



FRIDAY FLYER

8 December 2023

w/c 11 December

Moment of the Week:

This week we went to TESCO Martlesham to create some Christmas cheer at this special time of year. The children in CHB and SSB sang Christmas carols in the store's main entrance. Thank you to those who supported the children and to TESCO for giving all the children a Christmas treat!



Butterfly Book Assembly

Marykate	Small Blues	For trying her best and taking responsibility for her learning behaviour, she is always focused and ready to learn!
Bodhi	Holly Blues	Bodhi has made huge progress this term due to his resilience and hard work. He is our super scientist and has demonstrated an amazing Science understanding.
Osian	Adonis Blues	For his inspirational resilience in maths 'prove it' and 'solve it' sections.
Effie-Mae	Chalk Hill Blues	For being aspirational this week and wanting to fulfil her potential. Super week, Effie-Mae!
Jacob	Silver Studded Blues	For taking responsibility and having a real focus towards his assessments.
Dylan	Sporting Star	For showing a positive attitude and all 5 of the learning powers during PE.
Rhiannon	Kindness Award	For her smile that makes everyone feel good, always being a good friend and asking others - 'Do you want to play?'
Lyla	School Ed Shed Spelling Champion	
Oscar	School Ed Shed Maths Champion	

House	Andromeda	Orion	Pegasus	Phoenix
Points	2272	1942	1750	2003

Attendance 27 November - 1 December

Small Blues	Holly Blues	Adonis Blues	Chalk Hill Blues	Silver Studded Blues
89.00%	93.67%	94.44%	94.81%	94.48%

Chalk Hill Blues will receive a class reward for having the highest attendance last week.

Messages from Staff:

Carol Service

Thank you for attending the service at St Mary's church on Monday. It was a full house. Lovely to see families attend. The children were amazing and loved performing for you. Reverend Toby was so pleased to have such a busy church. He was also very thankful for your generosity. There was £160 raised. This will really help the church with their community work especially at this time of year. We are MPA and we are proud.

Parent Questionnaire

This is now live and there have been a good number of responses so far. This will be open until Friday 15 December. We will feedback any trends in the survey in the new year. In the first instance this will be via the Parent Council.

Fabulous Finishes

These provide the children with the opportunity to share their learning from this term. We ask that one parent attends due to space in the classroom. We have 3 large classes and will be tight for space.

Reading Survey

Thank you to all parents who completed the reading survey! It has provided us with important data to help us to move forwards in supporting reading at home. In the spring term, there will be two parent sessions- one for fluency and one for comprehension - so please look out for these! All children's reading diaries will also include some example comprehension questions which you can ask your child whilst you read with them at home. Miss Scrutton

Hamper Donations

A huge thank you for your generosity last week. There were so many wonderful items for the Christmas Hampers. Raffle tickets were sent home this week. We will draw the hampers winners on Thursday 14 December.

Autumn Term Reading Blog

A huge thank you to Miss Scrutton and the children for our Autumn Term reading blog which has been emailed to families. There is so much to celebrate with reading at MPA. As well as building core skills children are developing a love of reading. There are some great book recommendations if you needed an extra gift for your child this Christmas.

PE Day Change

Next week Silver Studded Blue Class and Chalk Hill Blue Class will have PE on Thursday. I know this is Christmas jumper day, but can they wear clothing that allows them to do PE activities please.

Menu Week 1

Monday

Small Blues PE (Outside)
Guitar Concert
Year 3 @ 2.00pm. Year 4, 5 and 6 @ 2.45pm.
Holly Blues Fabulous Finish @ 2.30pm.

Tuesday

Adonis Blues Fabulous Finish @ 9.15am.
Silver Studded Blues Fabulous Finish @ 2.30pm.
Adonis Blues PE.
Library Session Week 2 - Adonis Blues, Chalk Hill Blues and Silver Studded Blues.

Wednesday

KS2 Bake-Off.
Small Blues and Chalk Hill Blues Fabulous Finish @ 2.30pm.
Holly Blues PE.

Thursday

Christmas Jumper Day.
Christmas Lunch.
Chalk Hill Blues and Silver Studded Blues PE.

Friday

Years 1 to 6 Panto @ The Ipswich Regent.
Blue Army Day. £1.00 Donation Please.
PTA Bauble Competition Closing Date.

Upcoming Dates

18 December

EYFS Nativity @ 9.30am.
Holly Blues Nativity @ 1.30pm.

19 December

Holly Blues Nativity @ 9.30am.

20 December

Last day of Term.

21 December - 2 January

Christmas Holiday

3 January

PD Day

4 January

Children Return to School