

# Friday Note



“  
ambition, collaboration,  
resilience, respect, creativity  
”

Westfield Primary School 10th Oct 2025 Issue #04

## Year 6 Camp Assembly

The muddy clothes are in the wash and both the children and teachers are catching up on some much needed sleep.

Thank you for all your support with the trip – we all had a brilliant time.

Our camp assembly will be held on Thursday 16th October at 2:30pm!

Parents / guardians are welcome to attend to hear all about what the children got up to in the Forest of Dean!

Please note: if you are unable to attend, videos / photos will be shared on Weduc following the assembly!



## Spotlight on achievements



### Attendance winners

Congratulations to Falcon who achieved 99.3% attendance last week, and special mention to Bumblebee who were so close with 99.2%. Well done!

### Doodle Maths winners

Bumblebee - 60%  
Eagle - 55%  
Dolphin - 50%

### Doodle Tables winners

Eagle - 61%  
Panther - 57%  
Turtle - 56%



### KS1 Reading Winners

1<sup>st</sup> Panda 68%  
2<sup>nd</sup> Bumblebee 40%

### KS2 Reading Winners

1<sup>st</sup> Turtle 50%  
2<sup>nd</sup> Dragonfly 43%

# SEN noticeboard

Just a reminder of our upcoming SEN parent cafe.

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October at 8.45am.  
Please book your space using the link below.

<https://forms.gle/nn5wKHMih1X4GJe3A>

The next date for your diaries will be Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> November.

SEN parents evening appointments are on offer for Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October. Please Weduc the school office to book.



## Baby News

Congratulations to William from Panda class who has a new baby brother.

The family welcomed baby Alfred born 13<sup>th</sup> September.

## Dear Westfield Community

This half term, I will be travelling to Uganda, where I'll spend a week visiting two rural primary schools, a school for children with disabilities, a school for blind children, and a project supporting children living in underprivileged communities. I'll be part of a small group hoping to make a positive difference and share some resources and joy with the children we meet.

If anyone has any of the following items that they no longer need and would be willing to donate, they would be very gratefully received:

- Plastic children's cricket bats or cricket sets
- Football pump
- Skipping ropes
- Jigsaws
- Cuddly toys
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Thank you so much for your kindness and generosity.

Warm regards, Mrs Jose Ross

# Star Learners

Well done to last week's star learners

Class	Name	School Value
Monkey	Logan Horton	Ambition
Dolphin	Dexter Clarke	Resilience
Dragonfly	Max Day	Ambition
Turtle	Jaxon Rumney	Respect
Butterfly	Ruby	Ambition
Panther	Chloe Doku	Resilience



Well done to this week's star learners



Class	Name	School Value
Monkey	Ruby-Mae Cairns	Respect
Dolphin	Nancy Marsh	Ambition
Dragonfly	Myla Faraday	Resilience
Turtle	Madison Trimnell	Respect
Butterfly	Libb yJames	<b>**Everything**</b>
Panther	Ava L'Esteve	Ambition/Respect
Falcon	Theo Moon	Respect
Eagle	Skylar Bristow	Respect



