

## House Point Cup Weekly Winners

This week's winners are...

<b>Kennet</b>	<b>325pts</b>
<b>Avebury</b>	<b>321pts</b>
<b>Silbury</b>	<b>316pts</b>
<b>Ridgeway</b>	<b>311pts</b>



**Well done everyone!**

## Important Messages - Reception and Football

**Reception vision screening** is Monday 20th June.

Letters have gone out – you only need to complete the slip if you DO NOT want your child to be checked.

**Football Clubs** – Last training for the Girl's team (Mr Shore) and Development Squad (Mr Badger & Mr Roberts) is this week (today - Friday 17th June). Last training for the Main Team (Mr Stratton) is next Monday 20th June.

Emails have been sent to Year 4 & 5 stating:

On **Friday 24th June at 1.30pm**, children in **Year 4 and 5** have the opportunity to join the **football squad trial** for September (*when they will be in Year 5 and 6*).

If your child is currently in the main football squad with Mr Stratton, there is no need to try out as they can continue to attend next year. If your child is not in this squad currently and would like to attend the trial, please ensure they bring in their kit with shin pads.

## Footballers meet in Tournament

Ollie, Riley, Theo, Lucas & Riley all met at a football tournament last weekend, and all made it through to the quarter-finals.

We are sure Mr Shore and Mr Stratton will be delighted to have so much talent coming through the school. Well done all!



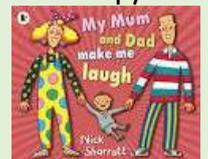
## FS2 Class Assemblies

Thank you to all our children in Beech and Hazel for their wonderful assemblies this morning. It was wonderful to see our youngest children in the school presenting their first Curriculum Assemblies to their parents. We learned all about the work they have been doing in class, including The Queen's Platinum Jubilee. They all performed their assembly so well, especially when you consider they are all 4 or 5 years old. They sang beautifully and remembered the words to their poems superbly. We were also treated to a lovely Storytelling version of the The Queen's hat, with amazing artwork ([previously shared on Twitter](#)) and our Queen moving remarkably, well for one so 'old'. The self-control to deliver such a slick performance demonstrates all the major building blocks are in place for these children to enjoy a successful 7 years at AMCPS! We started and ended with a different Queen, including the parents stamping and clapping to We Will Rock You. Top marks all and thank you again!



## Nursery News

We have been busy creating patterns this week. We loved the book 'My Mum and Dad make me Laugh' by Nick Sharratt and enjoyed creating our own spotty and stripy patterns. We also enjoyed eating stripy ice-cream. We talked about our own families, particularly our Daddies, sharing why they are so special to us ahead of Father's Day on Sunday.



## SPORTS DAY INFORMATION PLEASE READ NOW

Sports Day is next Tuesday with varying start times for different age groups. Please see page 3 for the timings. A text was sent out too.

Children stay in their class groups and compete against standards set to achieve a personal target of Bronze, Silver or Gold. They also get the chance to race against others as well, but it is the points they score towards their certificate, that count the most. There are seven events this year, to be completed in the sports day hour, and all children in the school will do all events. Children come in their PE kits that day, but if they want to they can come in the colour of their House (optional not needed!)

This is now an event that generates Individual Awards and is no longer for the House Sports Cup. Parents may watch, by joining us through the gates at the top of the car park, but must stay in the spectator zone that runs along the length of the nearest edge of the field. (Please see page 3 for this map). If parents need to stay for both events in the morning, you are welcome, but we must clear the site between the morning and afternoon events. *Please remember we are a no smoking site, that no dogs are allowed and we ask that no hot drinks are brought beyond the car park for this event.*

**PLEASE REMEMBER TO SEND YOUR CHILD WEARING KIT - WITH A BOTTLE OF WATER, SUNCREAM ALREADY APPLIED, A HAT, FOOTWEAR SUITABLE FOR THE FIELD.**



## Repeat page important reminders

### FAMILY LEARNING EVENT

The next Family Learning event is an hour of **STORYTELLING**. Join us after school between 3.15-4.15 on **29th June** to hear from author Neil Griffiths, storytelling from Mr Buckley and other story related activities. Just come and join us - no need to book! See you there!

### SUMMER FETE TIME CHANGE

PLEASE NOTE THE SUMMER FETE IS NOW ON **1<sup>ST</sup> JULY** BETWEEN **4PM AND 7PM**.

**THIS ALLOWS US LONGER TO SET UP AND ENSURE NURSERY CHILDREN ARE SAFE.**

## Share a Story

Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> June 2022

3:15pm - 4:15pm

Come join inspirational author and friend of the school, Neil Griffiths. Listen to him share stories and enjoy reading activities with your child.

Bring your picnic blanket and enjoy a delicious cake, on us!



### Dates - reminder.... Most dates published July 2021

Dates are already on the [school calendar](#) so please check this again using the hyperlink.

