



Dear Parents and Carers,

As we come to the end of an exceptionally hot week, I would like to extend my sincere thanks to all our parents and carers for your understanding, support and co-operation. Your help in ensuring children arrived at school with water bottles, sun hats and appropriate clothing has made a real difference. I would also like to say how incredibly proud we are of our pupils. Despite the challenging temperatures, they have shown remarkable resilience, adapted brilliantly to the changes we have made to keep everyone safe and comfortable, and continued to demonstrate the positive attitudes and behaviour that make our school such a special place.

### Headteachers' Awards – Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June

Today, we celebrated: **Harry and Amelia** (FS2); **Waide and James** (Y1); **Oliver and Zara** (Y2); **Finley and Pixie-May** (Y3); **Freya and Zara** (Y4); **Scarlet and Evie Mercer** (Y5); **Jayanna and Jonathan** (Y6).

This week the awards are for **Respect** and producing **excellent work**. Huge congratulations to these children.

**Community, Resilience, Aspiration and Kindness** form our other core values.



Salisbury Area Young Musicians (SAYM) visited Year 3 and 4 on Monday afternoon. They introduced us to the different types of instruments and then the children helped them create a piece of music to accompany a beautiful story about a young child who loved birds. We made our music scary and happy and even created a theme for our hero. The children were also able to ask the musicians lots of questions.

"I like the "Box" percussion instrument." Cameron

"It was fun to hear the different types of music: loud, soft, fast, slow." Ethan

If your child is interested in learning an instrument or singing in a choir, please take a look at the SAYM website. They offer a free trial. <https://saym.org.uk/>. Many thanks to Mrs Roderick our Music Leader for organising this inspirational visit.



Today, **Yellow Team** won the trophy for achieving the most Team Points with an impressive 21 points out of a maximum 24. They will enjoy an extra 10 minutes of playtime. Very well done.

Team Points Cup				
Date: 26.06.26				
	Green	Yellow	Red	Blue
Y1	3	4	2	1
Y2	2	3	4	1
Y3	4	2	1	3
Y4	1	4	3	2
Y5	2	4	3	1
Y6	3	4	1	2
	15	21	14	10



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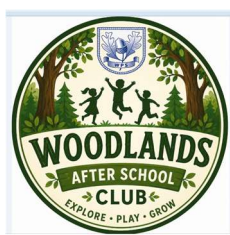
## Got questions? We've got answers!

Your nurses are here to help - no worries too big or too small!

- Healthy eating & nutrition
- Sleep tips & routines
- Emotional wellbeing & stress
- Sexual health & relationships
- Bedwetting & toileting support

The Community Pantry, Old Sarum & Longbridge Community Centre:  
Wednesdays: 09.30-10.30

**Join us at the Community Health drop-in!** For children & young people 5-19 and their families. No appointment needed!



### After-School Club Movie Night & Disco

Our first after-school Movie Night was a great success with 100% of spaces taken. The week after next, we will be having our second movie night on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> June and our second disco on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> June. Please book up asap to avoid disappointment as there will be a maximum of 30 spaces.

#### **After-School Club Disco Dates**

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> July\*

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> July

*\*Moved from 25<sup>th</sup> June which was cancelled due to the red heat alert.*

#### **After-School Club Movie Nights**

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> July

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July

Other exciting activities coming to after-school club include: BAKING, ROUNDERS, PURPLE MASH GAMES SESSION, MOVIE AND POPCORN, SEAMLESS SEWING SESSION.

After-school club sessions run from 3.00pm to 5.15pm (Mon-Thurs). Many thanks to Mrs Stokes, Mrs Giles and Mrs Swindlehurst for organising a range of exciting activities.

**Please make sure you book in advance so that we can make**

**sure all of the sessions are staffed.** 24 hrs notice is needed to cancel a session, otherwise you will be charged.

**Class Attendance Cup** – every week we have a competition that celebrates the class with the highest attendance. **Willow Class** are the winners for the third week of term (15<sup>th</sup> June to 19<sup>th</sup> June). Congratulations to Maple and Cedar who are now joint leaders of the Term 6 League Table. This week's data will not be used for the Attendance Cup as the heat disruption has skewed the data.

## The Attendance Cup – Wk3 T6

1. Willow 99.2%
2. Cedar 96%
3. Ash 95%
4. Maple
5. Hazel
6. Acorn
7. Beech

Term 6 - Week 3		Pts
1	Maple	17
	Cedar	17
3	Ash	15
4	Willow	14
5	Acorn	13
6	Hazel	6
7	Beech	4



### **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 2026** -> [Woodlands Primary School and Oak Tree Nursery](#). The new June issue looks at a variety of topics including Pinterest, Online Scams, Digital Footprints and the risks of auto-saving.



### **Attendance – Duck Race for 100% in June**

We will have another Duck Race for all pupils who have 100% Attendance in the month of June. There are 22 school days in June and we hope that most pupils will manage to enter the prize draw.



### **Breakfast Club**

All sessions run from 7.15am to 8.40am. All the children who have attended have enjoyed a healthy breakfast and a variety of exciting activities. Spaces are still available for next week so please book as soon as possible to secure a place for your child(ren). Many thanks to Mrs Giles and Mrs Upshall for making sure the children have great fun!

### **Oak Tree Nursery, Woodlands Primary School**

If you have a child aged 2 or 3 before September, and would like a nursery space for September 2026, then please come into the school office to collect an application pack to secure your place as soon as possible. If you would like to find out more or have a tour of the Nursery, please email [nursery@woodlands.wilts.sch.uk](mailto:nursery@woodlands.wilts.sch.uk).

### **Dates for the Diary**

Y1 Trip to Winchester Science Museum	Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> July	All day
Meet your new Teacher – Bump Up Day for Key Stage 2 Pupils (Pupils in Y3, Y4, Y5 or Y6 next academic year)	Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> July	9.10am – 10.30am
Cake Sale	Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July	Year 5 and 6 to provide cakes
Y2 Trip to Seacity Museum in Southampton	Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> July	All day
Meet your new Teacher – Bump Up Day for Key Stage 1 Pupils (Oaktree Nursery, Reception and Y1)	Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> July	9.10am – 10.30am
Parents' Evening 1	Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> July	3.10pm – 5.30pm
Parents' Evening 2	Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> July	3.10pm – 5.30pm
Y6 Performance at the Salisbury Playhouse	Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> July	Time TBA
Y6 Leavers' Assembly	Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> July	9.30am start for Y6 Parents
Final Day of Term 6	Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> July	Y6 finish at 12.00pm Rest of the school finish at 1.00pm

Kind regards,

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**Matthew Kitley**  
**Headteacher**