

BUNNY C of E PRIMARY SCHOOL

12th June 2026 Newsletter

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Headteacher update

It was such a shame that our sports day couldn't go ahead as planned this week. I had some very sad children in school on Wednesday afternoon. We kept hoping the weather would stay dry just for a couple of hours, but unfortunately that didn't happen. Make sure you have the re-arranged date in your diary. It is **Monday 22nd June at 9.15am**. Keep everything crossed we get good weather this time!

Please make sure you send your child in their house coloured top and PE kit on this day.

SCREENWISE update

I have had a big thankyou from Arwen and Emily at Screenwise to all the parents who came to the parent workshop last week. Here is a link to youtube to watch the recording in case you missed it. [YouTube link](#)

As requested, I have also contacted the safeguarding lead at South Wolds Academy to find out about their mobile phone policy. The important parts to note are:

Mobile phones, smart watches and other electronic music or games devices should not be used on school premises by students at any time. Students who choose to bring devices to school should keep them switched off and out of sight. Students know that mobile phones, smart watches (and other electronic music or games devices) are not to be used whilst at school and that they will be confiscated if seen, used or heard.

Students who ignore this policy and use a mobile or other unauthorised device on school premises will be required to give their phone/device to a member of staff immediately. Students will be asked to collect it from main reception at the end of the day. If the phone (or other electronic music or games device) is confiscated on a second occasion a parent or carer will be expected to collect it personally from school.

Failure to hand the phone/device over to a member of staff when requested, will be seen as refusing staff instructions and will therefore lead to serious sanctions such as a period of time in the Restoration Room -or even exclusion. We ask that parents/carers support us in this policy so that students are aware that this is a shared responsibility.

If your child is moving onto South Wolds academy and you have any further questions about their mobile phone policy, please do contact them directly.

Have a great weekend.

Kind regards

V. White

Victoria White, Head Teacher

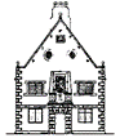


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Bunny Bash- Friday 3rd July 5-8pm

FOBS are very busy behind the scenes trying to get everything ready for the Bunny Bash in a couple of weeks. They are looking for extra pairs of hands to help out and also are asking for donations for the colour raffle once again.

Welcome to our **RAINBOW RAFFLE!**

We hope everyone can help each year group create a different coloured hamper for our Rainbow Raffle.

If you are able to, we would be very grateful for one or two donations in the colour assigned to your child's year group.

The completed hampers will be the prizes in our raffle draw at
The Big Bunny Bash on Friday 3rd July.

THERE WILL BE SEVEN HAMPERS IN TOTAL:

 Nursery & Reception - Pink 	 Year 1 - Purple 	 Year 2 - Blue 	 Year 3 - Green 	 Year 4 - Yellow 	 Year 5 - Orange 	 Year 6 - Red
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DONATIONS COULD INCLUDE:

 Food items (non-perishable)	 Soft drinks	 Alcoholic drinks	 Sweets, chocolates, snacks	 Books	 Games, toys	 Hair accessories	 Stationery	and much more!
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Anything in your year group colour would be greatly appreciated!

Thank you for your continued support.

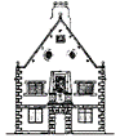
Please drop off any donations at the school office by **Friday 26th June** to give us time to put the hampers together.

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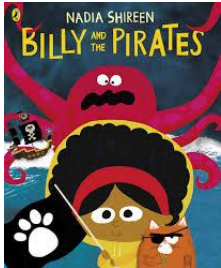
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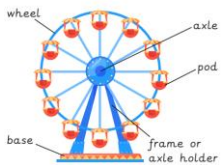


Willow Class



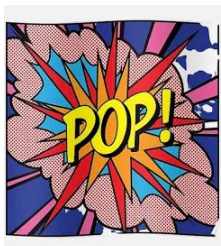
This week in Willow we have started a new literacy text, Billy and the Pirates. We have done some writing predicting what we think Billy found in the message in the bottle and thought about what maps are and who uses them. We are practising writing sentences more independently using our phonetical knowledge to help us. In maths, reception have been exploring sharing and doubling numbers. Nursery have continued their learning around subitising. On Friday, the children received a message in a bottle from a pirate who has lost their buried , so the children used the map to help the pirate find their treasure. In scarf, reception have been thinking about what is safe to go into their body and nursery have been thinking about which people can keep them safe.

Chestnut Class



This week in Chestnut Class, the children have been working hard to develop their speaking and listening skills in preparation for our performance next week, showing growing confidence and expression. In English, we have also been learning how to add the suffix -er to change word classes, alongside continuing to take pride in our handwriting progress. In maths, both year groups have now successfully completed their topics, with Year 1 finishing place value to 100 and Year 2 completing their work on statistics. Year 2 have enjoyed asking for everyone's favourite things so that they can make tallies, block graphs and pictograms. We have also begun an exciting new DT project, where the children are designing their very own fairground wheel, using their creativity and problem-solving skills. Despite the wet weather, the children have enjoyed a busy week in PE, taking part in games and developing their skills in cricket.

