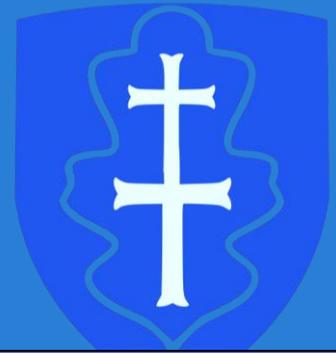


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Head Teacher's News

What a week! The sun has been shining brightly and the children have had an absolutely fantastic time enjoying the warmth with their friends.

On Monday, Reception and Year 1/2 visited Tiggywinkles animal hospital and rescue. It was a really fun day and the children loved seeing and learning about the animals there. The highlight was definitely the grumpy tortoise who kept head-butting our tour guide! The work they do at the centre is absolutely amazing and we managed a quick peek into the hospital itself. The children were excellent ambassadors for the school and we received some lovely feedback from a couple of members of the public who tagged along with our polecat talk. Thank you to the staff team for organising a great day.

The days are flying past and it is already time to start work on our allotment! On Tuesday, Years 3 and 4 walked down Green Lane to start digging the



beds out ready for planting next week. I would like to send a big tank you to Lucy Goodright and her team of volunteers who have already done lots of great work in prepping and planting ready for the season ahead. We are now the owners of a lovely apple tree!

Next week doesn't look like being quite as sunny, but there is plenty to look forward to. In particular, on Friday, some Year 3/4s will be taking part in a cricket festival which promises to be great fun.

To end with a bit of good news, congratulations to Sherida Atherton who won the £350 draw of the 50 Club! If you would like to join the 50 club and be in with a chance of a big win, please contact Mrs Cronin in the office.

I hope you all have a fantastic bank holiday weekend and look forward to seeing you on Tuesday.

Sam Browne



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Head Journalists

Badgers

This week in Badgers, they visited Tiggywinkles with Otters and Hedgehogs and learnt about all the different animals they rescue. When they got back they wrote about all the amazing things they did and saw.

1&2

Otters and Hedgehogs had a great week! On Monday they went to Tiggywinkles and it was great! They have been writing recounts about their trip in English. In Maths they were looking at money and in science they started their new unit 'living things and habitats!'

3&4

This week in year 3 and 4, they have were using fronted adverbials to improve their writing in English. They also enjoyed their first visit to the allotment doing lots of digging, weeding and meeting plenty of creepy crawlies!

5&6

This week in year 5 and 6, they have been looking at the amount of water that could be collected from rain by getting one of Mr Chalk's bottles and cutting it in half then putting it in a safe place where no one can touch it before then waiting a day and seeing if any rain had been collected (Science).

Forest School

In Forest school this week they stayed cool under the trees and painted their clay creations and bluebell pictures. They talked about the keeping safe rule of 'No Pick No Lick' and that they shouldn't pick the Spring wildflowers. They also discussed being extra careful around Foxgloves and Hogweed.

This Weeks Highlights

This week Badgers and 1&2 went to Tiggywinkles and looked at all the animal's different habitats and enjoyed playing in the park, having a lovely time!

Freya, Lola and Erin

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Star of the Week and Sparkle

Hallie for being really kind to her friends and some lovely writing

Mia for making a brilliant start at Radnage

Nell for giving 100% effort in all lessons

Arthur for really good application in class

Miss Pedley for being a great help in Badgers

The Sparkle Award went to **Frederick** for helping adults out at lunchtime

Diary Dates

Date	Occasion	Location	Who?
May 2025			
Mon 5 th	Bank Holiday	School	Everyone
Fri 9 th	Year 3/4 Cricket Festival	Great Marlow School	Selected Children
Mon 12 th – Thurs 15 th	KS2 SATS Week	School Hall	Year 6
Weds 14 th @ 14:30	Year 3/4 Presentation Assembly	School Hall	Selected Children
Thurs 15 th @ 14:30	Reception Presentation Assembly	Classroom	Selected Children
Fri 16 th	Year 5/6 Kwik Cricket Competition	Marlow Sports Club	Selected Children
Fri 16 th	Year 3/4 Boys' Football Tournament	Tyler's Green School	Selected Children
Tues 20 th @ 9:00am	Year 5/6 Presentation Assembly	School Hall	Selected Children
Thurs 22 nd @ 14:30	Year 1/2 Presentation Assembly	Classroom	Selected Children
Thurs 22 nd	Break up for Half Term	School	Everyone
Fri 23 rd	INSET Day	School	Staff
June 2025			
Tues 10 th	Year 5/6 Quadkids Athletics Competition	Foxes Piece School	Selected Children
Sat 28 th	School Fete	School Field	Everyone
Mon 30 th @ 13:30	Sports Day	School Field	Everyone
July 2025			
Tues 1 st	Move Up Morning	School	All Children
Mon 7 th – Fri 11 th	Year 5/6 Residential	JCA	Year 5/6
Weds 16 th @ 14:00	Achievement Afternoon	School Hall	Everyone
Fri 18 th @ 09:45	Leavers' Assembly	School Hall	Year 6
Mon 21 st @ 14:30	Art Gallery Open Afternoon	School	Everyone
Tues 22 nd @ 13:30	Break up for summer holidays	School	Everyone

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