

House Point Cup Weekly Winners

The House Points earned this week were:

Silbury	276pts
Kennet	267pts
Avebury	265pts
Ridgeway	263pts



Well done ALL!

Nursery News

This week Nursery have been goats and trolls, whilst retelling the story of the Three Billy Goats Gruff. We have been learning prepositional language and are now beginning to hear the children use this in their play!

We are continuing to focus on the number 3, with the children becoming more confident 'subitising' numbers to 3. What a busy week!



Wilderness Residential Trips (Year 4)

Well done to our children in Year 4, who went to The Wilderness Centre in the Forest of Dean for their residential trips this week. The children stayed away from home for three days and two nights, which for some was their first time away from their families. The children had a fabulous time, though it was cold and at times wet. They enjoyed lots of activities like the tunnels and crate stacking alongside archery and low ropes. Whilst in the forest, they also learned about nature and the local wildlife. They even got to spend time with Belted Galloway Cows and wild Dartmoor Ponies. We are extremely grateful to the staff who gave up their time, away from their own families, to make these trips possible...



4Alder: Miss Harland, Mrs Turner, Mr Paget and Mr Buckley.

4Birch: Mr Shore, Mrs Wirdnam, Mr Badger and Mrs Cunningham.

If you didn't manage to see the photographic evidence of the trip in progress, please remember to follow us on [Instagram](#) or [Facebook](#) (there are links on our Website) or you could just look at the [school website pages](#)

ASSEMBLY NEXT FRIDAY 9am!

Golden Book

Congratulations to the following children on being mentioned in the Golden Book Assembly, for their excellent attitudes and approach to school.

Ellie and Damilare (Juniper)

Fola and Ellie-Rae (Willow)

Paris and Chloe (1Ash)

Sara and Roman (1Oak)

George and Irhaa (2Elm)

Matilda and Aurora (2Holly)

Nathan and David (3Maple)

Emilia and Tommy (3Pine)

All of Year 4 for being so amazing on their residential trips to The Wilderness!

Max and Stasio (5Spruce)

Freddie and Megan (5Yew)

Theo G and Harry (6Sycamore)

Oliver, Evie and William (6Rowan)

Well done to all of you - keep it up!



Bath Rugby Sessions in Year 5

We are very grateful to Bath Rugby for coming to do coaching sessions in our school this week.

They will be working with Year 6 next week, but started in Year 5 this week.

All those taking part received a hat, though as they are red, they have confused a few Gloucester fans. We are grateful to Bath for coming all the way over to work with us in Abbey Meads and hope a few budding rugby players have been unearthed from those taking part. Mr Buckley was heard calling... **"COYB!"**



Explorer Dome comes to AMCPS

Year 5 were so pleased to be able to welcome the Explorer Dome to introduce their Science topic of Space. They learned about the planets in our solar system, different stars and galaxies and even constellations.

They simulated the spinning of the Earth, which made them all very dizzy, but a good time was had by all.

Well done Year 5, you were complimented on your excellent behaviour and for getting involved with thoughtful questions!



Half Term Activity Clubs

Please see these options if you are looking for half term holiday clubs.

[DRAYCOTT Sports Camp](#) is at Abbey Meads School - Use the code

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at checkout on this one to get 15% off the price. (Click picture for Direct link)

If you want to try somewhere away from our school here is another option.



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Book Online

FEBRUARY 2025 HALF TERM

BROOK FIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL 17th February - 21st February 2025



MAKE NEW FRIENDS FUN ACTIVITIES

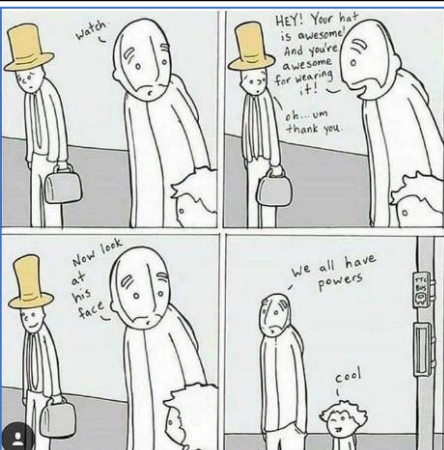
To book a place at our holiday club where lots of fun and laughter awaits, please visit our website to secure your place.

www.swindonmultisports.co.uk

Girls have 100% Success at Tournament

Congratulation to the girls who represented AMCPs in the recent Swindon Schools FA 5-a-side tournament at Swindome. The girls played 4 games against Oakhurst, Even Swindon, Brook Field and Tadpole Farm, winning them all. They scored 15 times and conceded only 4 throughout the tournament.

The Team: Phoebe P, Eliza W, Jaime-Leigh W, Tilly P, Amara O, Ashmeet K and Caitin B-B.



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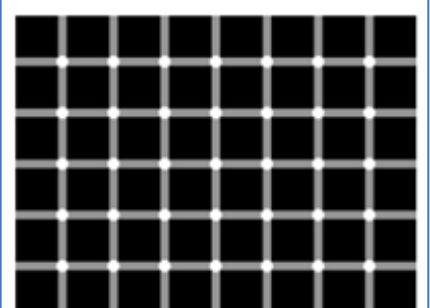
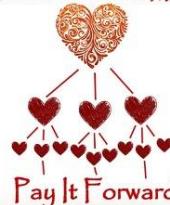
GCSE English*
GCSE Science*
GCSE Mathematics*
*Grade 4/C or above

