

16th January
2026

Newsletter



This week has seen “Pride Bingo!” Our amazing spotlight people this week are:



Alannah: 3 Pembrokeshire
Maria: Reception City of London



Jasper: 3 Pembrokeshire
Cain: 6 Derbyshire
Reggie: 5 Cornwall
Jenson B: 2 Antrim



Harry: 4 Warwickshire
Layla B: 4 Yorkshire



Kristian: 5 Somerset



Leila-Rose: 3 Hampshire
Ariana: 2 Shetland
Ethan: 1 Dorset
Heison: 5 Somerset



Deirbhile: 6 Derbyshire
Hunter: 1 Dorset

CONGRATULATIONS!

Win the Bin!

For showing **“Pride in our school”** and for doing their **“duty”** by keeping cloakrooms and other areas tidy. A special thank you to **Iulia and Lola (5 Somerset)** who kindly judged this week’s winners...



5 Cornwall



4 Warwickshire

Special Mentions to...

Florence (5 Somerset) who volunteered with the Tamworth Round Table for the Santa Sleigh. She walked around Pennymore Road and the surrounding side roads, which took nearly three hours. This demonstrated a real sense of community pride and duty. Well done, Florence.



Phoebe (6 Derbyshire) who proudly took part in the schools’ trampolining competition competing on behalf of Glascote Academy. Phoebe demonstrated pride in her school and persevered like a true professional! Well done, Phoebe.



Champion Readers...

Two children have completed their “Every Read Counts” as they read every day during the Christmas holidays (including Christmas Day!) They have both proudly chosen their new book as their end gift: **Ethan (1 Dorset) and Heison (5 Somerset)**

Other Champion Readers who have chosen books as their prize are:

Ariadne (2 Antrim)

Scarlett MW (6 Derbyshire)

Lawson (2 Antrim)

Odin (4 Warwickshire)

Nathan (Reception City of London)



A huge thank you from the Royal British Legion



POPPY APPEAL 2025

Congratulations to Glascote Heath

for Raising *£46.44*

We received our certificate in recognition of the money raised for the sale of poppies and poppy merchandise in school for Remembrance Day 2025. Thank you for your generosity.

Launch of the Fun Food...

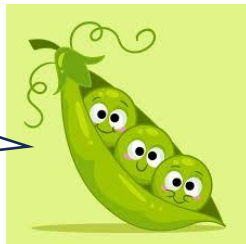
Unfortunately, the launch of the Year 5 experience of cooking with the Fun Food Company supported by some of their family members, did not quite go to plan due to Storm Goretta! However, Ben Melton (Chef) and Alice (St Peter’s Church) found a way and made it work for us! 5 Cornwall and 5 Somerset, accompanied by Reception City of London and 6 Derbyshire took part in the School Food Showdown launch on Monday 12th January. Representatives from the Council also came to see and take part in this amazing opportunity.



Ready,
steady,
cook!



Green
Peas!



Red
Chillies!





Christmas Tree donations

Pollyanna and Mabel our goats, and Brownie, Marshmallow and Cheeky our Alpacas have thoroughly enjoyed chomping on the donated Christmas trees!

Thank you!



On Friday 6th February, we will be having a “Number Day” in school. This will build positive attitudes towards Maths and will help our children to see how numbers are used in daily life. We would like everyone to come to school dressed as a number. Please do not buy expensive costumes; ideas can be very simple and easy to make or create. There are many ideas on the internet. Here are some for you...

Maths fancy dress



- Clocks
- Dominoes
- Symbols
- Calculations
- Fractions
- Percentages
- Dice
- Angles
- Scales
- Rulers



Polite reminder...

Please remember NOT to use the staff car park when you are collecting children from after school clubs. This is to keep everyone safe.



Week beginning	Outdoor Week (Tues/Wed/Thurs)	Class Assembly/ RSHE Workshop (Thursday 9:00 -10:00)	Family Lunch (Wednesday arrive at 11:45)
19.01.26	3 Hampshire	Year 5 Somerset	Year 4 Yorkshire
26.01.26	Joint Year 2 Outdoor Week	Year 5 Cornwall	Reception City of London
02.02.26	Year 5 Somerset	Joint Year 3 Assembly	Joint Year 2
09.02.26	Year 5 Cornwall	Joint Year 2 Assembly	Year 3 Hampshire
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23.02.26	Joint Year 4 Outdoor Week	Year 6 Derbyshire	Year 3 Pembrokeshire
02.03.26	1 Dorset	Joint Year 4 Assembly	Year 6 Derbyshire
09.03.26	Year 6 Derbyshire	Reception City of London	Year 5 Somerset
16.03.26	Reception City of London	1 Dorset	Year 5 Cornwall
23.03.26	No Outdoor	Easter	Year 1 Dorset

Date	Event
Tuesday 20 th January	Year 3 Music Concert for parents (2:30pm) – school hall
Friday 30 th January	Flip and Dippy evening family show (pre-booked tickets only)
Friday 6 th February	Number Day (in school) – come dressed as a number (this can be very simple; no elaborate costumes need to be purchased)
Tuesday 10 th February	Parents’ Evening (5:00pm - 7:30pm)
Wednesday 11 th February	Parents’ Evening (3:40pm - 6:00pm)
Monday 16 th February	Half term
Thursday 5 th March	World Book Day – dress as a word
Tuesday 24 th March	Chocolate Bingo donation – non uniform day
Wednesday 25 th March	Easter Service at St Peter’s Church (10:00am and 1:30pm); Chocolate Bingo Evening
Thursday 26 th March	Achievement Assembly (invite only)
Friday 27 th March	Breakfast Bonanza (Achievement winners and top three Positive Points’ winners per class)