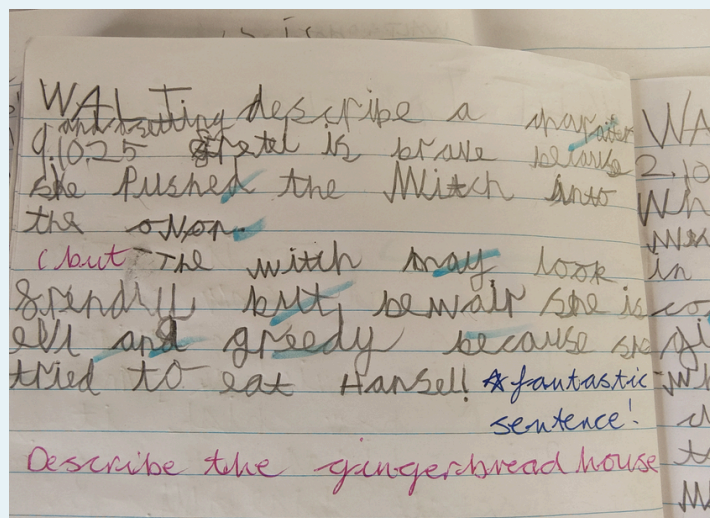
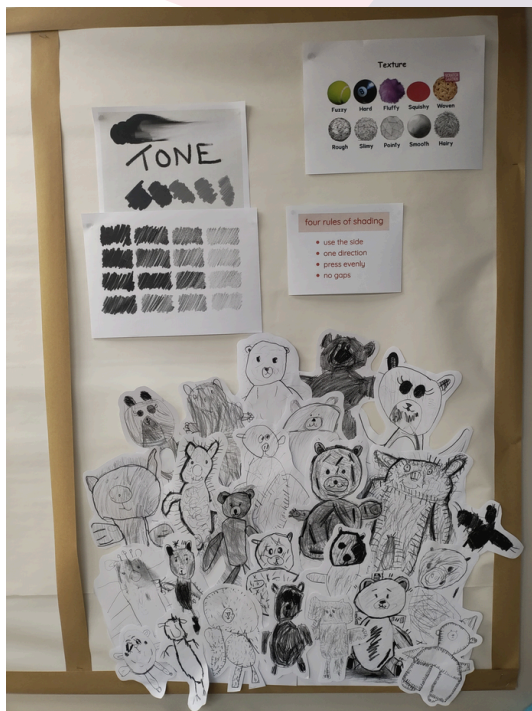
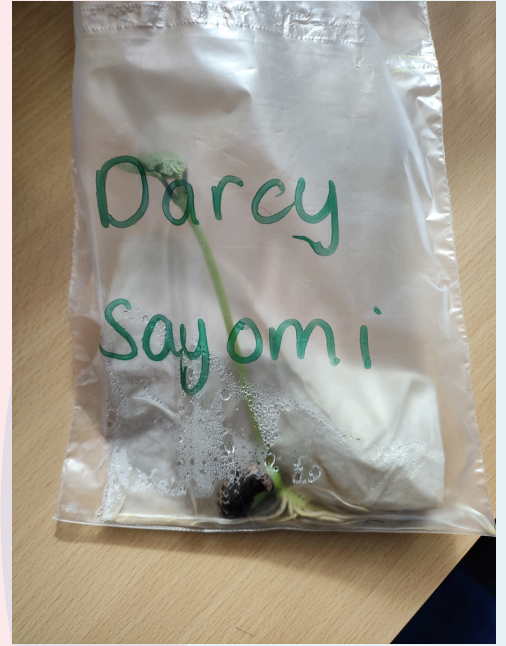
# This Week in: Year 1 & Year 2

Year 1 and 2 have been learning about seeds and how plants reproduce in their science learning.

We have been watching how beans germinate. We were very excited to see the beans grow roots, a stem and then a leaf. We are growing them in bags which are stuck to the window so they have lots of light and we can watch them as they germinate.

This week we have been writing about the characters in the fairy tale of Hansel and Gretel. First we acted out the story and then we thought about amazing adjectives to describe the witch and Hansel and Gretel. We also had fun thinking about all the delicious, scrumptious sweets that were on the gingerbread house.

In art we have been exploring tone. We had to very carefully draw a teddy bear - the pictures were great!





# This Week in: Year 6

Year 6 have spent the week settling back into school after a fantastic week on camp in the Forest of Dean. The children had an absolute blast whilst also challenging themselves and trying new things. Each day, the children did two activities including: canoeing, rock climbing, tunneling and orienteering.

The Non-Campers have been filling us in on what they got up to when at school. They have explained that they did group projects, treasure hunts, Third Space Learning and even had a furry visitor (Tippy the dog).

