



Book recommendation of the week.

The Wind in The Willows – Kenneth Grahame
One of the most celebrated works of literature for children. Begun as a series of letters from Kenneth Grahame to his son, *The Wind in the Willows* is a timeless tale of animal cunning and human camaraderie.

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Weekly Newsletter

Date: 6th July 2018

Headteacher's Message

Hello All,
Wow. What a week.
There are so many thank you's that I need to give. Firstly, to my staff for simply going above and beyond to support the enrichment of the pupils. The adults who went to the Summer Cup, the adults who are preparing the performance, the adults who led sports day...THANK YOU.
To the children who took part/are taking part, your enthusiasm is amazing. You have tried your best and collaborated to achieve wonderful sporting results. The performance is shaping up too. ...THANK YOU
To the parents, friends and carers who are supporting the school in this very busy time, by attending events, sponsoring children, fundraising for FoNS....THANK YOU
To Lilly Gardener, you have taken the children's work and really turned it into a wonderful addition to our school. Your vision and skill has created a legacy piece that will be enjoyed for many years to come....THANK YOU
To the FoNS, your fundraising efforts have led to so much fun in school and the events are enjoyed by many of the children. The funds have then been used to make real and amazing improvements to our school that can be appreciated and enjoyed by all...THANK YOU
We are nearing the end of a very busy year and there are still things to enjoy. Let's all keep the appropriate energy high and have an exciting time leading to the Summer break.

As ever thank you for your support,
Sol Johnson

Awards and Achievements

Weekly House points

Birch:	91
Chestnut:	105
Oak:	123
Sycamore:	117

Star Writer Certificates:

Jack Davis, Emilia Montoya,
Amelie Toomey, Esmee Kellet, Rosie-Ann Cahill

Star Mathematician Certificates:

Jacob Haynes

Headteacher's Award:

Kai Bullough, Jessica Mooti

Star Artiste Award:

Willow Worthington

Attendance

Our attendance target is 97%.
For Week Ending 29th June 2018

Cubs	98.57%
Pups	85.48%
Wolves	95.17%
Whole School	92.84%

For whole school year to date

Whole School	95.98%
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Curriculum news

Cubs Class

This week in the Cubs class, the ladybirds have been thinking about halving in maths, using apparatus to split objects into two groups. In Y1/2, we have been thinking about dividing using objects to help us at first, then counting on in 2s, 5s and 10s to find out the answer and finally using arrays to solve division problems. We have written our final descriptions about our own castle designs based on our text maps. We filmed ourselves talking our text maps first to make sure we knew them really well before we started writing. We have also started to build our junk modelling castles and we will continue with these next week.

Pups Class

This week we have been recapping all of our existing Maths knowledge to solve problems, to gather clues to solve the mystery of the missing emoji! In English we have had a go at writing a play script before identifying the features a play script should include and writing a more detailed setting description. The children enjoyed preparing for and participating in the sports day events. In History we have learnt about Alfred the Great and his determination to prevent the Vikings invading Britain. We have re-written the story of King Alfred and the cakes.

Wolves Class

This week the Wolves have been putting finishing touches to their performance. As well as that, we've been busy with the Summer Cup and Sports Day. In the Fox class we have been learning about fronted adverbials. We then wrote our own meeting tales. In maths we have been learning about Roman numerals, This included breaking and creating secret codes.

Dates for your Diary

Monday 9th July

Athletic's Club 3.20-4.15pm
Dance Club 3.20-4.15pm
Performing Arts Club 3.20-4.15pm

Tuesday 10th July

Art Club 3.30-4.30pm

Wednesday 11th July

Freestyle Gymnastics 3.20-4.20pm

Thursday 12th July

Movie Club 3.20-4.15pm
Dance Troupe Workshop 3.20pm-4.15pm
Wolves Class Production 2.00pm and 6.00pm

Friday 13th July

No Celebration Assembly today

FoNS Summer Fete

**Please note all remaining clubs end this week.
After school clubs will NOT be running the last
week of term.**

Term Dates for 2018-2019 are now attached to this Newsletter, please see below.

School Messages

Wolves Class Production

Tickets are on sale (from the school office) for the Wolves Class Production next Thursday 12th July. There are 2 performances at 2.00pm and 6.00pm. Tickets are £2.00 for adults and £1.00 for children.

Parent Survey

We have now launched our Summer 2018 Parent Survey. We would like to invite all parents / carers to complete our short online survey so that we can hear your views on the information that we share with you. A copy of the survey was sent to all parents via PSConnect last week, so please do make sure you have your say!

FoNS

Our Summer Fete is **Friday 13th July** starting after school. It will open with the children performing their dance routine that was showcased at the Corby Cube Theatre last week and there will be lots of wonderful stalls to tempt you. Our Summer raffle will also be drawn (tickets are still available). We would love to see you all.

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Term Dates for Academic Year 2018 – 2019

Term 1	(Training Day (Training Day Term Begins Term Ends	Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	4 th September 5 th September 6 th September 19 th October
- End of Term Break -			
Term 2	Term Begins Term Ends	Monday Wednesday	29 th October 19 th December
- Christmas Holidays -			
Term 3	(Training Day (Training Day Term Begins Term Ends	Thursday Friday Monday Friday	3 rd January 2019 4 th January 7 th January 15 th February
- End of Term Break -			
Term 4	(Training Day Term Begins Term Ends	Monday Tuesday Friday	25 th February 26 th February 5 th April
- Spring Holidays -			
Term 5	Term Begins School Closed – Mayday Term Ends	Tuesday Monday Friday	23 rd April 6 th May 24 th May
- End of Term Break -			
Term 6	Term Begins Term Ends	Monday Wednesday	3 rd June 24 th July

The usual finish time of 3.20pm will apply at term ends. All dates are inclusive.
Training days are unconfirmed and may be subject to change.

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Key dates for your diary 2018

July

Thursday 12th July - Wolves class production at 14:00 and 18:00

Friday 13th July – Summer Fete

Monday 16th July- Termly report out to parents

Thursday 19th July- Leavers' service in Newnham Church at 9:30

Friday 20th July – Last day of term