



# Weekly Newsletter – 14<sup>th</sup> November 2025

## Stars of the Week

**This week our stars are:**

**Y1:** Ida Spencer-Davies, Elijah monk, Olivia Brooks

**Y2:** Tommy Telford, Eden Barrett, Greyson Cullum, Albie Smale, Sienna Osborne

**Y3:** Alfie O’Toole, Felicity Martin, Archie Ray, Layla Bayly

**Y4:** Isla Cranney, Isla Mawdsley, Kaylee Cheung, Ruby Samuels

**Y5:** Jonty Steinhoffel, Florence Hathaway

**Y6:** Sienna Richards, Oli Sears



**Congratulations to Sophie Maxwell and Alana Johnson in Year 6 for receiving the Bronze Reading award.**

**This week I am please to be handing out a music certificate to Georgina Bradley in Year 4 who moved up a level in her piano playing from Level B to Level C. Well done also to Lucas Rudolph in Year 5 who passed Level 2 and has now moved up to Level 3.**



**Children in Year 4 continue to work very hard on their handwriting, and I am pleased to say the following children have received their golden pencil:**



**Maya Casey and Maisie Jennings**

**This week the following children received their Bronze Values Award: Phoebe Weare (Y5), Willow Neighbour (Y3), Alfie O’Toole (Y3), Oliver Avery (Y3), Kai Sherwood (Y3).**



## After School Club

I have previously mentioned that the after school club will be moving to an outside provider called S4A. They will be taking over the management of the after school club from 1<sup>st</sup> January 2026. As part of the transition to the new company I have attached a letter from S4A introducing themselves. The letter includes all the information parents need to know about the S4A provision. There is also a link to a welcome booklet, with tutorial videos on topics such as the booking system and frequently asked questions. This is the link to the booklet: [Mill Lane Parent Information Booklet](#). The booking system should be live so bookings can be made. We will be monitoring the quality of the service to ensure parents / carers are happy with the provision.

## Choir

Please don't forget to let us know which events your child would like to perform at during the run up to Christmas. Here is a reminder of the dates:

Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> November 10.30am Village Centre Fayre.

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> December 11am Forget me Knot Club.

Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> December 3pm St. Andrews Festival of Christmas Trees.

The MLSA have also asked the choir to sing at the Christmas Bazaar on

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> December.

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## Dates For Your Diary

Monday 17<sup>th</sup> November: Space Assembly

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> November: Year 4 WW" workshop

Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> November: 12.30pm Y3/4 boys football tournament

Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> November: Year 6 talk on the modern police force

Monday 24<sup>th</sup> November: Reception & Y6 height and weight check

Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> November: 6pm Year 6 SATs information evening for parents

Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> November: 10.30am choir singing at village Centre Christmas Fayre

Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> December: 3.30pm – 6pm open evening to come & see your child's work

Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> December: 7pm Thame Festival of Music Performance (Y3/4)

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> December: MLSA Christmas Bazaar

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> December: 11am Choir singing at the Forget Me Not club

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> December: Termly report card goes out

Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> December: 10am Reception Class Christmas performance dress rehearsal

Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> December: 10am KS1 Christmas performance dress rehearsal

2pm Reception Class Christmas performance

3.15pm to 8.30pm Parents evening

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> December: School trip to Panto – Jack & the Beanstalk (Aylesbury)

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> December: 9.30am Nursery Christmas performance

2pm KS1 Christmas performance

Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> December: 3pm Choir sing at St. Andrews Festival of Christmas Trees

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> December: 9.30am Rock Steady Concert

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December: Christmas dinner and Christmas jumper day

5.30pm KS2 Christmas concert

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December: 1pm Celebration assembly

1.45pm Early closing (no after school club)

Last day of term

## Morning Clubs

It can be very busy between 8am and 8.30am as children arrive for a number of clubs such as breakfast, cooking and homework club. Please could we ask that children come up to the front desk and give their name and which club they are attending before they go through the main doors. We have to keep a register in case there is a fire and when so many children go through all at once it is hard to see everyone who comes through. Your help in this matter is very much appreciated.