



# The Oakleaf

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Weekly Newsletter

11/06/2021

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Dear Parents/Carers

Welcome back to the second part of the summer term! I do hope you managed to enjoy some time off with your children last week.

This week, we have had two new members of staff join us: Mrs Hollie Kelly (YR) and Miss Lily Wheeler (Y3). Hollie and Lily join us as teaching assistants and we are delighted to welcome them to the team. I am sorry to inform you that Mrs Jo Jenkins, who has worked at Meadow Vale for more than 10 years, will be leaving us at the end of next week to pursue a new career. I know that you will want to join me in thanking her for her work at Meadow Vale and wishing her luck in the future.

This week, the school re-opened the Millennium Pond and I know that your children will enjoy using the space to enhance their learning over the coming weeks. Thanks again to the PTA for the significant work that was required to allow this to happen!

May I just remind you that we still expect only one adult (including secondary-aged children) to attend our school site at drop off and pick up times and would respectfully ask you to adhere to this expectation. Thank you for your support.

With very best wishes

Catherine Forrester

WEEK COMMENCING: 14/06/2021  
MENU WEEK 2



<b>Monday 14th June</b>	◆ Year 5/Year 6 - wear your PE kit to school on <b>Mondays</b>
<b>Tuesday 15th June</b>	◆ Reception/3F/3C - wear your PE kit to school on <b>Tuesdays</b>
<b>Wednesday 16th June</b>	◆ Year 1/3C/3P/5T/6JK/6M - wear your PE kit to school on <b>Wednesdays</b>
<b>Thursday 17th June</b>	◆ Year 2/4W/4D/5FB - wear your PE kit to school on <b>Thursdays</b>
<b>Friday 18th June</b>	◆ 4A/4D/6E - wear your PE kit to school on <b>Fridays</b>

**ABSENCE FROM SCHOOL:** Please advise us by telephone (Option 1) or email if your child is absent from school. Call **01344 421046** or email: [attendance@meadowvaleprimary.com](mailto:attendance@meadowvaleprimary.com) Your message must include your child's name, class and reason for absence. There is a strict 48 hour exclusion if your child has had vomiting and/or diarrhoea.



**IMPORTANT - Updated Information:** Please remember, we aim to be as **nut-free** as possible. This is particularly important now that all children are eating in classrooms and we have a few children with severe allergies to nuts. **Please do not use Nutella or any other nut-based products** in your child's lunchbox.

*Thank you for your support*

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## Stars of the Week

Week Commencing: 07/06/2021



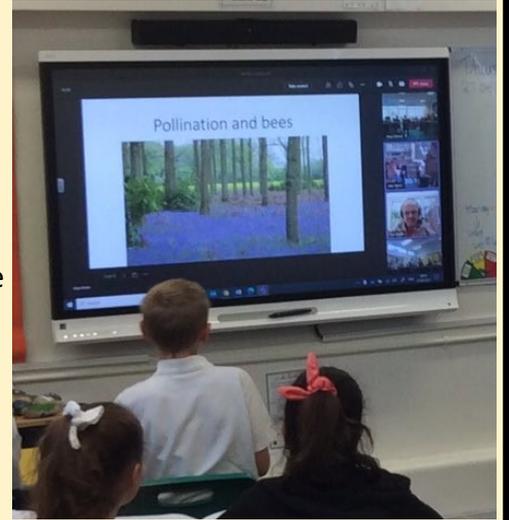
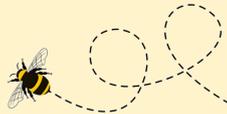
<p><b>BADGERS</b> <b>ARCHIE</b> <i>For an enthusiastic and positive approach to learning</i></p>	<p><b>SQUIRRELS</b> <b>FREYA</b> <i>For making great progress in phonics and with her cursive handwriting</i></p>	<p><b>RABBITS</b> <b>ALAN</b> <i>For being more confident at talking to adults and being a super reader</i></p>
<p><b>1C</b> <b>ELLA</b> <i>For trying so hard with her reading comprehension this week</i> <b>EVELYN</b> <i>For blossoming in confidence and making so much progress</i></p>	<p><b>1J</b> <b>OLIVIA</b> <i>For her super maths learning this week</i></p>	<p><b>1H</b> <b>ADAM</b> <i>For always trying so hard in maths and great progress in English</i></p>
<p><b>2Q</b> <b>JOEY</b> <i>For trying hard with all areas of school life</i></p>	<p><b>2R</b> <b>EVIE</b> <i>For a fantastic attitude towards learning this week!</i></p>	<p><b>2H</b> <b>GRACE</b> <i>For her endless enthusiasm towards her learning</i></p>
<p><b>3C</b> <b>LAYLA</b> <i>For always working so hard, being very polite and helpful</i> <b>KINGSLEY</b> <i>For always trying his absolute best</i></p>	<p><b>3F</b> <b>EDITH</b> <i>For working fantastically well with her new learning partner</i></p>	<p><b>3P</b> <b>ROWEN</b> <i>For putting super effort into his work this week</i> <b>GRACIE</b> <i>For being an expert in understanding the structure and features of a persuasive letter</i></p>
<p><b>4A</b> <b>EMILY</b> <i>For outstanding oracy during our exploration of Walt Disney animation</i> <b>RUBY</b> <i>For excellent effort and perseverance during maths this week</i></p>	<p><b>4D</b> <b>DANIEL</b> <i>For working incredibly hard with telling the time in maths</i></p>	<p><b>4W</b> <b>POPPY</b> <i>For writing some outstanding Disney character descriptions</i> <b>MIA-MAE</b> <i>For working so hard and showing great perseverance</i></p>
<p><b>5T</b> <b>ASHLEY</b> <i>For working really hard this week!</i></p>	<p><b>5AB</b> <b>FREYA</b> <i>For an excellent start to the final term</i></p>	<p><b>5FB</b> <b>JOSHUA</b> <i>For improved focus this week and being so brave</i> <b>NEEVE</b> <i>For her consistent enthusiasm in music and school life in general</i></p>
<p><b>6M</b> <b>RIA</b> <i>For always being funny and creative</i> <b>SOPHIE</b> <i>For showing a really mature attitude in school</i></p>	<p><b>6E</b> <b>OWEN</b> <i>For trying really hard this week with his focus in class</i> <b>NELA</b> <i>For always trying hard in all lessons</i></p>	<p><b>6JK</b> <b>MAXIME</b> <i>For being a superb journalist</i> <b>PRESLEY</b> <i>For excellent PE skills</i></p>