This week, the children have been planning their thank you letters to the staff at Deanfield Outdoor Centre as well as showing determination to master the long division method. In addition, Year 6 have continued to learn about the United Kingdom in Geography and Classification in Science. The children also had an enjoyable time at the church, celebrating this year's harvest.



# CAMP



# PTA News

The PTA are delighted to announce that the first event of this school year will be a Halloween Disco! Cost: £2.50 – this includes unlimited squash and a bag of sweets.

- Years 1, 2 and 3: 5.45 – 6.45pm
- Years 4, 5 and 6: 7.00 – 8.00pm

Music for the evening will be provided by DJ Infinity Alexander!

Fancy dress is optional, but we kindly ask that scary masks, props, and toy weapons are left at home. Children should be brought to the school hall at the relevant time. To drop off and collect your children, please enter via the main reception, walk through to the hall, and exit through the hall fire doors. To help speed up collection, please take your child's coat home at drop-off and return with it when collecting them.

Important notes:

- Mobile phones are not permitted.
- Please do not send children with chewing gum or snacks, as we need to protect children with allergies.
- No cash is needed, so please leave money at home.

Please click the link below to reserve your child's place by Monday 20th October at 8pm.

[www.pta-events.co.uk/westfieldradstock](http://www.pta-events.co.uk/westfieldradstock)

Physical tickets will not be issued – children will be signed in on the night. Unfortunately, children not on the list will not be able to attend. If they arrive without a booking, we will have to turn them away for Health & Safety reasons.

## Nursery and Reception

Their disco will take place during the school day. Children may bring a change of party clothes or a Halloween outfit in their bags. If you would like them to have a party bag (including sweets and stickers) to take home, the cost is £1.50 via the payment link above. These will be placed directly into book bags.

We are always looking for new PTA members or parents who can help at events. If you are able to volunteer on the disco evening, please email [pta.westfield.school@gmail.com](mailto:pta.westfield.school@gmail.com)

We hope your children enjoy a fun and spooky disco!





# PTA News

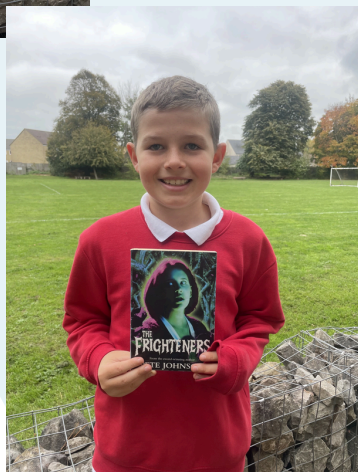
We are pleased to announce our new PTA committee for 25/26

## PTA COMMITTEE 25/26

Chair: Lynn Phylips  
Vice-Chair: Katy Hopton  
Secretary: Sharon Crooks  
Treasurer: Vicki Walker  
Media Designer/Social  
Communications:  
Luloo Davis  
Event Coordinators:  
Sian Barnett  
and Charlotte Dezis

PTA minutes available. If you would you like to read them, please email [pta.westfield.school@gmail.com](mailto:pta.westfield.school@gmail.com) or there will be a copy to read on the inside PTA Noticeboard.

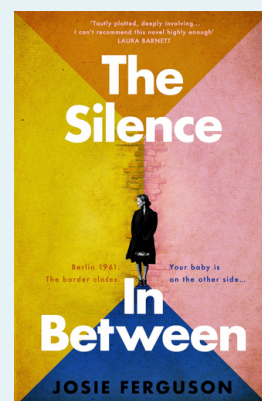
Thank you.



## Recommended Reads

We hope you all enjoy this week's recommendations from Mrs Phillips

- KS1/EYFS - Spook Night
- KS2 - The Frighteners
- For Grown Ups - The Silence In Between









Farnborough Memorial Hall, Little Ln, Farnborough, BA2 0AH

# BABY AND TODDLER GROUP

Toys | Crafts | Baby Equipment | Free Drink & Snacks | Tea & Coffee Included | Songs & Freeplay!

