



Sampford Peverell C of E Primary School

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Newsletter: 24 May 2024

Dates for your diary:

Half Term - 27 - 31 May

Non Pupil Day - 3 June

Return to School - 4 June

Make the Rules Day - 7 June

Class Photos - 18 June

Summer Fete - 22 June

Sports Week - 24 - 28 June

Sports Day - 28 June

Transition Day - 2 July

The Mix Music Festival Trip KS2
5 July

School Play Performances
1.30pm & 4pm - 12 July

Leavers Church Service - 23 July

Last day of Term - 24 July

Stars of the week

Ash: Albie

Beech: Clara

Cedar: Jack

Oak: Jos

Willow: Riley

Golden Leaves

Ash: Dexter

Beech: Ava

Cedar: Jacob

Oak: Daniel

Willow: Theodore



Message from Sarah Price

What a week to finish this half term on. This week our children, have again, had some wonderful learning experiences. Yesterday, they had the opportunity to observe an artist at work. Sadly, due to ash dieback, one of our trees had to be cut down but we took the opportunity to turn this into a story telling chair. To view some of the pictures, click [here](#). To celebrate World Bee Day on the Monday 20th, the older children met a bee keeper to learn more about bees and the important role they play as pollinators. The younger children have this to look forward to when we return after half term.

We also had the Wilcombe Wobbler and girls football this week and all who represented the school did so with pride and determination.

And finally, today we had Rainbow Day which is a great platform to empower pupils by respecting and appreciating what makes them the same and different. Have a wonderful break everyone! See you on Tuesday 4th June.

Willow Class (Pre-school)

Hello everybody. It's been another busy week across the EYFS. Our wonderful weather topic has been very exciting and we have discovered lots of cool, interesting information. The picture is a typical morning from the Willow children, with everybody engaged, busy and learning. Please have a super half term and we look forward to seeing you after the break.



Oak Class (Reception and Year 1)

It has been a fantastic half term in Oak Class exploring Wonderful Weather and Spring. In the last week, we have celebrated World Bee Day by learning lots of fascinating facts about bees and completing lots of bee crafts. We were extremely lucky to be able to see the carving of the ash tree stump in our Outdoor Area and watch it be transformed into an owl! Over the half term we have been exploring clay and have finished designing and shaping clay tile houses. In Science, we have been experimenting with flowers to learn what they need to grow and about the different parts of a flower. We are really looking forward to our topic 'Come Outside' in the final term where we will be exploring nature in our area.



Cedar Class (Year 2)

On Monday, Cedar class walked down to the church to consolidate our learning on 'What do Christians believe is the good news Jesus brings?' which has been looking at different stories in the Gospel. We found places that Christians might go to to feel a sense of friendliness, forgiveness or peace and then repeated the activity back at school. In music, we listened to lots of different songs around the theme of friendship and discussed our opinions on these. For science, we've been busy planting to investigate what plants need to grow and survive. Each day, we're taking care of our own sunflower seeds and deciding what we need to do to help them thrive!



Beech Class (Years 3 and 4)

Beech Class have had a fabulous week at school enjoying a range of learning experiences. Within English, the children have been busy writing a biography about Howard Carter and exploring how his early life led to his intrigue in the Egyptians. The children have also enjoyed putting their tennis skills to use within our last session, where they practiced their technique. Finally, the children were hands on in their final art lesson this week, working hard to create their final 3D sculptures.



Ash Class (Years 5 and 6)

This week the children have been busy creating their own murder mystery stories based on 'High Rise Mystery' by Sharna Jackson. They have been experimenting with how sentences are formed for effect. In maths, we have been investigating 3D shapes, how they are formed from nets and whether certain nets work or not. This week has also seen children in Ash participate in the Wilcombe Wobbler and a girls' football tournament at Uffculme (winning 4 out of 7 games). The children have also completed their 3D personal sculptures - using a range of techniques. We have also read through the script for the upcoming KS2 production: The Wind in the Willows so the children are now able to bring their scripts home. We have not had time to audition this week, so that will happen after half term so they can get choosing which roles they might like. On Friday, we had our Rainbow Day activities - discussing how stereotypes work and how we need to find our own individual liberty. Now we look forward to our half term break and all the great things coming up before the end of the year!