**Year 4** were very lucky to have a Teams call recently with a local bee keeper. He explained to us the important work bees



do in the process of pollination and we even had time to ask him some questions about the work he does and what it is like being a bee keeper.



## YEAR 2 - IMPORTANT MESSAGE

PLEASE can **all year 2 children** to bring in an old t-shirt/painting apron **by Wednesday 16th June**. It needs to be big enough to put on over their uniform. We will be pebble painting with acrylic paint, so it will get messy! **THANK YOU**

## SCHOOL UNIFORM - SUMMER PROMOTION!

**Good news!** We are pleased to confirm that our school uniform provider, Marks and Spencer, will be offering a fantastic **20% off all uniform** on the M&S Your School Uniform website. [CLICK HERE](#) for secure ordering online. This promotional offer will run from **29th June 2021 to 3rd August 2021**.

All orders over £30 will receive free standard delivery. Please try to place your **order before the end of July**. Due to the huge demand we are expecting over the summer, they are unable to ensure any uniform ordered after this time will be delivered in time for the new school year. The Next Day Delivery option is not available during August as they simply cannot guarantee it will be fulfilled that quickly.

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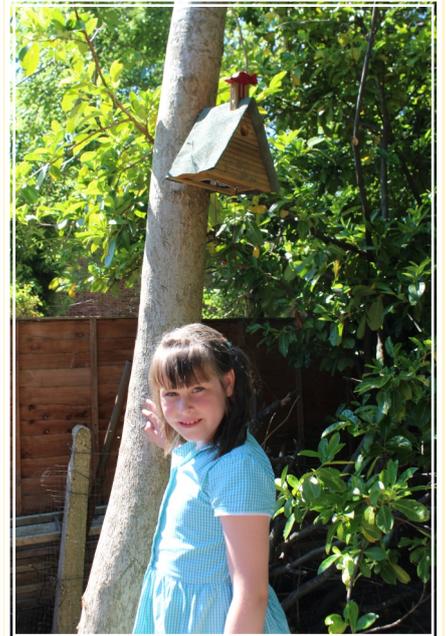
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If a product is not available customers will see a 'NOTIFY ME WHEN BACK IN STOCK' message. Directly below this, customers are asked to leave their email address in order to be told when it is back in stock.

Further information (including size charts) is available on our school website: [CLICK HERE](#)



Our **Millennium Pond** area has been transformed! Huge thanks to our PTA who have worked so hard to bring us such a wonderful outdoor learning space once again. Our recent competition winners enjoyed exploring the pond and wildlife areas in the sunshine and saw their winning creations in place - bug hotels, a bird box and a brilliant bench paint makeover.

Congratulations again to Edith, Isabel, Ariana and Jack!