

Friday Round Up!

13th June 2025

School Vision

*Rooted and Growing in Love:
A culture of kindness in which all can flourish
(Ephesians 3 & 4)*

I would like to say a massive thank you to the children, parents and staff who came along to support the village fete. It was not the best of days in terms of weather but it certainly was a lovely event and one that we enjoy being a part of. The children who sang were brilliant (much better than me!) Thank you for being there if you could make it.

What a lovely week we have had at school, there has been lots going on and quite a few trips out and about as we enter the busiest time of the year. On Monday I was delighted to be invited to go to the Cathedral with our Year 6s who attended the Leavers' service there. Many of the Church schools from the area attend one of these and it was a really special event to be involved with. The Year 6s were on great form and it was made particularly lovely because we were able to carry the banner made for us by Claire – it looked amazing!

This Thursday Year 4 and 5 braved the weather and headed off to Fonthill Estate to learn about land management. They enjoyed a tractor ride and gained information about all sorts of aspects of estate life. I think the sun did come out at the end! Thank you to Mrs Adcock, Mrs Sarsfield and Miss Hollingbery who headed off with the children.

At the same time Mrs Miles and I took the Year 6s again up to Potterne Scout centre just outside Devizes where they attended the Junior Good Citizen event. This was really interesting especially as we think about transferring children up to Secondary School. As always our children were really good at answering questions and being involved in the activities. Thank you to Mrs Miles for organising this and also thank you to Sandoryd who have loaned us a minibus twice this week.

Several members of staff have been out of school this week participating in moderation of pupils' writing at Mere school. This is a really good opportunity to meet those who teach near us but also to ensure that we are giving the children lots of writing opportunities.

There are several trips out next week fingers crossed for the weather. I hope that you have a restful weekend and we look forward to seeing the children back on Monday.



Important Term Dates

June 2025

Tues 17th: Year 6 - Kwik Cricket
 Tues 17th: Year 5 - CSI Forensic Day
 Weds 18th & Thurs 19th: Year 6 - Bikeability
 Mon 23rd: Year 6 – Chalke Valley
 Mon 23rd – Fri 27th: Arts' Week
 Thurs 26th: Year 5 - Languages fun at Warminster
 Mon 30th: Sports day – 12pm picnic lunch, races start 1pm

July 2025

Tuesday 1st: - Move up morning
 Thursday 2nd: Kites trip – Salisbury Playhouse
 Tuesday 9th: Owls and Kites Play Performance – 6pm
 Thursday 10th: Owls and Kites Play Performance – 2pm
 Thursday 17th: Doves trip – Stonehenge (letter to follow)
 Friday 18th: Year 6 leavers assembly
 Monday 21st: Year 6 – Paultons Park
 Tuesday 22nd: Break up for summer – 1:15pm
 Wednesday 23rd: INSET Day

Congratulations to our School Values Award Winners:

Wrens: Max and Wilf
Robins: Monty and all of Year 2's
Doves: Tobias and Remy
Owls: All Year 4's for their timetables test
Kites: Sam

Well done to all our fabulous readers

