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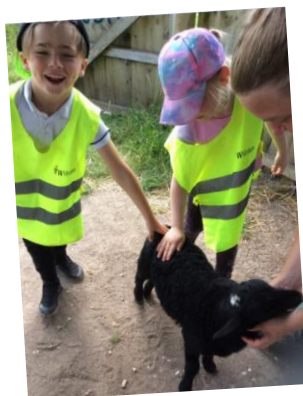
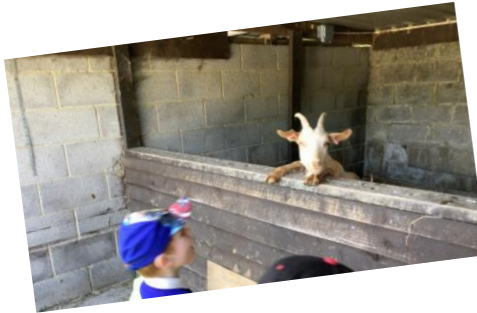
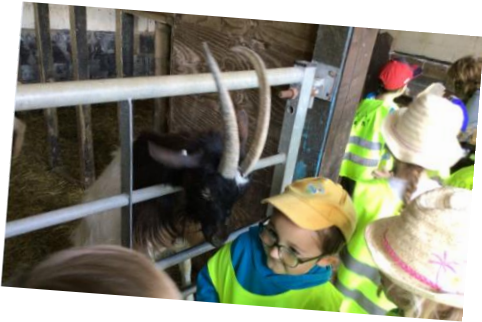
Dear Parents and Carers,

Friday, 21st June 2024

I hope that this newsletter finds you and your families well. This week was been particularly exciting with Acorn Class enjoying the visit to Cholderton Farm and Ash Class having a great time at the Winchester Science Museum.

Acorn Class Visit to Cholderton Rare Breeds Farm

On Tuesday Acorn Class enjoyed a very special visit to Cholderton Rare Breeds Farm. They loved seeing all the animals and took part in a variety of activities including Guinea Pig Fishing and watching pig racing! Many thanks to Mrs Scott and all of the adults for organising this fantastic trip.



Spotlight on the Curriculum – Music – Y5 – the Voices Inspire Project

On Friday 14th June Beech Class and other Salisbury schools came together in the Cathedral for a shared concert led by Susie Lamb, Salisbury Cathedral School Director of Music and our Woodlands' Choir Leader. The concert was the grand finale of this term's Voices Inspire project. Mrs Lamb was very impressed with the effort put in by Year 5: 'They were absolutely brilliant this morning - it went faster than I imagined possible but was so much fun, and great singing! Please tell them how brilliant everyone is saying they are!' Many thanks to Mrs Lamb for delivering such an inspirational singing project.



Headteachers' Awards

Today, we celebrated: **Macie** and **Rylee** (Acorn Class); **Casey** and **Kaydon** (Y1); **Harley** and **Autumn** (Y2); **Ellie-Rose** and **Oscar** (Y3); **Alexander** and **Jaxson** (Y4); **Jake** and **Hollie** (Y5); **Devon**, **Josie** and **Mary-Lou** (Y6).

Huge congratulations to these children who have displayed great **Kindness** during the third week of Term 6.

Respect, Community, Resilience and Aspiration form our other core Values.

*******Sports Day Reminder***** - Monday 24th June**

Normal lunch arrangements on this day

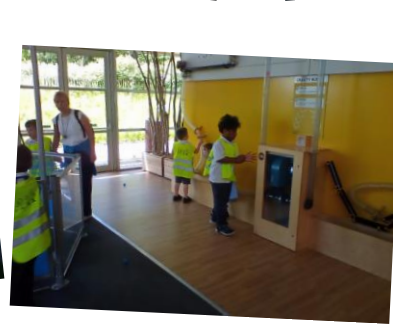
10.00am Key Stage 2 (Y3, Y4, Y5 & Y6)

1.30pm Key Stage 1 (Reception, Y1 & Y2)

Please make sure your child comes to school in PE Kit on Sports Day.

