



**SUMMER TERM 2:  
WB- 15<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2026**

# NEWSLETTER

**CALLOW END CE PRIMARY SCHOOL**

Building a foundation for Love and Learning

## HEADTEACHER'S UPDATE

Dear Parents/Carers,

We have had a wonderful week in school, packed with exciting opportunities for the children to learn, develop new skills and have fun together.

On Tuesday, we enjoyed a fantastic Enrichment Day, where children took part in a variety of activities including dance, arts and crafts, Quidditch and KanJam. KanJam is a fast-paced team game where players work together to throw a flying disc into a specially designed goal, developing teamwork, communication and coordination skills. The children showed great enthusiasm throughout the day and thoroughly enjoyed trying something new. A huge thank you goes to Impact Sports for delivering such engaging and enjoyable sessions.

We were also delighted to welcome Team Supersports into school for a special assembly. They led an interactive session, encouraging children to think about their health and wellbeing and highlighting the many benefits of participating in sport and physical activity.

It has been a week full of energy, creativity and fun, and we are incredibly proud of how enthusiastically the children embraced every opportunity.

We hope you have a wonderful weekend.

Mrs Lindsey



**FROM THE  
CLASSROOM**

**ENRICHMENT DAY**

**CELEBRATIONS**

# From the Classroom...

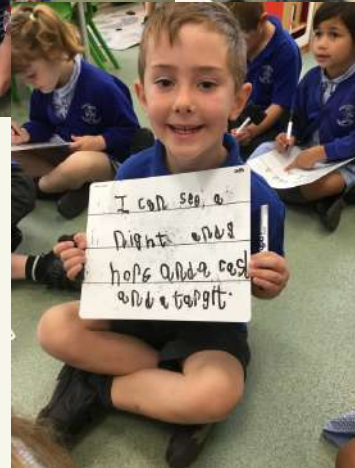
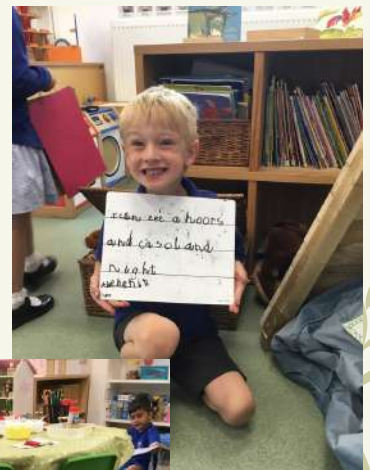
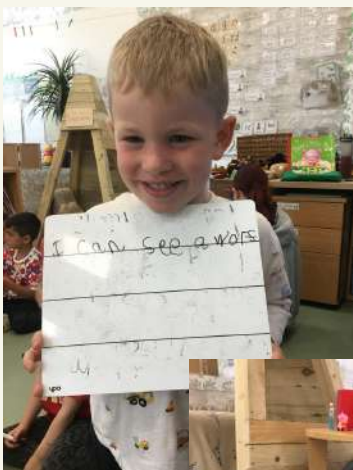
## Saplings class

This week in Saplings we've been busy exploring two of our five senses: taste and smell. They created brilliant mouth pictures, took part in a fun taste and smell cutting activity (which also helped develop their cutting skills), and even bravely tasted lemons and limes. After lots of funny faces and giggles, we all agreed that cake and chocolate were much nicer.



## Ash Class

We are so proud of Ash Class, who have grown in confidence so much this year. Every morning they take on their Morning Mission, and the sentences they have been creating have been absolutely amazing. Their ideas, independence and enthusiasm shine through more and more each day. Well done, Ash Class, keep it up, you're doing brilliantly.



# From the Classroom...

## Holly class

On Monday, Holly Class enjoyed a Geography Day to immerse ourselves in our new topic, What is it like to live by the coast?

We began by using atlases to identify the seas and oceans that surround the United Kingdom and revisited the names of the four countries that make up the UK. We then used Google Earth to explore a variety of coastlines around the UK, observing their different features and landscapes.