Degree in any subject

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FOAMS BOOK SWAP

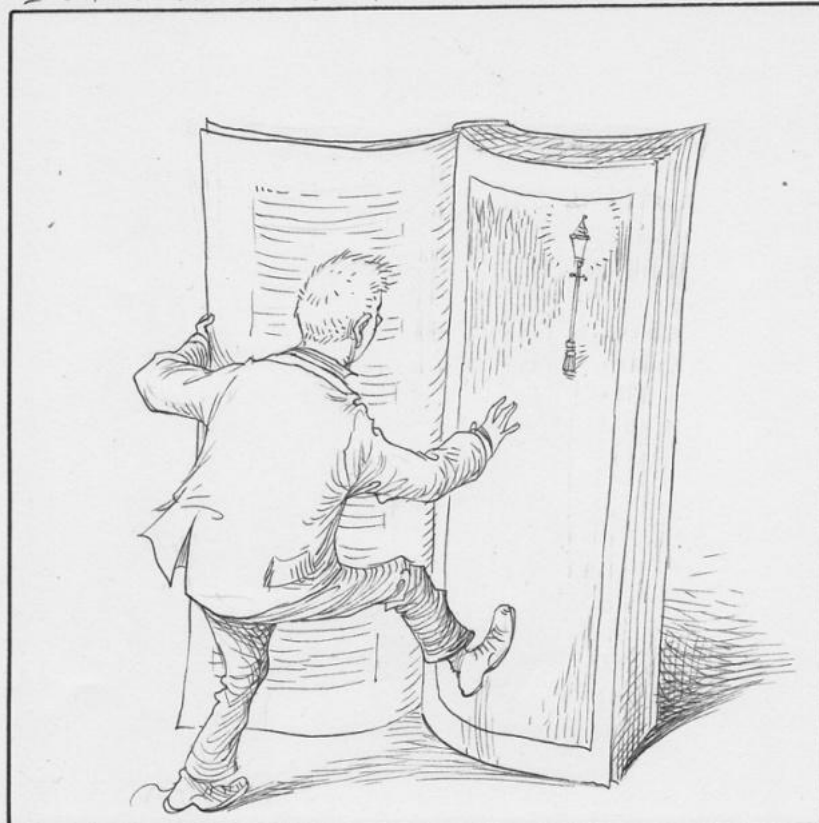
6th March

I CAN'T LIVE WITHOUT BOOKS BECAUSE...



BOOKS ARE WHERE I'VE MET SOME OF MY CLOSEST FRIENDS... LIKE ALSATIAN THE LION.

I CAN'T LIVE WITHOUT BOOKS BECAUSE...



BOOKS ARE LIKE DOORS. YOU CAN OPEN THEM AND STEP INTO ANOTHER PLACE... OR TIME... OR WORLD



BOOK SWAP THURS 6TH MARCH

Donate children's books

(drop off in school's main reception area)

Each child will choose a book each for **FREE** during the school day

After school books can be bought in the community room for 50p



FOAMS BOOK SWAP

6th March

For World Book Day FOAMS will be holding a book swap in the community room.

Each class will get a chance to visit during the school day and each pupil can choose a book to take back with them for free.

The community room will also be open after school, where books can be bought for a donation.

Book donations can be dropped off in the tubs in the School Reception area until 5th March

Bristol Autism Support

UPCOMING EVENT DATES

SWINDON COFFEE MORNING

Support for Parents and Carers of Autistic Children - No Diagnosis Required

Our drop in group for parents and carers of autistic children (no diagnosis required). Come along and meet our Peer Educators and others who are there to listen, support, share experiences and offer signposting if needed.

No need to book, just turn up!

**Wednesday
29th January
10:30-12:30**

Goddard Arms, Old Town
Swindon, SN1 3EG

Located in the semi-private area to the right as you walk in the main front door.

 Autism Central

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SWINDON COFFEE MORNING


Who are we and what to expect?


Bristol Autism Support is the south west regional hub for Autism Central. One of our main aims is to connect parents and carers of autistic people with each other. We want to create supportive safe spaces where we can share information with no judgement. Our in person coffee mornings are casual opportunities to meet other parents and carers along with our team of Peer Educators. We also share information about the free support and resources that Autism Central provide.

This month we are pleased to be joined by SEND Community Connected. They are a local group consisting of parents/carers of SEND children who are working to connect with other SEND Families.


If you are looking to share experiences, make new friends, or maybe need some advice and support, please drop in for a drink (on us) and a chat. For more information please email kam.deller@bristolautismsupport.org

 SEND Community Connected

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Our Swindon meet up is hosted by Kam, who is a Peer Educator for Bristol Autism Support/ Autism Central



SENSORY MOVIE Showing

INSIDE OUT 2
08 MARCH, 2025
AT 2:00 PM
£5 ENTRY

GRANGE COMMUNITY CENTRE
Grange Drive, Swindon, SN3 4JY

www.theroxifoundation.co.uk



Roxi Foundation Sensory Movie.


The Roxi Foundation is dedicated to supporting children and families impacted by autism and ADHD, empowering them through community events, advocacy & grants for private assessments.


Click on the poster to buy tickets

Click the Logo for the main website



FOAMS Pre-loved School Uniform 'Shop'


 FOAMS

 Abbey Meads Community Primary School

We run a Pre-Loved Uniform shop at AMCPS and we need your donations. Do you have any outgrown school uniform we can place in our sustainable pre-loved uniform 'shop'?

We need...

- School jumpers
- School fleeces
- School skirts
- School trousers
- School Summer Dresses
- PE Shorts
- School bookbags

 PRE LOVED UNIFORM

Has your child outgrown / lost uniform already this year? Keep an eye on the weekly newsletter for our pre-loved uniform sale dates where an item may be available for you to take.

All we ask is for you to donate any uniform which is clean and in a good condition that your children have outgrown.

We Need Your Help



Year 4 Assembly - Next Friday – 31st January – 9am