

# **Friday Flyer** 7 February 2025

# Moment of the Week

We had a fantastic launch on Monday and there was a real buzz in school. Thank you for creating your mini rock stars. They were totally awesome. The children have all enjoyed playing and it's great to see their times tables developing. We now have a Hall of Fame to showcase the children's achievements. We look forward to seeing how this develops over time.



#### Celebration Assembly For taking responsibility for her reading in and out of school. Grace Small Blues Well done Grace! Nyla-Mae Holly Blues For being resilient with her phonics. Well done Nyla! For her aspirational learning attitude, and big improvement Thea Adonis Blues to her writing. For her resilience in Art this week and overcoming her Florence Chalk Hill Blues worries. For a really positive week. He's made excellent progress with Stanlev **Roval Blues** writing this week. Well done Stanley! Silver Studded Blues For her responsibility in her learning, asking for support if needed to ensure she makes great progress! Charlotte Catering Team As they are all so kind to everyone. Kindness Award School Ed Shed Spelling Champion Oscar Emilia School Ed Shed Maths Champion House Andromeda Orion Pegasus Phoenix Points 959 873 958 683

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# Menu Week 3

Monday Farmer Visit for Small Blues and Royal Blues. Guitar Lessons. Royal Blues PE. <u>Tuesday</u> Safer Internet Dav. Small Blues PE. Holly Blues PE. Library Session Week 2 -Chalk Hill Blues, Royal Blues and Silver Studded Blues. Wednesday Adonis Blues PE. Silver Studded Blues PE. <u>Thursday</u> Pupil Parliament @ Unity (Selected Year 6) Small Blues Outdoor Learning. Chalk Hill Blues PE. Friday Year 6 Flutterbakes Cake Sale @ 3pm in Playground. Last Day of Term No PE Holly Blues.

# **Upcoming Dates**

17 - 21 February Half Term 24 February PD Dav 26 February Home Learning Due.

#### Attendance 27 31 January

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	Small Blues	Holly Blues	Adonis Blues	Chalk Hill Blues	Royal Blues	Silver Studded Blues	Whole School Since Sept
	<b>95.83%</b>	<b>92.67%</b>	100.00%	<b>98.95</b> %	<b>97.67</b> %	<b>96.67</b> %	<b>95.63%</b>

Well done to Adonis Blues for 100% attendance. This is amazing.

### Home Learning

Just a gentle reminder that the home learning tasks for this term are due on Wednesday 26 February. The details were sent to you at the start of this term. Please do not complete the task for your children. These tasks are set for children in Y1 - Y6. **Heathy Choices** 

We allow children a heathy snack at break time. Fruit is a great choice and is provided by the school. We do not allow biscuits or crisps to be eaten at break. Also, there seems to be more children having squash in their water bottles. Can we remind families that water is best for that children whilst they are at school.

## **Educational Visits**

Last year parents said that they valued educational visits and felt these were important. We totally agree. Transportation costs are very high and this is impacting on costs. We agreed with parents and said we would aim to stick to £20 and offer a payment plan. We just wanted to remind families that this is what we aim to do. If you are struggling financially then please come and talk to us and we will do all we can to help.

## **Cross Country**

We are selecting our runners for the Suffolk Cross Country Trials. We hope to select teams from Y4, Y5 and Y6. These will be taking place on Wednesday 2 April. Parents will receive more information next week. However, you may want to save the date to add to your calendar to come and spectate. It's a fun morning and certainly allows the children to demonstrate our learning powers.

## **Forest School**

We are delighted that Mrs Peck will be our Forest School Lead after half term. She will be at MPA every Friday. She will take Small Blues and Holly Blue Class for weekly sessions. She will also have a group of children from Key Stage Two. We will give more details next week. Mrs Peck has worked for the Suffolk Wildlife Trust so she brings a lot of knowledge and expertise with her. We are very excited to see what she does for our Forest School provision.

### Morning Drop Off

The only children who can be left in the playground in the mornings are the children in Y6. Despite reminders, some parents are leaving their children before the teachers collect at 8.40. If you are dropping children to school then then you need to stay until 8.40. Some parents stand at the gate as they have dogs. This is fine as you are still observing your children. Many thanks to the parents who do stay and ensure that their child lines up safely. This is appreciated.