As part of our learning, we identified and discussed both human and physical features found along the coast, helping us to understand how people and nature shape these environments. It was a fantastic start to our new geography topic, and the children showed great enthusiasm and curiosity throughout the day.



## Oak class

In Geography this half term, Oak Class have been exploring the exciting theme of the 2026 World Cup. Using their atlas skills, the children have been locating the host nations and identifying the cities where key matches will take place. They have also carried out their own research, discovering fascinating facts about each country's climate, population, and famous physical features. It's been a brilliant opportunity for them to develop their map-reading confidence while learning more about the wider world.



# From the Classroom...

## Willow class

On Thursday, Willow Class completed a 3D shape investigation to round off their shape unit in Maths. The children began by looking at a range of nets and predicting which ones would successfully fold into 3D shapes and which would not. They then tested their ideas by constructing the shapes and checking their predictions.

Afterwards, the children were challenged to match nets that had been cut in half, using their knowledge of shape properties to justify their choices. Throughout the investigation, they demonstrated excellent resilience and reasoning skills, persevering with tricky challenges and explaining their thinking clearly.



## Heatwave

As temperatures are set to rise next week, we are taking steps to ensure the wellbeing of all pupils and staff during periods of extreme heat. Here's how we're keeping your child safe, and how you can support us:

### School Measures

- Monitoring classroom temperatures and adjusting activities when it gets too hot.
- Encouraging regular water breaks
- Keeping blinds/curtains closed on sunny sides and using fans where safe.
- Moving PE or outdoor play to earlier or later in the day to avoid peak heat.
- Providing shaded areas for breaks and lunchtime where possible.
- Being alert for signs of heat-related illness and responding promptly.

### How You Can Help

- Send your child to school with a named water bottle each day.
- Apply long-lasting suncream at home in the morning (where applicable).
- Provide a sun hat
- Dress your child in school PE kit
- Let us know if your child has any health conditions that affect how they cope with heat.

We appreciate your support in helping us keep our school community safe during hot weather.

If you have any questions, please contact the school office

# Enrichment Day



# Friends Association

We hope you all enjoyed last Friday's Summer Fun Event, which raised a fabulous

£1,063

Many thanks to our sponsors - AJ Taylor, Avenue Veterinary Centre, Bennetts Farms, Bennetts Willow Barn, Malvern Junior Netball Academy and Rhino Windows and Doors.

Thanks also to Asda, Black Pepper, Farmfoods, Lidl and Tesco for donations.

A huge thanks to teachers and volunteers who helped set up and run the stalls/inflatables.



## Next event:



The money raised from the Summer fun event will be going towards a Story Telling area to the right of the Sensory garden shelter, to engage pupils imagination and support reading outdoors.



## Gold Book awards

|                                               |                                                                                                                                  |
|-----------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Saplings Class<br>Mrs Eggerton                | Nelly for being kind and a good friend.                                                                                          |
| Ash Class<br>Mrs Lindsey                      | Arabella for always working hard and putting in 100%                                                                             |
| Holly Class<br>Mrs Fuller                     | Theodore for his growing confidence as a reader.<br>Jackson for his wonderful curiosity and eagerness he brings to every lesson. |
| Oak Class<br>Mrs Widdrington &<br>Mrs Scanlon | Thomas R for working hard on his research skills in Geography.<br>Paddy for his helpful, kind attitude to everything!            |
| Willow Class<br>Miss Brooks                   | Violet for fantastic contributions in reading.<br>Eliza for her wonderful effort across all subjects!                            |



## Times table ROCKSTAR weekly stars



|        |                                                         |
|--------|---------------------------------------------------------|
| Year 1 | George                                                  |
| Year 2 | Arthur                                                  |
| Year 3 | Adeline                                                 |
| Year 4 | Paddy                                                   |
| Year 5 | No one from this year group has accessed TTRS this week |
| Year 6 | No one from this year group has accessed TTRS this week |



# Summer Term Clubs



A little reminder to keep an eye on the newsletter each week for the latest club updates, as different clubs are starting at different times this term.

