



**SUMMER TERM 2:
WB- 13TH JULY 2026**

NEWSLETTER

CALLOW END CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Building a foundation for Love and Learning

HEADTEACHER'S UPDATE

Dear Parents/Carers,

It is hard to believe another school year has come to an end. It is always so difficult to say goodbye to our Year 6 leavers, but it is also such an honour to have been part of their journey.

As teachers and staff, we are all driven by a desire to help children thrive and flourish, not only academically but also as confident, kind, and resilient young people. To say it is an honour to hold the positions we do in school is an understatement. I would like to take this opportunity to thank our parents for their unwavering support of both your children and our staff; the staff at Callow End for their passion, care, and dedication; and, lastly, the wonderful children who make up our beautiful school. You are what makes every day worthwhile, and we are all so proud of each and every one of you.

To the children we say goodbye to today, go forward and shine brightly. We have had a wonderful couple of weeks celebrating you and your time here, and we look forward to hearing about the mountains you will go on to climb. To the children who are returning in September, enjoy a well-deserved break and look forward to the adventures we have in store for you next year.

Have a wonderful summer, and we look forward to welcoming you back on the 3rd of September.

Warmest wishes,

Miss Curtis



**FROM THE
CLASSROOM**

**YEAR 6
CELEBRATIONS**

From the Classroom...

Monday

This week has once again been filled with fun, excitement and fantastic learning opportunities across the school! On Monday, we were delighted to welcome professional tennis coach Macy, who delivered engaging sessions for every class. The children thoroughly enjoyed developing their tennis skills through a range of fun activities and challenges, building their confidence, coordination and teamwork along the way. It was wonderful to see so many smiling faces and enthusiastic players, with many children discovering a real passion for the sport. A huge thank you to Macy for inspiring our pupils and making the day such a memorable experience!



Tuesday

Tuesday brought another action-packed day as the children enjoyed an exciting Sports Enrichment Day with the Impact Sports team. Pupils took part in a fantastic variety of activities including football, golf, team-building challenges and even baking with Carolyn! The day was filled with laughter, teamwork and new experiences, giving every child the opportunity to have fun, learn new skills and make wonderful memories. It was a truly brilliant day, and the smiles on the children's faces said it all!



From the Classroom...

Wednesday

On Wednesday, we had the pleasure of celebrating our wonderful Year 6 pupils at our annual Oscars Ceremony. This special event gave us the opportunity to recognise each child for their unique talents, personalities and the many qualities that make them such valued members of our school community. It was a joyful celebration, filled with laughter, pride and a few happy tears, as we reflected on the incredible young people they have become. We are so proud of every one of them and wish them every success as they prepare for the next exciting chapter of their journey.



Thursday

On Thursday, we welcomed our EYFS families to our annual End of Year Picnic, a lovely opportunity to celebrate our youngest learners and everything they have achieved this year. Together, we recognised our Preschool children as they prepare for their exciting move into Reception and celebrated our Reception children as they get ready to begin their Year 1 journey. It was wonderful to share this special occasion with families, reflecting on the incredible progress, confidence and friendships the children have developed throughout the year. We are so proud of each and every one of them and cannot wait to see them continue to flourish in September.



From the Classroom...

Friday

Today, we said a final farewell to our incredible Year 6 pupils. Our Leavers' Service was a truly special occasion, giving the children the opportunity to reflect on their time at Callow End and look ahead to the exciting adventures that await them. They spoke with confidence, maturity and warmth, sharing memories, expressing gratitude and reminding us just how much they have grown during their time with us. It was an absolute pleasure to listen to them, and we could not be prouder of the remarkable young people they have become. We wish each and every one of them every success and happiness as they begin the next chapter of their journey.



Year 6!

What a fantastic week we have had celebrating our incredible Year 6 children as they reached the end of their primary school journey.

From a glamorous Oscars ceremony and a celebratory McDonald's lunch in the park to a fun-filled bucket list day, the children have enjoyed making lasting memories together. Their bucket list included decorating biscuits, spending time at Woodland School and relaxing with a film and snacks—an opportunity to celebrate their friendships and reflect on their time at Callow End.

We ended the week with our heartfelt Leavers' Service, where the children spoke with confidence and maturity as they reflected on their primary school journey and looked ahead to the future. They have been a wonderful class who have brought kindness, laughter and enthusiasm to our school community. They will be greatly missed by both staff and pupils, but we know they are more than ready for the exciting adventures that await them.

We wish each and every one of our Year 6 leavers every happiness and success in the next chapter of their journey.



Summer Term Clubs

Thank you to all of our parents and carers for encouraging your children to take part in the fantastic range of after-school clubs we have had on offer this year. It has certainly been a busy one, with children enjoying:

- Woodland Explorers
- Construction Club
- Multi Skills
- Doodle
- Homework and Hot Chocolate
- Netball
- Lego
- Reading Club
- Julia Donaldson Club
- Rounders
- Basketball
- Cricket

These opportunities have allowed children to develop new skills, build friendships, discover new interests and, most importantly, have lots of fun. We would like to say a huge thank you to all of our dedicated staff who have generously given their time to run these clubs, as well as the fantastic coaches from our local sports clubs who have shared their expertise and enthusiasm with our children throughout the year. Their commitment has provided our pupils with a wealth of exciting experiences beyond the classroom.

We look forward to seeing what exciting clubs and opportunities will be on offer next year!

Club	Staff	Day	Year Group	Cost per week	Time
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Diary Dates



1 st and 2 nd September	Teacher Training Days
3 rd September	First day back at school

Attendance

**MOMENTS
MATTER,
ATTENDANCE
COUNTS.**

What a fantastic week! A
record attendance, well
done!

Ash Class	100%
Holly Class	98.2%
Oak Class	98%
Willow Class	100%



ClassDojo

Please see class dojo for further
updates about calendar events.

Celebrations

Congratulations to our Sporting Certificate winners!
Throughout Sports Week, these children stood out for their
kindness, teamwork, resilience and positive attitudes. We are
incredibly proud of the way they embraced every challenge
and represented our school values. Well done to you all!

A big thank you also to everyone who completed and
returned their 60 Active Minutes tracker. It was fantastic to
see the wide variety of activities our children take part in
outside of school. We were delighted to present each
participant with a water bottle as a small token of
recognition for their commitment to staying active. Keep up
the great work!



Friends Association

The Friends Association would like to extend a
heartfelt thank you for your continued support
throughout the year. Thanks to your generosity, we
have raised a fantastic amount of money to
enhance opportunities for our children and improve
our school facilities. We look forward to welcoming
you to many more events next year!

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Class of 2026!



Good Luck!



Community Links

The Summer Reading Challenge Has Officially Begun!

Children across Worcestershire are invited to take part in this year's Summer Reading Challenge:
Read to the Beat.

The challenge is simple: read six library books during the summer holidays. For every book read, children will receive a sticker for their Read to the Beat sticker book, as well as the chance to earn some exciting bonus rewards along the way.

Reading over the summer is a great way for children to relax, have fun, and keep their minds active during the school break. Regular reading helps maintain skills and can make the transition back to school in September much easier.

Research shows that children who read regularly often achieve higher academic attainment, while also developing their creativity, imagination, and confidence. Reading can also support positive mental wellbeing, providing a relaxing and enjoyable escape into new worlds and adventures. Visit your local Worcestershire Library to sign up and start your Read to the Beat journey today!

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YOUR TICKET TO...
Summer Reading Challenge 2026

READ to the BEAT

Join **FREE** at your library and earn rewards for reading!

QR code linking to the challenge details.