



The Coppice Whole School Newsletter

Friday 28th February 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope that you have all had a good half-term break with your children. As always, it's been lovely to see the children coming back through the gates with so many smiles on their faces.

In-person Parent & Carer Meetings for Nursery through to Year 6:

We will be holding Parent and Carer meetings in March in order to discuss your child's progress so far this academic year and our teachers are really looking forward to seeing you all. The meetings will be held as follows:

Monday 17th March: 4C only - 2pm to 5pm

Tuesday 18th March: KS2 (Y3,Y4,Y5 & Y6) 2pm to 5pm (Not 4C)

EYFS & KS1 (N,R,Y1,Y2) 4pm to 7pm

Thursday 20th March: EYFS & KS1 (N,R,Y1,Y2) 2pm to 5pm

KS2 (Y3,Y4, Y5 & Y6) 4pm to 7pm

EYFS and KS1 appointments will be in the Church hall and KS2 appointments will be in the Junior hall. Additional information has been shared with EYFS parents regarding booking appointments with your child's key worker.

You can book your appointment using this link thecoppice.schoolcloud.co.uk which will be activated at **4pm on Friday 28th February**.

To login you will need to enter your own name, your email and your child's name. **(Please check the spelling of all of these as they must match what we have on our records)**. You should be able to access Schoolcloud from all iPhone and Android phones, iPads and tablets, as well as laptops and desktop devices. Scroll through the available dates and times and select a suitable time slot. If you have difficulties making an appointment, please contact either the school office or your child's class teacher, who will be able to help.

Each meeting with the class teacher lasts for 10 minutes. There will be a timer on display in the hall so you can keep track. Please be aware that the meeting must end after 10 minutes to enable the next meeting to start on time. If you run out of time and feel there is more to discuss, please arrange another appointment with the class teacher.

Your child is more than welcome to join the meeting. If you book an appointment during the school day, your child can be released from class to attend the meeting with you.

We greatly value our partnership with you and, therefore, we urge you all to make an appointment and not miss out on the opportunity to discuss your child and the progress they are making this year.

Celebration assemblies:

On Tuesday & Wednesday of this week, we held our Celebration Assemblies for Years 1-6, where we celebrated all of the excellent learning that took place over the course of the last half-term and, once again, they were lovely occasions.

During the assemblies, we awarded the half-termly 'star' trophies to a child in each year group for the following categories: Humanities (Geography, History, Religious Education, Spanish), Writing, Reading, Maths, Science, Sport, Arts, Design and Technology, Computing and 'The Coppice Way'.

We also awarded our Gold, Silver and Bronze Teampoint medals for the top three teampoint earners in each class. I also reminded all of the children how they should be proud of every Teampoint they earn because each one represents something that they have achieved, which is always cause for celebration.

You can see in the tables on the following pages of this newsletter who the team point medal winners and trophy winners were and I'd like to again say a huge well done to all of the children who were given these awards on this occasion. I also want to say a big well done to all of the children for all of the team points that they earned. Every team point counts towards the total and every team point represents something that a child has achieved, which is always a cause for celebration!

You can see both the Spring half-term totals and the overall yearly totals (so far) opposite. These show just how many Teampoints have been earned and also how close the overall competition is at this halfway point of the year!

Celebration of all our children's Clubs:

As I wrote about in the newsletter prior to the half-term break, on our return to school this week, it was wonderful to see so many of our children arriving at school in the uniforms and kits of the many and varied clubs, teams and organisations that they are a part of. To be able to celebrate our children's interests out of school was really lovely. As I always say, it allows us to get to know the children even better and to build stronger relationships with them, which is a really crucial part of what we do.

I'm sure that you will enjoy looking at the group photo as much as I enjoyed taking it! What a stunning backdrop too!

Maths workshops:

This week we hosted our first Maths workshops for Parents and Carers of Reception children. Miss Thurston, who facilitated these workshops, was thrilled with the turnout and the engagement of everyone involved. If Parents and Carers understand how their children are being taught in school, then this can have a really positive effect on their confidence and progress in Maths. Thank you for participating in this project and we look forward to receiving your feedback and reading your comments.



4th place	3rd place	2nd place	1st place
EAGLES 5230 points	FALCONS 5770 points	Owls 5831 points	Hawks 6017 points

OWLS 19,664 (End of Spring 1)	HAWKS 19,239 (End of Spring 1)
FALCONS 18,584 (End of Spring 1)	EAGLES 17,357 (End of Spring 1)



Noah wins horse riding rosette!