**Tuesdays 9.30-11.30am (Term time only)**

£2.50 per child + 50p per additional child





# FAMILY PLAY SESSIONS

Come and be part of a welcoming space, where families with primary aged children and siblings can grow, play, and connect through planned activities and free play with their child(ren). **Free drinks and snacks provided!**

Through shared play experiences, families can:

- Build confidence
- Support with wellbeing
- Develop social skills
- Strengthen bonds
- Meet other parents/carers
- Feel a real sense of belonging and community

**Orchard Vale Community Hall  
Midsomer Norton,  
Radstock  
BA3 2RA**

**POP ALONG TO PLAY OR SCAN TO REGISTER YOUR INTEREST HERE**



**Thursday's 3.30-4.45pm**  
(excluding school holidays)

## EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

w/c October 13 2025

Here's what is happening in your Libraries this week

For any ticketed events, the link will be online via Social Media or via the blog.

<p><b>Bath Central Library</b></p> <p><b>Baby Bounce &amp; Rhyme</b> Drop in suitable for parents &amp; carers with children aged 0 - 5 years.</p> <p><b>Board Game Saturdays</b> Drop in. Suitable for all ages.</p> <p><b>Keynsham Library</b></p> <p><b>Baby Bounce &amp; Rhyme</b> Drop in suitable for parents &amp; carers with children aged 0 - 5 years.</p> <p><b>Jigsaw Drop-In</b></p> <p><b>Storytime</b> Drop in suitable for parents &amp; carers with children aged 0 - 5 years.</p> <p><b>Midsomer Norton Library</b></p> <p><b>Baby Bounce &amp; Rhyme</b> Drop in suitable for parents &amp; carers with children aged 0 - 5 years.</p> <p><b>Storytime</b> Drop in suitable for parents &amp; carers with children aged 0 - 5 years.</p> <p><b>Board Game Saturday's</b></p> <p><b>Mobile Library</b> The Mobile Library may stop near you! Pop in for a visit, return your books, collect a reservation &amp; choose something new to read. You can do all this &amp; more with your B&amp;NES or LibrariesWest library card.</p> <p>For the Route Timetable, please visit: <a href="https://beta.bathnes.gov.uk/mobile-library-service">https://beta.bathnes.gov.uk/mobile-library-service</a></p>	<p><b>10.30 - 11.00am</b> Every Wednesday (term-time only)</p> <p><b>Every Saturday 12.30-4.00pm</b> <small>*Subject to exhibition room being available</small></p> <p><b>9.30 - 10.00am &amp; 10.30 - 11.00am</b> Every Tuesday (term-time only) Anytime</p> <p><b>10.30 - 11.00am</b> Every Thursday (term-time only)</p> <p><b>10.30 - 11.00am</b> Every Monday (term-time only)</p> <p><b>10.30 - 11.00am</b> Every Wednesday (term-time only)</p> <p><b>Every Saturday</b></p>	<p><b>Cosy Up with a good children's library book this autumn. How about trying:</b> How to train your Dragon by Cressida Cowell</p> <p>The Edge of the silver sea by Alex Mullarky</p> <p>Ten Ways to Build a brilliant brain by Nicola Morgan</p>  
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WESTFIELD PTA PRESENT

# DISCO

**YEARS 1,2,3 - 5.45PM - 6.45PM**  
**YEARS 4,5,6 - 7PM - 8PM**

**FANCY DRESS WELCOME**

No masks or weapon accessories please

**THURSDAY 23RD OCTOBER**

**NURSERY & RECEPTION HAVE A AFTERNOON PARTY IN SCHOOL (£1.50 FOR PARTY BAG)**

**BOOK YOUR TICKETS NOW IF YOU DARE**

**£2.50**

INCLUDING A SWEET TREAT & UNLIMITED SQUASH