All clubs are now running. Thank you to all parents for encouraging your children to join us for the after-school clubs. It is great to see so many children eager to take part.

| Club            | Staff            | Day       | Year Group | Cost per week | Time           |
|-----------------|------------------|-----------|------------|---------------|----------------|
| Reading club    | Staff            | Lunchtime | Years 1-6  | £0            | 12:30pm-1:15pm |
| Multiskills     | Mr Shakles       | Tuesday   | Years 2-6  | £0            | 3:20pm-4:00pm  |
| Julia Donaldson | Mrs Fuller       | Tuesday   | Years 1-3  | £0            | 3:20pm-4:00pm  |
| Basketball      | Worcester Wolves | Monday    | Years 3-6  | £3.50         | 3:20pm-4:20pm  |
| Cricket         | Impact Sports    | Thursday  | Years 4-6  | £4            | 3:20pm-4:30pm  |

## ROUNDERS CLUB HAS NOW FINISHED

Dates of clubs:

- Multiskills- Starts 21<sup>st</sup> Apr until 14th July
- Julia Donaldson- 8 week block- Starts 28<sup>th</sup> Apr until 23<sup>rd</sup> June
- Basketball- 6 week block- 8<sup>th</sup> June, 15<sup>th</sup> June, 22<sup>nd</sup> June, 29<sup>th</sup> June, 6<sup>th</sup> July, 13<sup>th</sup> July
- Cricket- 5 week block- 18<sup>th</sup> June, 25<sup>th</sup> June, 2<sup>nd</sup> July, 9<sup>th</sup> July, 16<sup>th</sup> July

# Diary Dates



|                       |                                               |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| 23 <sup>rd</sup> June | Willow class- lifepath                        |
| 23 <sup>rd</sup> June | Ash class Teddy Baptism                       |
| 24 <sup>th</sup> June | Yr6 Transition Days- Hanley Castle, The Chase |
| 26 <sup>th</sup> June | School Disco at Callow End Club               |
| 30 <sup>th</sup> June | Callow End Whole School transition afternoon  |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> June  | Year 6 Photos                                 |
| 6 <sup>th</sup> July  | Sports Week                                   |
| 7 <sup>th</sup> July  | KS2 Results Day                               |
| 8 <sup>th</sup> July  | Willow Class play performances                |
| 10 <sup>th</sup> July | Sports Day                                    |
| 13 <sup>th</sup> July | Whole School Tennis Day                       |
| 14 <sup>th</sup> July | Whole School Sports Enrichment Day            |
| 15 <sup>th</sup> July | Yr6 Oscars Ceremony                           |

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| 16th July | Hive Summer reading challenge assembly |
| 17th July | Leavers Service                        |



**ClassDojo**

Please see class dojo for further updates about calendar events.

## Attendance

Whole School attendance last week:

**MOMENTS  
MATTER,  
ATTENDANCE  
COUNTS.**

# 96.2%

|              |       |
|--------------|-------|
| Ash Class    | 93.3% |
| Holly Class  | 92.7% |
| Oak Class    | 99.3% |
| Willow Class | 96.9% |

Attendance was high again last week, which is fantastic to see and makes such a positive difference to the children's learning and routines. A huge congratulations to Oak Class, who are the winners of last week's attendance trophy with an impressive 99%. Their reward is the end-of-week celebration disco, which they are very excited about.

Well done Oak Class, keep it going!

## Contact us:

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## Community Links

### volunteers needed Malvern Town Council junior parkrun – where everyone is



Malvern Town Council are looking to establish a junior parkrun in the near future at Victoria park and need to identify volunteers from the local community that would be interested in being involved in running it.

# welcome

junior parkrun is a free, fun, friendly, weekly, community event organised by volunteers of all ages for children aged 4 to 14.

2k junior parkrun events take place on Sunday mornings and are for the whole community to come together to walk, jog, run and volunteer. Join in on the fun at junior parkrun!

**On Thursday 9th July 2026  
at 6-7pm**

**at Malvern Community Hub**  
the local Ambassador from parkrun will be at the Hub in the park to explain what is needed to make a parkrun happen and answer any questions you may have.

junior parkrun