

Berkeley Primary School

Summer One June 2025 Reading Newsletter



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Hello readers. It has been a busy couple of half terms so we have lots of update you on. Please have a read to see all that we have been up to but also what exciting reading opportunities we have coming up.

Come to our **Summer Booknic**

Our first KS2 'Booknic' (a reading picnic) shall be held on **Monday 23rd June** and start at **2:30pm**. (EYFS/KS1 Booknic shall be held in the autumn term.)

We are excited to let you know that the whole of Key Stage 2 shall be taking part in a 'Booknic' – a Reading Picnic! This will be a great opportunity for children and their families to read, relax, eat and discuss books in order to build reading memories together.

Children will be asked to bring in their favourite books, a blanket and a snack to eat outside. Parents and carers are also invited to bring in books and snacks to read alongside or with their children.

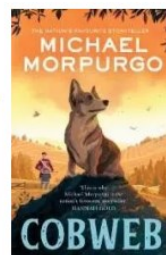
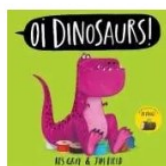
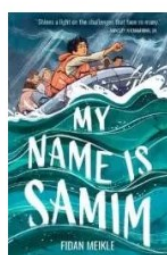
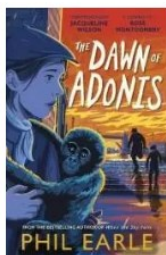
Our lovely **KS1 Reading Cafes** will be back during the summer term.

Please keep an eye out for more information on both the reading cafes and the KS2 Booknic event.



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Do you need some inspiration for what to read next? Here are Toppsta's recommendations of books coming out in June. Have a look at their website for some more information on the titles listed below.



Library Explorers

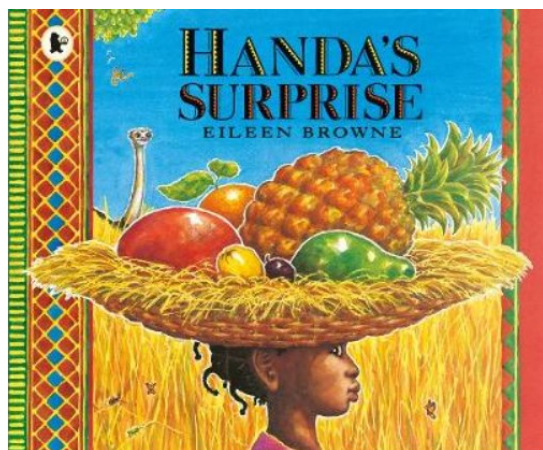
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There are so many reading events happening around us for the lovely little children in our lives.

'Library Explorers' is suitable for under 5s and takes place in Ashby Library on Wednesday mornings and Scunthorpe Central Library on Thursdays. Please have a look at the 'events' page here for dates and times:

<https://www.opac.northlincs.gov.uk/events>

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Author Lives

Year One Holly had a lovely time watching the author Eileen Browne deliver the live session around her lovely book 'Handa's Surprise'. Mrs. Drury said that her class were all really engaged and had lots of opportunities to get up and move around. The class thought that the stories shared were lovely.

Thank you, Y1 Holly, for letting me know about your afternoon.



As part of our quest to achieve the Gold Lincolnshire Reading award, we have been looking at a range of Book Awards. One of those has been the 'Lollies' and as the name suggests, these are all books that have the potential to make us Laugh Out Loud—therefore the children always love these books!

This year, we decided to get to know the shortlisted books a little better by taking part in a Book Blanket activity.

This is where all the nominated books were laid out on the tables in the classrooms and the children got to explore the books, discuss the covers, read through their favourites and basically have a nice relaxing time. Take a look below and some of the images captured throughout the activity. Smiles all round!



Book Blanket Fun—Lollies Book Awards

Reading Discussion: What is the best book you have ever read? Why?

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WORLD BOOK DAY

World Book Day 2025

As always, we loved celebrating World Book Day this year. It was so lovely to see everyone dressed up and taking part in lots of reading for pleasure activities. Have a look below for a snippet of all that was happening.



We are already looking forward to seeing what you all dress up as next. Thank you so much for making such an effort and making some magical reading memories for the children. Until next year ...

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