Spotlight on the Curriculum – Science – Y1 Visit to the Winchester Science Centre & Planetarium

Yesterday Y1 enjoyed a very interesting visit to the Winchester Science Centre. They started with a visit to the Planetarium, then explored the interactive exhibitions in the Museum and finished with a rocket making workshop. Many thanks to Miss King and all the adults for organising such an exciting trip.



Today, **Yellow Team** won the trophy for achieving the most Team Points and they will have an extra playtime this afternoon. Very well done.

| Team Points Cup | | | | | |
|-----------------|-------|--------|------|------|--|
| Date: 21.06.24 | | | | | |
| | Green | Yellow | Red | Blue | |
| Y1 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 3 | |
| Y2 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 1 | |
| Y3 | 3 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 4 | |
| Y4 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 3 | |
| Y5 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 4 | |
| Y6 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 2 | |
| | 11 | 18.5 | 13.5 | 17 | |



Safeguarding – Online Safety

As part of our commitment to help you keep your child(ren) safe online please look under the Safeguarding tab in our Online Safety section - <https://woodlands.wilts.sch.uk/safeguarding/online-safety/>

Please click here for the latest **Online Safety Newsletter – June 2024** -> [Woodlands Primary School and Oak Tree Nursery](#). The June issue looks at a variety of topics including how to check age ratings and chatting safely online.

Spotlight on the Curriculum – Religious Education – Y1 – Places of Worship

This week Ash Class have been looking at different special places of worship and what they look like. The children then worked in groups to design their own churches and other different special places of worship using Lego to create them. The children really enjoyed this activity and worked with impressive focus.



Attendance Cup Winners for Summer Term Week 8

Congratulations to Cedar Class who have won the most recent weekly attendance cup with an impressive 97.9%.

| Attendance Cup | | | Attendance Matters | Total Pts after Wk 8 | | |
|---------------------------|--------|------|---|----------------------|--------|----|
| Date: 10/06/24 - 14/06/24 | | | | | | |
| 1 | Cedar | 97.9 |  | 1 | Willow | 43 |
| 2 | Willow | 96.0 | | 2 | Beech | 42 |
| 3 | Beech | 95.7 | | 3 | Cedar | 34 |
| 4 | Hazel | 92.0 | | 4 | Maple | 30 |
| 5 | Acorn | 91.2 | | 5 | Ash | 29 |
| 6 | Ash | 90.7 | | 6 | Hazel | 28 |
| 7 | Maple | 90.1 | | 7 | Acorn | 25 |

Dates for the Diary

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| New Reception Parents' Session | Friday 21 st June | 10.00am-11.00am |
| Key Stage 2 Sports Day (Hazel, Willow, Beech & Maple Classes) | Monday 24 th June | 10.00am Start |
| Reception & Key Stage 1 Sports Day (Acorn, Ash & Cedar Classes) | Monday 24 th June | 1.30pm Start |
| Y5 Sarum Academy Taster Day – all Y5 to attend | Wednesday 26 th June | |
| Y2 Cedar Class Visit to the Titanic Museum in Southampton | Thursday 27 th June | 9.00am departure 3.00pm Arrival back at school |
| New Reception Pupils familiarisation session (for non-Oaktree Nursery pupils) | Friday 28 th June | 1.30pm-2.30pm |
| New Reception Pupils familiarisation session (for Oaktree Nursery pupils) | Wednesday 3 rd July | 9.30am-10.30am |
| Y6 Transition Day – Y6 to new Secondary Schools Move Up Morning – Woodlands children to meet their new teachers | Wednesday 3 rd July | Morning session |
| Summer Fete | Thursday 4 th July | 2.00pm |
| Y4 Willow Class Visit to the Salisbury Museum for the installation of the Woodlands Salisbury Giant. | Friday 12 th July | Times to be confirmed |
| Y6 to Moors Valley | Tuesday 16 th July | All day |
| Y6 Leavers Assembly – for Y6 parents and family members | Tuesday 23 rd July | 9.30am start Y6 finish school at 12.00pm |
| Final Day of Term 6 | Tuesday 23 rd July | All pupils finish at 1.00pm |
| TD DAY – School closed to pupils | Wednesday 24 th July | All day |

Kind regards,

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Headteacher