



# FRIDAY FLYER

## 3 November 2023

w/c 6 November

### Menu Week 2

#### Monday

Small Blues PE.  
Guitar Lessons for Year 3,4,5 and 6.

#### Tuesday

Holly Blues Victorian Workshop @ MPA.  
Small Blues to Wear Party Clothes.  
Adonis Blues PE.  
Library Session Week 1 - Small Blues and Holly Blues.

#### Wednesday

Grandparents for Lunch @ 12.00.  
Holly Blues PE.

#### Thursday

AM - Small Blues Outdoor Learning.  
PM - Holly Blues Outdoor Learning.

#### Friday

EYFS 2024/25 Tour @ 11.00am  
Chalk Hill Blues PE.

### Moment of the Week:

On Wednesday, Year 4 had their first session of Wilder Schools. The Suffolk Wildlife Trust came in to school to lead the first session of 9 Developing Nature Connectivity and Improving Wildlife Areas in the school as a whole. Our first session included completing a survey of the school grounds and measuring the wildlife areas that MPA already have.



### Butterfly Book Assembly

<b>Edie</b>	Small Blues	For showing a lot of resilience during handwriting when forming her letters.
<b>Austin</b>	Holly Blues	For always being extremely respectful, listening well, contributing in class and being a super role model. We're very proud of you!
<b>Nia</b>	Adonis Blues	For her aspirational attitude towards her learning and showing the learning powers.
<b>Oli P</b>	Chalk Hill Blues	For showing all of the learning powers this week and for pushing himself to achieve as much as possible and avoid any distractions which might stop him from learning.
<b>Robyn</b>	Silver Studded Blues	For showing all of the learning powers and being a fantastic friend.
<b>Kobi</b>	Sporting Star	For showing all of the learning powers in PE.
<b>Austin</b>	Kindness Award	For always thinking about others.
<b>Hiroki</b>	School Ed Shed Spelling Champion	
<b>Benjamin</b>	School Ed Shed Maths Champion	

<b>House</b>	<b>Andromeda</b>	<b>Orion</b>	<b>Pegasus</b>	<b>Phoenix</b>
<b>Points</b>	<b>1004</b>	<b>949</b>	<b>704</b>	<b>881</b>

### Attendance 16-20 October

<b>Small Blues</b>	<b>Holly Blues</b>	<b>Adonis Blues</b>	<b>Chalk Hill Blues</b>	<b>Silver Studded Blues</b>
<b>94.00%</b>	<b>98.00%</b>	<b>99.44%</b>	<b>97.78%</b>	<b>94.32%</b>

Adonis Blue Class will receive extra playtime as they had the highest attendance before Half Term.

### Messages from Staff:

#### Year 6 Bikeability

Suffolk County Council will be running a Bikeability Course for our Year 6 children after Christmas. The course will be w/c 15 January. In order to take part, children will need a roadworthy cycle and a cycle helmet. More details will follow nearer the time. This course supports the children with their transition to High School.

#### Pumpkin Patch

Thank you to the families that supported the PTA pumpkin patch before Half term. Despite terrible weather conditions the event still took place. We managed to raise £200 which is quite simply amazing. There are 4 parents who form the PTA and there are a few parents who volunteer at events. We are so thankful for your time, energy and commitment to our school and children. A special thank you to the MPA families and staff who donated pumpkins for the children.

#### Parking

Please be careful when dropping off children at the start and end of the day. This week a child was almost hit by a car due to where families had parked. There are safe places to park and we strongly advise families using the car parking facilities. Please do not park opposite the school.

#### Change of weather

We are sorry that our school services were disrupted this week due to the adverse weather and the closing of the bridge. We make decisions based on the safety of our children, families and staff.

#### Key Stage 2 Creative Writing Competition.

We have launched a KS2 writing competition to create a 500 word fairy tale. The children can write the tale at home and return to school on Friday 20th November. These will then be sent to a local theatre group. If an MPA child wins from MPA, there is an opportunity to win theatre tickets..

#### Anti Bullying Week

On Monday 13 November we start Anti Bullying week. An overview of activities will be shared shortly. On Monday 13 the children are invited to wear odd socks. This allows the children to recognise their differences and quirks and be proud of who they are. On Friday 17 this will be Children In Need day. The children can wear something spotty or wear pyjamas, whichever they prefer. The children will be planning some activities for the day to raise awareness of the charity and raise some funds.

### Upcoming Dates

#### w/c 13 November

Anti-Bullying Week. Odd Sock Day 13 November.

#### 15 November

EYFS Parents Phonics Workshop 9.00-10.30am.

#### 17 November

Children In Need - 'Be Spotacular'.