



# Friday Flyer

## 2 May 2025

w/c 5 May

### Menu Week 3

#### Monday

May Day Bank Holiday - No children in school.

#### Tuesday

Small Blues PE.  
Holly Blues PE.  
Library Session Week 1 - Small Blues, Holly Blues and Adonis Blues.

#### Wednesday

Adonis Blues PE.  
Silver Studded Blues PE.

#### Thursday

Chalk Hill Blues PE.  
Adonis Blues 11 B4 11 - Hiking Heroes.

#### Friday

Holly Blues and Small Blues Forest School.  
Royal Blues PE.

## Moment of the Week

This week Small Blues planted lettuces, tomatoes and beans with Mrs Garrod for their 11 before 11 promise. The children have created a watering rota to make sure they are looking after them. We are really excited to see them grow and look forward to tasting them in a salad!



### Celebration Assembly

Marlowe	Small Blues	For always trying her best and developing her resilience.
Felix	Holly Blues	For having a positive attitude and trying his best. Well done.
Oliver	Adonis Blues	For having an inspirational, aspirational and resilient attitude.
Finn	Chalk Hill Blues	For his aspirational learning attitude, especially in English.
Harry	Royal Blues	For being aspirational in writing. Harry worked hard on his presentation and content!
Ramlah	Silver Studded Blues	For her aspirational attitude towards her writing using description to create atmosphere.
Nylah	Kindness Award	For making cakes for the class. Such a kind act.
Penelope	Sporting Star	For showing all of the learning powers during PE.
Rose	School Ed Shed Spelling Champion	
Lyla	School Ed Shed Maths Champion	

House	Andromeda	Orion	Pegasus	Phoenix
Points	238	329	341	227

### Attendance 22 - 25 April

Small Blues	Holly Blues	Adonis Blues	Chalk Hill Blues	Royal Blues	Silver Studded Blues	Whole School Since Sept
97.92%	95.42%	97.12%	98.13%	97.50%	93.75%	95.81%

Well done Chalk Hill Blues, you will get a reward for highest attendance.

### Summer Term Dates

All families will have had an overview of the Summer Term Dates. Please add these to your calendars and save the dates. We hope to see you at the events planned. We will keep you informed via the Friday Flyer.

### Hot Weather

Please can we ask that you provide a hat and apply suncream during the hot weather. The field does not have a lot of shaded areas and lunchtime falls over the hottest part of the day. Also, PE sessions take place outside. School staff are not permitted to apply suncream to children, just so you are aware.

### Football at lunchtimes

We have two areas where children can play football at lunchtimes. One pitch is designated for children in Y1,2 and 3. The other is for Y4,5 and 6. We are keeping the two age groups separate to keep the children safe from harm.

### Summer Fair

Sadly, due to the fact the PTA only has three active members, we will not be able to hold a Summer Fair this year. We hope that next year, we can recruit more members and we will be able to plan more fundraising events for the children.

### Eco Day

On Friday 16 May we will be holding our 3rd MPA Eco Day - this year its all about Bees. The children may come dressed in yellow and black clothes on that day for a £1 donation to raise money for the Bee Conservation charity. Thank you for your support. Please do not buy any clothing as this is not supporting the environment.

### Stunning Starts

**Holly Blues** had a space themed morning based around Neil Armstrong. We made our own space helmets, watched the Apollo 11 mission to the moon while eating a rocket lolly and made our own straw rockets that blasted off into space.

**Adonis Blues** learnt about Roman symbols on the soldiers shields. They chose the symbols they wanted to use and created their own Roman shields. They then recreated Roman battle formations.

**Chalk Hill Blues** learnt all about the process of mummification. They performed each stage of mummification on one another and finished off by seeing who had the best technique of getting a perfectly wrapped mummy!

**Royal Blues** and **Silver Studded Blues** - The mini-Ancient Olympics came to MPA! The children learnt about the Ancient Olympics before taking part in (wheelbarrow) chariot racing, discus, dialulos (running race), javelin, (standing) long jump, hammer throw and (thumb) wrestling. A lot of fun was had and team Zeus' Hand were victorious!

### Sports Day

We are looking forward to hosting our annual Sports Day on Friday 6 June. To protect the children from the shade we usually have gazebos for the house teams to sit in. If anyone has one that they would lend us that would be really appreciated. Could you let the office know. Many thanks.

## Upcoming Dates

### w/c 12 May

Yr 6 SATs Week

### 14 May

Yr 2 11 B4 11 - Valley Farm Equestrian Centre.

### 15 May

Census Day

### 16 May

Yr 6 Non-Uniform Day  
ECO Day