

THE FRIDAY LETTER



This week at The Wyche

Badgers explored the scientific methods and thought carefully about testing a hypothesis, Stoats experimented with using Audacity to record sound, and edited the results, Otters read Genesis chapter 1 closely and asked deep, interesting questions about the biblical account of Creation, Foxes put finishing touches to their kinetic sculptures and Hedgehogs located the four nations of the United Kingdom. (If you're not sure what these are, ask a hedgehog).

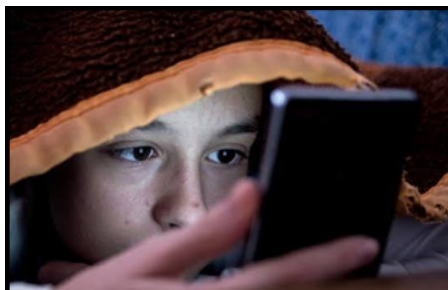


Collective Worship

This week Mrs Baylis led a reflection on the people who keep us safe, such as doctors, nurses, paramedics and police officers. She pointed out one of the most important people who can protect is, is ourselves, by making safe choices and asking for help. We sang a few Harvest hymns of course; it's that time of year.

Online Safety

It's early enough in the term to still be thinking about a reboot of your child's screen habits. Use the post on p.4 to spot all the online safety tips and start the school year safer and better aware.



Family Help - Family Hubs

Did you know that Malvern has a [Best Start in Life Family Hub](#)? Here you can get support with antenatal courses and groups, speech and language therapy, Stay, Weigh & Play sessions and a whole lot more!

It's been a warm Autumn so far but we have those dewy mornings and pink skies creeping in this week and I hope we all have a gorgeous. The Wyche is a great place to be when the leaves are turning and the evenings drawing in. See you on Monday for more soaring!

Mr Murphy

We can all play a part in **safeguarding** children. If you are ever worried about the safety of a child, please discuss this with **Mr Murphy, Mrs Baylis or Mrs Charles**. You can refer or get advice yourself from Children's Services on 01905 822666.

If you think a child or adult is in immediate danger, please call the police on 999.

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Spirituality

I saw some lovely collaborative connection between pupils this week as two pupils turned a game of Jenga into an elaborate domino rally, sharing with others. Over the days it grew into the most delightful collective endeavour, with boys and girls from all KS2 year groups balancing pieces, clearing a path and working alongside each other. Talk about soaring.



Together We Soar

"They will soar on wings like eagles." Isaiah 40:31

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Together *We Soar*



Attendance Absolutely Matters

Congratulations to Otter Class who take ownership of Buzz for this week with an incredible 98.8% attendance.

Well done to all, for their efforts this week. We are aware 'back to school bugs' are creeping in. If you are unsure whether your child should be in school, please copy and paste the following link for further guidance -

<https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/is-my-child-too-ill-for-school/>



Morning Routines

Can we encourage all parents (unless arranged with teachers) to bring children in to school through the playground. The gate will be open until 9am.



Tree Trimming

We wanted to thank everyone for their cooperation this week whilst we addressed the issue of the overhanging conifers at the bottom of the hill. We wanted to reassure you that, although the cut back looks severe, it was done by professionals and adhered to nesting and forestry regulations.

Uniform

Can we remind all parents that the children are expected to come to school in full uniform each day with proper school shoes. Can hair (where possible) be tied back and accessories be kept to a minimum and ideally be in plain school colours. Please ensure ALL uniform is named - we have already amounted a huge amount of lost property.

Lunch Ordering

Can you please ensure that your child's lunches are ordered with Black Pepper. We have had a large number of children this week with no lunch - We are aware that some of this could be due to a 'Black Pepper' issue, but please double check orders.

Email Updates

We have spent a huge amount of time this week setting up the email lists for the upcoming year, please let Mrs Walley know if you have not received this 'Friday Letter'. We appreciate your patience going forward - 'setting up the year' on our computer systems is a huge task and with the roll out of the Arbour Parent App imminent we need to ensure all is accurate.



Stars of the Week

It is always a delight to award a "Star of the Week" award to a child who has demonstrated the **STRIVE** values in classwork. This week's award-winning superstars are:

HEDGEHOGS
CHARLIE HUSBAND
ELI REYSMITH

FOXES
MARTHA LITTLE
LUNA WILLIAMS

OTTERS
THEO WILSDON
ORLA LEWIS-CROSBY

STOATS
DAVID TALCOTT
ROWAN POULTER

BADGERS
ARCHIE SEYMOUR
FLORENCE DUESUND

House Points

This week Midsummer take the crown with a fantastic 58 Housepoints. Congratulations to all for their efforts and hard work.



By living and learning together through our Christian values of *Safety, Trust, Respect, Inspiration, Value, & Engagement*, with God's help, we will support each other to "soar", lifting hearts and broadening horizons, so that by giving our best today, the world may be better tomorrow.

FRIDAY 18TH SEPTEMBER 2026

WHAT'S ON ?

Mon 21st Sept Peripatetic Guitar Lessons
Lunchtime Art Club
Afterschool Sketching Club - 4.15pm
Afterschool Netball Club - 4.15pm

Thurs 24th Sept Afterschool Multi-sports Club - 4.30pm

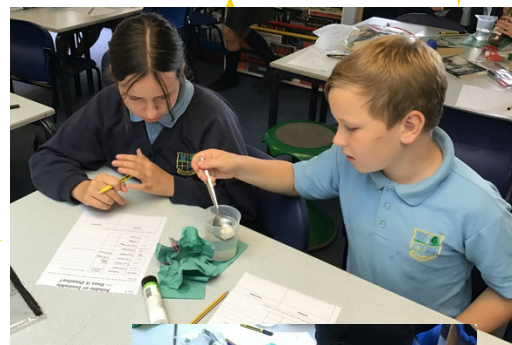
Fri 25th Sept Badger Class 2nd Swim

Tues 22nd Sept Flu Vaccination Day
Peripatetic Drum Lessons
Afterschool Choir Club - 4.15pm

Weds 23rd Sept Peripatetic Violin Lessons
Peripatetic Piano Lessons

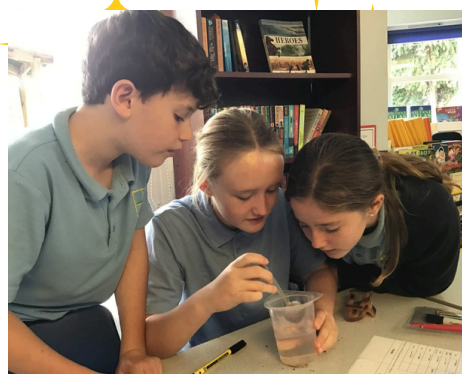
Dates for your Diary

- **Tues 22nd September** - Nasal Flu Vaccination Day
- **Tues 29th September** - Yr 6 Oakerwood Trip
- **Tues 6th October** - Harvest Festival 2pm in All Saints Church
- **Thurs 15th October** - School Photo Day
- **Tues 20th October** - Ising Pop Concert, Whole School 2pm in All Saints Church (more info to follow)



Year 6 Science!

This week in Science our year 6's have been learning about how to create a fair test for the solubility of a range of materials.



SPOT THE ONLINE SAFETY TIPS FOR GOING

BACK TO SCHOOL