Oak Class



This week in Oak Class, we have been busy with lots of exciting learning across the curriculum. In English, we created our own imaginative Lost Things and designed lost posters and lost tags, using descriptive language to help others identify them. In Maths, our Year 4 pupils completed their Multiplication Tables Check at the beginning of the week and worked incredibly hard. We then continued our learning about shape, exploring angles and different types of polygons. In Spanish, we learnt the names of a variety of pets and practised using our new vocabulary. In Science, we investigated sound, learning about how sounds are made and how they travel to our ears. We finished the week by continuing to learn about Pop Art, looking at the work by Roy Lichtenstein this week and beginning to create our own self-portraits in his iconic comic book style. We're looking forward to showing them when they are finished.

Hawthorn Class



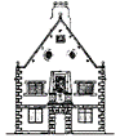
This week, Hawthorn Class began preparations for their exciting summer production of *Peter Pan*. The children have been enthusiastically exploring the story, discussing characters and themes, and starting to learn their roles. In Science, the class investigated whether yeast is a living organism. They combined yeast with warm water and sugar, then carefully observed what happened over time. They noticed that the yeast began to respire, producing carbon dioxide gas as a by-product helping them conclude that it is indeed a living thing. In Mathematics, Year 5 developed their understanding of where negative numbers sit on a number line and practised comparing, ordering and calculating with them. Meanwhile, Year 6 stepped back in time to 1922 and became journalists reporting on one of the most significant archaeological discoveries of the twentieth century. Using their knowledge of the period, they wrote detailed newspaper articles announcing Howard Carter's discovery of the tomb of Tutankhamun.

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Celebrations and successes!

 STAR assembly S - Sensational effort T - Terrific teamwork A - Achievement R - Remarkable reasoning/ Remarkable writing	S	Isabella - Chestnut Astrid - Willow
	T	Lincoln - Oak
	A	
	R	Karson - Hawthorn
Class Recognition Award 	Willow	Ava -
	Chestnut	Hattie - Peace
	Oak	Ettienne - Aspiration
	Hawthorn	Tristan -
Top Table lunchtime award 	This week Helena, Marley, Seth, Rupert, Elsie, Alfie, Ava and Quinn have all been chosen to be on the top table. Well done all of you.	

Out of school achievements

On Sunday 7th June, Darcey travelled to Barnsley to attend the Karate Union of Great Britain black belt grading under the watchful eye of Sensei Frank Brennan 8th Dan. Following a very hard pre-training karate session she took grading along with 45 other karateka, both children and adults, and was successful. Darcey was one of the 20 successful students and her success is a testament to many years of training and dedication. We and the other students and the Bunny Shotokan Karate Club are very proud of her achievement. Congratulations!!!

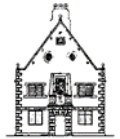


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Summer term diary dates

Date	Event
Tues 16th June	KS2 Swimming gala for Oak and Hawthorn classes – 1.15-3.15pm Keyworth Leisure centre
Thurs 18th June	9.30-10.30am - Willow class "Stay and Play" for new children to school Sept 2026
Fri 19th June	FOBS Father's Day sale – 8.30am – Discovery Den Chestnut Class assembly – 9.10am – Parents invited "Ignite minds" presentation at Notts County FC – Invitation only from Hawthorn class – further info nearer the time
Mon 22nd June	Sports day – rearranged date! 9.15am – everyone welcome Piano assembly 2.45pm – Parents invited Full Governors
Wed 24th June	South Wolds transition day for year 6
Thurs 25th June	Reception children to Nottingham Trent University for Mini Olympics! – further details nearer the time South Wolds transition day for year 6
Mon 29th June	Deadline for RMSA STEM challenge entries
Fri 3rd July	Willow class craft morning for Grandparents – further information nearer the time Bunny Bash – 5-8pm. All welcome
Mon 6th July	Drumming assembly 2.45pm – Parents invited
Tues 7th July	9.30-10.30am - Willow class "Stay and Play" for new children to school Sept 2026 "Nottalone Live" Mental Health workshops - Invitation only
Tues 14th July	6pm - KS2 production at St Mary's church
Thurs 16th July	9.30am - KS2 production at St Mary's church RMSA STEM challenge finals at Jesse Grey Primary School 1.00pm
Mon 20th July	Family picnic/ outdoor concert/ art gallery – from 12.00pm – further details nearer the time
Tues 21st July	Whole school trip to Twycross zoo
Wed 22nd July	Last swimming for Oak class
Fri 24th July	FOBS – Colour run 2.00pm Break up for the summer holidays!