It is fabulous to be able to celebrate Noah from 6D, who entered a photo of himself into a competition with 'Horse Shows Online' and won the 'Best Newcomer' category. This meant that he was awarded a 4th place rosette. Noah has only been riding since September, is doing really well with it and really enjoys it! Well done Noah - it is great to be able to celebrate your growing horse riding passion.

That just leaves me to say, as usual, that I hope you all have a lovely weekend with your children and we look forward to seeing you all on Monday.

Kind regards,

Mr. Hutt (Headteacher – The Coppice Primary School)



Star of the Week - Hot Chocolate



Music Listening and Appreciation

This week's playlist was:

St David's Day - 1st March


- 1) John Thomas - Watching the Wheat (C18th)
- 2) Catrin Angharad Jones - Hunting the Wren (C18th)
- 3) Catatonia - International Velvet (1998)
- 4) Stereophonics - Have a Nice Day (2001)


Next week's playlist is:

Classical Era (1750s - 1820s)

- 1) Gluck - Dance of the Blessed Spirits (1762)
- 2) Saint-Georges - Symphony No. 1 - Allegro (1779)
- 3) Nunes Garcia - Zemira, Overture (1803)
- 4) Herold - Clog Dance (1827)

Attendance Figures

TOP ATTENDANCE (Last week) 10th - 14th February 2025		
	1LR	96.46%
	4W	97.09%

TOP ATTENDANCE (This week) 24th - 28th February 2025		
	2P	100.00%
	4W	100.00%

Trophy Winners - Spring 1 24/25

SPRING 1
2024/2025 - Trophy Winners

	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
THE COPPICE WAY	1D - Jacob	2T - Ella	3K - Freddie	4W -Georgia	5RB -Evelyn	6C- Daisy
STAR MATHEMATICIAN	1LR - George	2P - Markus	3B George	4C - Sophia	5C - Jake	6D Charlotte
STAR WRITER	1D - Cora	2W - Jasper	3L - Rose	4R - Helen	5C - Oliver	6D Amelia
STAR READER	1B - Bonnie	2T- Olivia	3K - Jamie	4W - Caleb	5RB -Sophie	6D Beau W
STAR SCIENTIST	1LR - Livia	2T- Otis	3B Lewis	4W - Oscar B	5RB - Stella	6C- Megan
SPORTS STAR	1B - Mia	2W - Natalie	3L - Beth	4R - Cohen	5F- Albie	6G - Kesia
THE ARTS STAR	1LR - Benjamin	2P - Orla	3K - Elliot	4R - Ava	5C - Scarlett	6G - Marnie
COMPUTING STAR	1D - Joshua	2W - Archie	3B Aidan P	4C - Krish	5F - Gracie-Jade	6C- Sienna
HUMANITIES STAR	1B - Jacob	2P - Seb	3L - Rosie	4W - Ivy	5F - Sienna	6G - Olivia

Team Point Champions!

Medals awarded to the top 3 in each class.

	3rd (Bronze)	2nd (Silver)	1st (Gold)
1D	Nathan (Falcon)	Emily (Eagle)	Cora (Owl)
1LR	Alfie (Owl)	Erin (Hawk)	Hero (Eagle)
1B	x	Mia (Falcon) Frankie (Eagle)	Jacob (Hawk)
2T	Elsie Mai (Hawk)	Willow (Owl)	Ronnie (Hawk)
2P	Alfie P (Hawk)	Francesca (Falcon)	Isabella (Owl)
2W	Ayra (Falcon)	Zara (Falcon)	Jasper (Owl)
3K	Heidi (Hawk)	Oscar O (Hawk)	Isaac (Owl)
3L	La Miya (Eagle)	Bella (Falcon)	Alice (Owl)
3B	Eva (Hawk)	Ariana (Falcon)	Theo (Owl)
4W	Finley (Owl) Lillie (Eagle)	Eva (Falcon)	Caleb (Falcon)
4R	Ava (Hawk)	Helen (Eagle)	Amelia (Falcon)
4C	x	William (Eagle) Phebe (Falcon) Darcey (Hawk)	Krish (Owl)
5RB	x	Sophie B (Falcon) Isla J (Owl)	Evelyn (Hawk)
5C	Sam O (Eagle)	Otto (Falcon)	Jake P (Hawk)
5F	Ruby (Hawk)	Danny (Owl)	Albie (Falcon)
6G	Holly-Ann (Hawk)	Zara (Falcon)	Eliana (Falcon)
6C	Isabella (Falcon) Seine (Hawk)	Sienna (Eagle)	Daisy (Eagle)
6D	Finley (Falcon)	Bethany (Falcon)	Charlie (Owl)