



Newsletter 2025-2026 No.37 - 10th July



Exceptional Progress

Certificates for Exceptional Progress were awarded to: Dottie, Milo, Thomas, Fatena, Lucy, Oaken, Ophelia, Evans, Jennifer, Frankie, Iwan and Joseph. These children were selected by their teachers for demonstrating exceptional progress since Easter.

Green Leaves

Congratulations to David, George and David for achieving their Green Leaf this week.



Silver Leaves

Congratulations to Calla-Rose, Mitchell, Ruby and Frankie for achieving their Silver Leaf this week.

Gold Leaves

Congratulations to Megan, Thea-Rose, Sonia, Dylan, Jelani, Joseph, Georgia, Abigail, Sapphire, Neshawn, Iwan, Luca, Cyrus, Theo, Albert, Lyle, Lucas, Oaken, Phoebe, Ayan, Montague, Ethan and Lucy for achieving their Gold Leaf this week.

Parent Survey

Thank you to everyone who has responded to our parent survey so far. There is still time to complete it - please find the link in the original email. The feedback will help us to identify areas for improvement in the new school year.

Summer Reading Challenge

Our school takes part in the Chippenham Library Summer Reading Challenge every year and it would be great to have a record number of children taking part. Tracy from the library delivered an assembly this week sharing the theme with the children - Read to the Beat. All children need to join is a library card - which is free. The challenge finishes on 5th September and we will congratulate every child who completes it in GWA during Term 1. They will also receive 2 stickers towards their first leaf.

Parent Evenings

It was lovely to see so many parents attending parent evenings this week. We hope you found it useful to hear about the progress your child has made this year.

Dinky Donkeys Trip

This week our two Resource Base classes visited Dinky Donkeys Stay and Play near Malmesbury. They had an amazing time and conducted themselves brilliantly. Thank you to all the staff for taking them on such a lovely trip, and all the parents who were able to accompany them. The children really enjoyed the experience, talking fondly of seeing donkeys, chickens and pigs!

Dates for your Diary

July

15th - Y6 play to parents - 6.00pm

16th - Y6 Party - parents invited - **new date**

17th - Last day of 25/26 and Y6 Leaver's assembly

17th - Ice Cream Van at the end of the day

September

1st - TD Day

2nd - First day of school

Year 6 Play

Good luck to all the Year 6s for their play next week - we can't wait to see it. It's called Gigglebox and it is sounding very funny!

Summer Fete

The Summer Fete raised £1134. Thank you again for everyone who helped prepare and run stalls. Thank you all for coming along.

Moving Up Day

It was lovely to see everyone in their new classes today including our new Reception children. We hope the Year 6s enjoyed their Secondary Transition day(s) and we look forward to hearing about it.

Year 6 SATs Results - Delayed

You have may read in the news that the SATs results are delayed and will be returned to schools on Thursday 16th. This does not give schools much time to process them, but we will endeavour to get them to you before we break up.



Home from Home - August

August Workshops

Spoken Word workshop
with Saili



Dance workshop with Aisha

Monologue and Acting
workshops with Lisa



DJing
with Mark



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Keep an eye on our socials for what's on in September

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Hangout space

(DJ van also out in Chippenham 2~5pm)

Weds 5th, Sat 8th, Weds 12th, Sat 15th,
Weds 19th, Sat 22nd, Weds 26th

Ages 10 - 13 1.45pm ~ 3.30pm

Ages 14 - 18 3.30pm ~ 5.15pm

August Workshops

St Pauls Church Hall 1.30 ~ 5.30pm

Ages 10~13

Thurs 6th August Acting workshop with Lisa

Thurs 20th August Spoken Word workshop with Saili

Thurs 27th August Dance Workshop with Aisha

Ages 14~18

Thurs 13th August Monologue Workshop with Lisa

Closed 23/7/26~4/8/26



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Braeside Education Centre



£45
per day

Summer Activity Days!

Adventure - Challenge - Fun

For ages: 8 - 12 years

Drop Off - 8:30am - 9:00am

(Siblings up to 14 years)

Pick Up - 4:30pm - 5:00pm

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
w/b 3rd August 2026	Mixed Archery Lifeline Rocket Launch Body Zorbing	Survival Fire Lighting Shelter Building Survival Craft	Climbing Climbing Wall Zip Wire Abseiling Low Ropes	Watersports Canoeing Kayaking Paddleboarding	
w/b 10th August 2026		Canoeing Problem Solving Orienteering			
w/b 17th August 2026	Watersports Canoeing Kayaking Paddleboarding	Mixed Body Zorbing Fencing Circus Workshop Rocket Launch	Mixed Archery Lifeline Fire lighting Problem Solving	Climbing Climbing Wall Zip Wire Abseiling Low Ropes	High Ropes Leap of Faith Crate Stack High All Aboard Parallel Poles

Activities will run in groups, in rotation, throughout the day.

Please book online by visiting

www.braeside-education.co.uk/holiday-club



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Free summer reading fun for all 4 to 11 year olds.

Running in Wiltshire Libraries

Sat 4 July to Sat 5 September 2026.



National Year of Reading 2025



Wiltshire Arts Council

Delivered in partnership with libraries
summerreadingchallenge.org.uk

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KING'S LODGE HOLIDAY CAMP

Location: King's Lodge Primary School, Chippenham SN15 3SY

Dates: Thursday 23rd July - Friday 28th August

Timings:
 Breakfast Club: 08:00 - 09:00
 Camp Day: 09:00 - 15:00
 Extended Club: 15:00 - 16:00
 Extended Club: 15:00 - 17:30

Childcare vouchers & Tax-Free Childcare payments are accepted.

BOOKINGS FROM £28.50

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EARLY BIRD RATE ENDS 8.00AM 12TH JULY

PAWS CHARITY DOG SHOW
SUNDAY 13 SEPTEMBER 2026

CycleFest Family Fun Day

A relaxed day of cycling and activities for all ages at the incredible Castle Combe Race Circuit.

Sunday 4 October 2026
11am - 4pm

Castle Combe Circuit, Chippenham • Wiltshire SN14 7EY

RAINS COMBE PARK
OARE • MARLBOROUGH • SN8 4HZ
10AM - 4.30PM

Come join us at our family-friendly fun-filled day. Scan the QR code to buy your tickets.

HEY EVERYONE!

YOUR VILLAGE AWAITS

THE VILLAGE CHIPPENHAM

A free community gathering for parents and their kids.

Dojo Community Hub CIC
Chippenham, Rotary Hall, 188 Stanton Hill, Chippenham SN15 1EG

SESSIONS ARE FREE TO ATTEND
(with a suggested donation of £2-£3)

Donations go directly toward the hall hire and materials for future sessions. Thank you!

DIFFERENT CRAFTS AND FUN EVERY WEEK!

We aim to make the sessions fun and unforgettable. If you think you want to try something out we're open to suggestions!

THURSDAYS 4 PM - 7 PM

FEEL FREE TO COME FOR AS LONG AS YOU WISH TO. WE'LL BE SERVING A HOT MEAL IN EVERY SESSION.

Check the current event schedule on Facebook

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