



Message from Mrs Kent

Dear families, football is a very popular activity at play and lunch times. I have enjoyed seeing a mixture of children playing together - different ages, different genders. It has made me proud countless times to watch older children invite, include and help younger ones to join in the game - brilliant examples of children living our school values of kindness and inclusivity. More recently, football games appear to have become more rough - the ball being kicked hard, children making contact with each other and a general decline in sportmanship. This has resulted in a smaller group of children playing with others not feeling like they can join in. We have spoken to the children about this and explained the issues, football will now only take place on Fridays. For some, this has been disappointing news. If your child talks to you about this, please take the opportunity to reinforce the importance of good sportmanship. Have a wonderful weekend. *Shelley*

Duck Class

This week in duck class we have been making the most of all the puddles and mud! Splashing, digging, making mud pies and generally getting wet and muddy. We have also been thinking about the number four and painting ladybirds with different amounts of spots.



Robin Class

Robins had a fantastic forest school session this week, we shared the story *The Bear's Winter House*, working in partners they then created their own houses for the bear using natural materials such as sticks, logs, leaves, catkins and mud. They have also been brilliant at using their stem sentences to explain how to make the numbers 6 and 7, eg 4 and 2 make 6.



Deer Class

Deer Class have been fantastic actors this week! In English we acted our class story with a twist of new characters which we believed Morris Mole could meet in our story. Deer Class had to think about how the characters would act and how they would speak including using expression. We also thought about whether the sentence was a question, exclamation or statement. Fantastic work Deers!



Rabbit Class

This week Rabbit Class in maths Rabbit Class have been learning about doubling two-digit numbers and the relationship between doubling and multiplying by 2. In English we have been learning the features of a letter and have been writing our own. History this week was learning about why the Fire of London spread so quickly. In art, the children have been making the back grounds to a Great Fire of London scene using coloured inks.



Squirrel Class

It's been a very productive week in Squirrels as we are now fully immersed in our various Rainforest projects; we've got art work, dance performances, short films, performance poetry, persuasive letters and more all underway! We very much enjoyed a visit this week from some real-life eco-warriors too, when Elodie's grandparents visited us to tell us all about marching peacefully in London, to persuade the government to take action over Climate Change. And finally, we are looking forward to awarding some Reading Ambassador badges to our first set of Squirrels, who have completed their Reading Passports, in Celebration Assembly this week too - Well done Squirrels and keep up the great work!

Owl Class

This week in Owls, we have been exploring how the Romans changed Britain. The children learned about Roman towns and created their own maps, including key features. They also worked as historians, evaluating sources about Roman Bath and considering which artefacts help us understand what Roman Bath was like. In English, Owls have been working hard on their non-chronological reports about volcanoes. Great work, Owls!



Date	Event	Details
Fri 6th-Feb	Deer Class Trip	Carymoor Environmental Trust
Tues 10th	Safer Internet Day	
Tues 10th	Y4 to see High School Musical	Watch Y8 pupils dress rehearsal @ HSMS back in time for the end of school
Thurs 12th	Last Day of Term	
Mon 23rd Feb	First Day of New Term	
Fri 6th March	SEND Peer Support Meeting	2.30pm at Wedmore First School



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**MOMENTS
MATTER,
ATTENDANCE
COUNTS.**

Attendance for this week is 92%

Clubs this term

Singing Thursday 3.30 - 4.15pm (Y2 - Y4)
Basketball Tuesday 3.30-4.30pm (Y3-Y4)
Drum Club Friday 2.45 - 3.15pm (Y1- Y4)
Art Club Wednesday 3.30-4.30pm (Y4)

Term Dates 2025/26
Term dates can be found [here](#)

Calendar Dates can be found [here](#)

Absence Reporting

Please phone 01934 712643 (option 1) or email office@wedmorefirstschool.org.uk before 8.55am (on each and every day of absence)

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WHAT'S ON THIS FEBRUARY FOR OUR YOUTH

YOUTH CLUB	YOUTH CAFE
03/02 LANTERN WORKSHOP 10/02 VALENTINES CAKES 17/02 PANCAKE PARTY 24/02 CHINESE NEW YEAR	05/02 RESET 12/02 PANCAKE CAFE 19/02 MANDELA 26/02 GAMES WITHOUT THE GAMES

WHAT'S ON THIS FEBRUARY AT THE WELLBEING BLEND

MONDAYS	TUESDAYS
2ND 12:30-2:30PM SOMERSET PARENT CARER FORUM 9TH 10AM TALKING CAFE THE GENTLE BREW EVERY MONDAY 7:30-8:30AM BREAKFAST & AFTER SCHOOL CLUB	3RD 6PM-7:30PM PARENT CLUB EVENING 10TH 8:30-8:30PM BOLD MINDS, SAFE SYSTEMS 17TH 7PM-8:30PM MENOPAUSE CIRCLE

WHAT'S ON THIS FEBRUARY AT THE WELLBEING BLEND

WEDNESDAYS	THURSDAYS
EVERY WEDNESDAY 8:30-10:30AM PARENT CLUB EVERY WEDNESDAY 8:30-10:30AM FOODBANK VOUCHERS AVAILABLE HERE EVERY WEDNESDAY 7:30-8:30AM BREAKFAST & AFTER SCHOOL CLUB	EVERY THURSDAY 8:30-9:30PM YOUTH CAFE EVENT BOOKING

WHAT'S ON THIS FEBRUARY AT THE WELLBEING BLEND

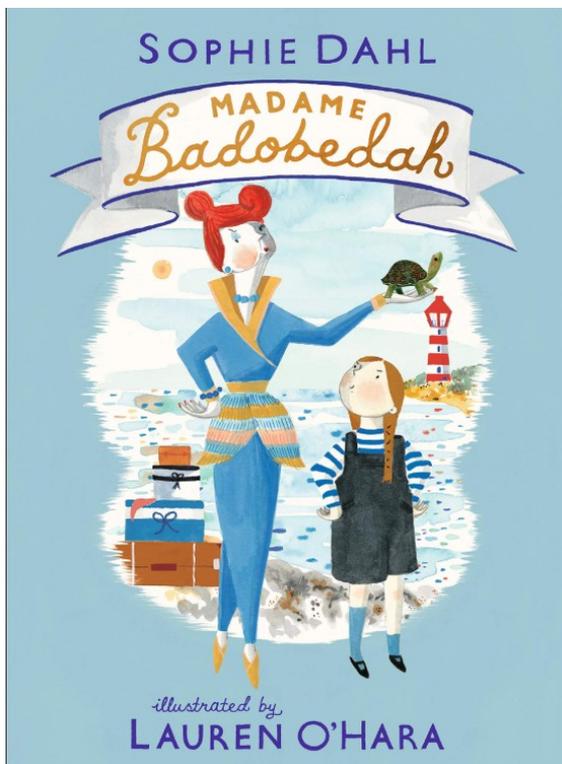
FRIDAYS	WEEKENDS
FRIDAY 27TH 7:30PM (8PM START) QUIZ NIGHT	EVENT BOOKING

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Recommended Reading



Mrs Young's Book Choice

Madame Badobeday

I love recommending *Madame Badobedah* by Sophie Dahl because it celebrates imagination and storytelling in such a joyful way. With its charming characters, gentle humour and beautiful illustrations, it's a heartwarming story about the special bond between a child and an older storyteller. A beautiful book to share, full of warmth, memories and wonder.

