



# Newsletter

## Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> May 2022

Dear Families,

### Early Birds and Night Owls Update

Just to let you all know that we are cautiously optimistic that we may have found a way forward and that Governors will be discussing this issue again on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May.

I will of course inform everyone straight away about the decision that is made.

### Clubs

After school clubs are now running again and you can book places for your children through Arbor. Please see below for the list of clubs on offer this term. Those highlighted in yellow will run right up to the end of the school year while those in blue will finish on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> July.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Y1/2 multisport 3.15 to 4.00 Mr Aiden Siddall	Y4/5/6 Cheerleading 3.15 to 4.00 Mr Aiden Siddall and Miss Charlotte Hathaway	Y3/4 mixed football 3.15 to 4.00 Mr Aiden Siddall	Y4 /5 /6 netball 3.15 to 4.00 Mr Aiden Siddall	Y3/4 multisport 3.15 to 4.00 Mr Aiden Siddall
Year 4/5/6 girls' football 4.15 to 5.00 Mr Aiden Siddall	Y4/5/6 rounders and cricket 4.15 to 5.00 Mr Aiden Siddall	Y5/6 boys' football 4.15 to 5.00 Mr Aiden Siddall	Y4 / 5/ 6 basketball 4.15 to 5.00 Mr Aiden Siddall	Y4 /5/6 Tag Rugby 4.15 to 5.00 Mr Aiden Siddall
Year 3/4/5/6 choir 3.15 to 4.00 Miss Toni Bruce, Miss Hannah Barber and Mrs Cath Priestley	Y3/4 arts and crafts 3.15 to 4.00 Miss Clare Dangerfield and Mrs Michelle Roscoe	Brass Band 3.00 to 4.00 Mrs Cath Priestley and Mr Simon Lodge		
Year 5/ 6 computer "Scratch" club Mrs Jen Parker and Mr James Sidebottom 3.15 to 4.00	Y4/5/6 Book Club 3.15 to 4.00 Miss Ashleigh Martin	Y4/5/6 tennis 3.15 to 4.00 Mrs Lyn Malik, Miss Emma Brown and Mrs Karen Barton		
		Y3/4 computer "Scratch" club 3.15 to 4.00		

		Miss Rachael Vincent and Miss Sian Warburton		
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## Stars of the Week

Congratulations to our last two weeks' stars who we chose for embodying our values of the week. They were:

Acorns	<b>Honest</b>	<b>Jenson</b> has such a good understanding of right and wrong.
Acorns	<b>Patient</b>	<b>Delilah</b> is always patient when she is waiting to talk to grown-ups. She also always sits up smartly and quietly on the carpet.
Maple	<b>Honest</b>	<b>Reggie</b> will always ask for help if he finds any of the learning tricky. He is also honest if he ever breaks one of our school rules
Maple	<b>Patient</b>	<b>Freya</b> is always patient and can calmly wait for her turn.
Willow	<b>Honest</b>	<b>Olivia</b> is honest about her learning and asks for help straight away of she finds something tricky.
Willow	<b>Patient</b>	<b>Avarie</b> always listens respectfully and doesn't interrupt when someone else is talking.
Holly	<b>Honest</b>	<b>Clayton</b> is a very well-liked and trusted member of Willow, and that is because his classmates know that he always tells the truth and owns up to any mistakes he has made.
Holly	<b>Patient</b>	<b>Belle</b> is a calm and patient member of Holly Class. She never becomes frustrated with her classmates or with her learning.
Chestnut	<b>Honest</b>	<b>Matthew</b> has been so honest this week; not only about any mistakes he has made but also about asking for help when other people have not been kind to him.
Chestnut	<b>Patient</b>	<b>Maisie</b> always waits her turn and is also a very patient learner.
Beech	<b>Honest</b>	<b>Eva-May</b> is very honest about her own learning and seeks help when she needs it. As a result, she is making super progress.
Beech	<b>Patient</b>	<b>Shae</b> is patient with his friends and with his own learning. He happily accepts help when it is needed and uses it to drive his own progress.
Elm	<b>Honest</b>	<b>Arlo</b> is always honest about both his learning and his behaviour.
Elm	<b>Patient</b>	<b>Lacie</b> is a perfectionist – especially when it comes to her art work! However, this week she has managed to stay patient and calm, even when her work has not turned out as she hoped.
Ash	<b>Honest</b>	<b>Oliver</b> is completely honest and trustworthy, both in the classroom and outside on the playground.
Ash	<b>Patient</b>	<b>Lilly</b> shows great patience and understanding towards her classmates, and is also able to wait patiently for adult help in the classroom
Oak	<b>Honest</b>	<b>Henley</b> is a very honest and reliable friend which is why he has such great relationships with his peers.
Oak	<b>Patient</b>	<b>Logan</b> listens patiently in class discussions. He waits for questions to be asked and listens respectfully to the contributions of his classmates.

