attendance for your child.

2nd June – Federation Sports Day (no charge)

16th June – Robins Class Dance Festival (not Pre School) £3.00

ROBINS CLASS

Reception & Year 1 Children



[WNSSP Dance Festival June 2026 | King's Lynn Corn Exchange](#)

BOOKABLE NOW!

Come and see your children perform on the Corn Exchange stage,


it is a wonderful experience, and the children really enjoy it.

Please can all accounts on ParentPay be cleared over the half-term holidays so we can start the last term of the year all up straight.

Thank you



MAGDALEN ACADEMY DIARY DATES 2026

MAY		
	EVERY TUESDAY Eagles & Falcons SWIMMING BEGINS 8:30am Arrival!!	
Friday 22nd	Break Up for Half Term	
JUNE		
Week Commencing 1st BACK TO SCHOOL	Health & Wellbeing Week	
Monday 1st	SEN Breakfast Year 6	Downham Market Academy
Tuesday 2nd	KS2 Federation Sports Day NO SWIMMING!	Years 2 – 6, Lynn Sport
Wednesday 3rd	Year 6 Trip to London	Lion King
Tuesday 16th	Dance Festival AM	Robins Class (Not Pre School)
Monday 22nd	Year 6 Transition Day	Downham Market Academy
Tuesday 30th	KS2 Downham Cluster Area Sports NO SWIMMING	Year 3 – 6, @ Hillcrest
JULY		
Thursday 9th	Friends of School SUMMER FESTIVAL	See poster for more details STARTS AT 2:15PM
Friday 10th	SPORTS DAY Reserve Day Monday 13th	2:00pm on Back Field
Friday 10th	Transition Day Year 6	Marshland High School
Tuesday 14th	Eagles Class	BUSHCRAFT DAY
Wednesday 15th	Falcons Class	BUSHCRAFT DAY
Thursday 16th	Year 6 Leavers Assembly & End of Term Awards	2:00pm – 3:15pm



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Please can you send in your photos of our Year 6 children,
from birth to present day, for the leaver's assembly.

Can they be sent via email to office@mag.unity-ed.uk

Thank you

Mrs Banks



Week Commencing: 1st June 2026

(First week back after the holidays, School PE Kit all week)

Tuesday – Eagles & Falcons Federation Sports Day (No Swimming)

Wednesday – Year 6 London, Eagles & Falcons Bushcraft,

Robins PM Circus Skills – 2 groups

(Pre School & Reception)

(Year 1 and Year 2)

Friday – PM Dance Workshop – All year groups



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As the hot weather arrives, please can you apply a long lasting suncream to your child before they arrive at school.

All children should also have a sun hat as they will be going outside during the day.

In addition, please can you ensure that they have a water bottle with them every day to stay hydrated.

Thank you