Some highlights (all live and face to face in school...) as reminders are:

20<sup>th</sup> June - Reception Classes - Vision Screening

21<sup>st</sup> June - Sports Day - **9.30am (Rec, Yr1 & Yr2)** **11am (Yr3 & Yr4)** **1.45pm (Yr5 & Yr6)**

29<sup>th</sup> June - **FAMILY LEARNING EVENT STORY TELLING - 3.15-4.15pm - not on calendar**

1<sup>st</sup> July - **SUMMER FETE - 4pm-7pm - THIS IS A TIME CHANGE!!**

**5<sup>th</sup> July - Year 5 Meeting** about Year 6 next year (Isle of Wight/Curriculum/Classes) 6.30pm

*All parents have received letters by hand - yes paper! - 1 parent per child please and no children (100 people attending!)*

11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> July - Year 6 Production for parents. (11<sup>th</sup> at 1.45pm and 12<sup>th</sup> at 6pm - more details to follow)

13<sup>th</sup> July - Reports handed out to parents - come to school and collect them - 4.30pm

14<sup>th</sup> July - School Discos - times are always confirmed in Newsletters and on the calendar.

15<sup>th</sup> July - Break The Rules Non-Uniform Day (donations to FOAMS)

18<sup>th</sup> July - Musical Extravaganza - School Field at 1.30pm

20<sup>th</sup> July - Last day of term.

There are more dates not included above - [see the calendar](#) for all meetings etc.



## Year 3 visited Cadbury World this week

A very excited Year 3 went to the home of chocolate... Cadbury World.

The journey there was very loud with lots of lively chat and singing.

Once there, the children were bombarded with information about chocolate; writing their names with melted chocolate was just one of the day's exciting activities.

They devoured a mini pot of melted chocolate with their own choice of topping - marshmallows and Oreos were the top choice of the day!

Each class had a talk about where chocolate comes from, with Sycamore learning a few trade secrets about Crème Eggs. The day ended with a 4D 'rollercoaster' adventure through the factory with familiar faces from Cadbury adverts.

The staff were incredibly proud of the children; they were so well behaved and fantastic ambassadors for Abbey Meads School.



### School Sports Day 2022

Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> June

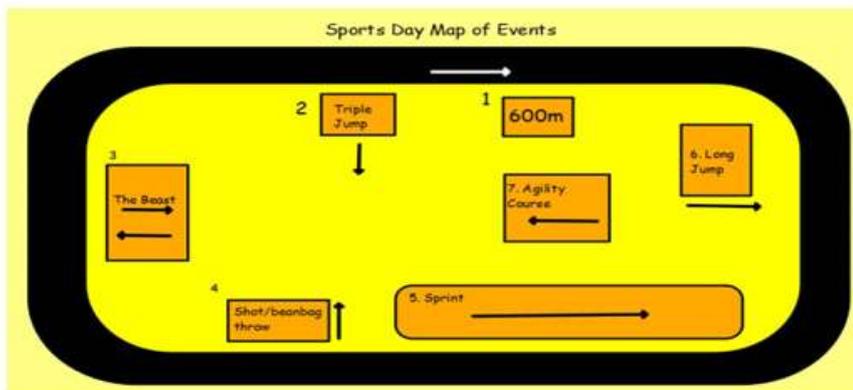
(or back up of Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> if weather does not permit first date.)

Nursery Sports Day is on 11<sup>th</sup> July 2022 - 10.30am.



### Timetable

Time	Year Groups	Classes
9:30 - 10:30	YR, Y1 & Y2	6 classes
11:00- 12:00	Y3 & Y4	4 classes
13:45- 14:45	Y5 & Y6	5 classes



Spectators here      Spectators here      Spectators here

Car Park Gates

## NATIONAL TRUST FAMILY ECO SUMMIT

3RD JULY 2022 10AM - 4PM  
COLESHILL OXFORDSHIRE

RANGER WALKS, ORGANIC GARDEN TOURS, TALKS AND DEMONSTRATIONS, HANDS ON ACTIVITIES AND DISPLAYS, SUSTAINABLE MARKET, STREET THEATRE AND MUSIC. FROM YOUR OWN BACK GARDEN TO THE BOUNDARIES OF SPACE. LEARN, EXPLORE, PROTECT AND INNOVATE WITH THE NATIONAL TRUST AND FRIENDS IN COLESHILL VILLAGE.

TICKETS [boxedupevents.sumup.link](https://boxedupevents.sumup.link)  
INFORMATION [buscotandcoleshill@nationaltrust.org.uk](mailto:buscotandcoleshill@nationaltrust.org.uk)

10am - 2pm  
The Everleigh Centre  
Penhill, Swindon  
SN2 5HE

## FAMILY & COMMUNITY HUB LAUNCH

**SATURDAY 16 JULY**

Swindon Communities Together

Craft activities & messy Play  
refreshments, giveaways & competitions  
raffle, grow your own seeds,  
taster sessions, make your own smoothies,  
entertainment for children.  
Fun for all the family!

All 4 - 12 year olds welcome

Fully Qualified Coaches

## BROOK FIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL

25th July - 29th July  
1st - 5th Aug  
8th - 12th Aug  
15th - 19th Aug  
22nd - 26th Aug

A wide variety of sports and activities on Table Football, Football, basketball, invasion games, nature walk, outdoor gym equipment, 2 play areas, plus an exciting range of arts and crafts.

To book a place please visit our new website - [WWW.SWINDONMULTISPORTS.CO.UK](http://WWW.SWINDONMULTISPORTS.CO.UK)