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### In The Loop

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We have exciting, if somewhat technically-challenging, times at The Norfolk Reading Project with the launch of our new Portal which can be found via the PORTAL tab at the top right hand corner of our website. Please make sure you have reentered your details **including your DBS number and update number**, which is different. Please use the drop-down menu to click on the school where you currently volunteer. Don't forget to click Update after you have entered any details — I forgot this to my cost and wasted a fair few minutes. We would also be most grateful to hear if you are no longer volunteering, wish to change schools or want to be removed from our mailing list altogether.

The Norfolk Reading Project warmly invites you to our next

# Volunteer Workshop "This Way Delight"

#### **Putting the Pleasure Back into Reading with Young Children**

Hosted by former early years teacher Celia Warren
At 2pm, Saturday 20th September 2025, Narthex Hall, St John the Baptist R.C. Cathedral,
Norwich, NR2 2PA

(Entrance to Narthex Hall is via Earlham Road. Note: there are two car parks.)

Sandwiches, coffee and cakes will be served at 2pm

Places are limited: to secure a place, please RSVP to

info@thenorfolkreadingproject.co.uk

## Happy 10<sup>th</sup> Birthday TNRP!

This year we turn 10 and we have great plans to celebrate. Former Children's Laureate Chris Ridell will be speaking on the importance of childhood reading at The Assembly House on October 25<sup>th</sup> 2025 at 6:30pm.

Tickets for this are £10 but TNRP volunteers go free – just contact Joe at The Book Hive 01603 219268 to book a place.

We are so grateful that proceeds from the evening go to TNRP.



### **Aylsham Show**

Come and say hello to us in our new gazebo on Bank Holiday Monday August 25<sup>th</sup> at Aylsham Show.

# Mannington Book Bash!

Simon Armitage, Esther Freud and Nigel Planer are among the famous names appearing at the Mannington Book Bash September 26-28<sup>th</sup> 2025 at the lovely Mannington Hall where TNRP will also be hosting a stand. Tickets are available from thebookhive.co.uk

#### **Next Training Dates in Norwich:**

September 6<sup>th</sup> , October 4<sup>th</sup>,

November 8<sup>th</sup>

See website for details.