Congratulations as well to our reading stars of the last two weeks:

Orchard	<b>Spencer</b> has wowed us this week. He is learning so many new sounds in school and is reading at home every day.
Acorns	<b>Amber</b> is reading so much more regularly at home and is growing in confidence as she learns her sounds.

Acorns	<b>Alfred</b> thoroughly enjoys his reading both at home and in school. He loves finding out new facts from non-fiction books and sharing his information with his peers. He also answers lots of questions in our “Talk though Stories” lessons.
Maple	<b>Mittziee</b> has started to be a regular home reader and as a result she is making super progress in Read, Write Inc lessons.
Maple	<b>Rayah</b> always reads at home – sometimes twice each day. She is also developing great comprehension skills and is able to discuss how characters are feeling and behaving.
Willow	<b>Lucas</b> is reading all the time at home now, including right through the Easter holidays.
Willow	<b>Xander</b> has worked so hard to improve his reading fluency and as a result he is making great progress.
Holly	<b>Amber</b> is an enthusiastic reader both at home and in school. When she has a book in her hand it can be very hard to persuade her to put it down!
Holly	<b>Jax</b> has found time, even in a very busy week, to read at home every day.
Chestnut	<b>Ollie</b> is a consistent home reader who is now challenging himself with his choice of books.
Chestnut	<b>Mia</b> is working so hard in our guided reading lessons and has also developed a real love of reading.
Beech	<b>Heidi</b> always reads at home and she is now also developing great inference skills in school.
Beech	<b>Jacob’s</b> attitude to reading at home has improved so much recently and he is now a regular and enthusiastic reader.
Elm	<b>Nevaeh</b> is enjoying choosing books from our classroom library and reading lots at home.
Elm	<b>Ruby</b> is a regular home reader. As a result, her confidence and stamina are really improving.
Ash	<b>Lexi</b> is working exceptionally hard in our class reading lessons and is making some great contributions to our discussions.
Ash	<b>Millie</b> shows great resilience in our guided reading lessons and makes some super contributions to the learning.
Oak	<b>Mya</b> reads every day and this is having such a positive impact on her increasingly mature vocabulary.
Oak	<b>Amelia</b> is always reading at home and loves to “lose herself” in a book.

Kindest regards,

*Deborah Meredith*

<b>Dates for your Diary</b>	
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 4 Chestnut Class Egyptian Workshop
Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	Class photographs
Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 5 Beech and Elm Classes at Young Voices Concert in Manchester
Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> May	Children’s school reports emailed home.
Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> May	Platinum Jubilee Celebrations in school

<b>Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May</b>	<b>School closes for half term holiday</b>
<b>Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>School opens for Summer Term 6</b>
Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> June	Acorns and Orchard visit to Formby Beach
Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> June – Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 6 Ash and Oak Classes residential trip to Kingswood.
Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 4, 5, and 6 Brass players take part in “Come and Play with the Halle” concert in Manchester
Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 2 trip to Skipton Castle.
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> July	Summer Fair: 3.30pm to 4.30pm
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 1 Maple Class trip to Portland Basin
<b>Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> July</b>	<b>School closes for the summer holidays</b>