



Weekly Bulletin

Autumn 2

WEEK 6 – Friday 12th December 2025

This half term's values are:

FRIENDSHIP

Biblical Verse of the Week

A sweet friendship
refreshes the soul.

Proverb 27:9



Head's Update

This week we have enjoyed a very busy, festive week of Christmas celebrations;

Christmas Events

GenR8 Assembly

We started the week with a collective worship led by GenR8 on Monday, focusing on the Christmas story and how Christians believe Jesus is God's gift to us. Please see the Reflection Activities as attached from GenR8 for follow-up discussions at home.

Nativity and Carol Service

On Thursday, Our Preschool and Acorn Class delighted us with their 'Snuggle up Stable' nativity performances. Then in the evening, we held our Carol Service, featuring our children, Tony Frost, and the Community Choir from the Congregational Church. Both events were wonderful team efforts, bringing our school and wider community together to celebrate the Christmas story in an inclusive and joyful way. Every child had the opportunity to be part of something special and meaningful.

Santa Scooter Dash

We ended the week with our Santa Scooter Dash at lunchtime today. This was a bit of festive fun where everyone walked, ran, or scooted together in the playground. With Christmas music and festive cheer, it was a great way to enjoy some exercise and celebrate the season together.

Other Key Events This Week

SIAMS Reflection Visit

On Tuesday, we welcomed Claire Coulson, SIAMS Support Advisor from The Diocese of Ely Education Team, for a reflection visit. This was an opportunity to share our experience of the SIAMS inspection we had in March and to review our progress on the identified development points. Claire commented positively on the progress we have made and noted that we are continuing to enable our pupils, staff, and wider school community to flourish.

Open Classrooms

On Thursday, we held our Open Classrooms session from 3.15 – 4.15pm. This was a great opportunity for you to see your children's books and the work they have been doing this term, as well as the progress they have made so far. It also provided dedicated time to speak with your child's teacher and share any feedback or concerns. Thank you to everyone who attended and we will be hosting another Open Classroom session at the end of next half term in February.

Wishing you all a wonderful weekend.

Mrs Singh



Attendance

This week's attendance is:	98.50%
Overall attendance (this year) is:	96.00%



Sports Awards of the Week

Acorn: /

Pine: Otilie, Rex, Alexa, Esme

Oak: Molly



Class	Learning Champ	
Pre-School	Everyone!	
Acorn	Acorn Class	
Pine	Evie Ann	Alexa
Oak	Nevaeh	Tommy



Dance/Gymnastics Stars of the Week

Preschool: Felix

Acorn: Isobel & Maisie

Pine/Oak: Patrick



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Acorn	Pine	Oak
Jack	Esme	Laura

Reminders

Important dates for next week:

Tuesday 16th – Church service, St Mary's Church:
9:30am. Parents, friends and families all welcome

Wednesday 17th – School Pantomime trip – (school uniform, water bottles and suitable snacks & a packed lunch to be eaten once they return to school.)

Friday 19th – Term ends promptly at 1:45pm

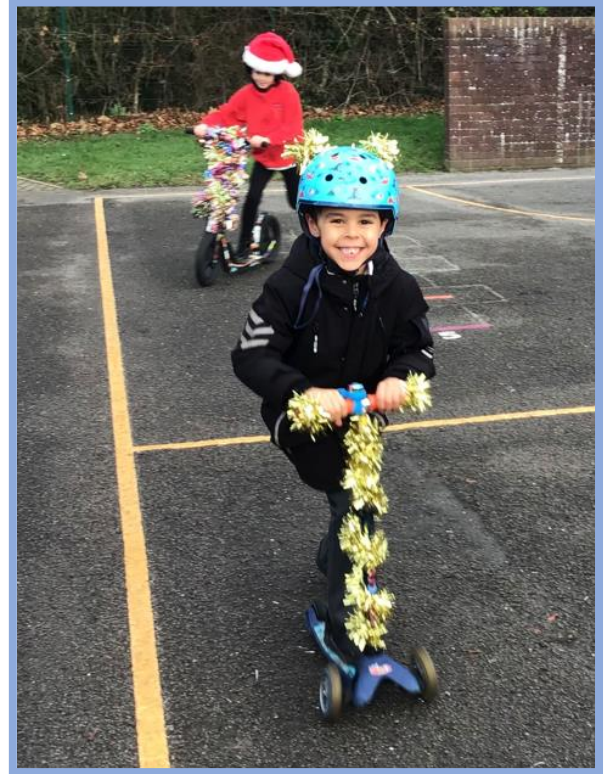
Christingle Service

Sunday (14th Dec) at 4.30pm at St Mary's Church, Guilden Morden. All welcome!

Diary Dates (2025-2026)

10 th December	Christmas School Lunch
11 th December	The Ark and Acorn class Nativity 9:30am & 2:30pm performances
11 th December	'Save the Children' Christmas Jumper Day
11 th December	Open Classrooms Drop in from 3.15 to 4.15 pm
11 th December	Christmas Carol Concert 5.45pm – 7.00pm
12 th December	Santa Scooter Dash
17 th December	PTFA Christmas Pantomime Trip
19 th December	Autumn Term 2 ends at 1:45pm
Monday 5 th January	INSET TRAINING DAY
Tuesday 6 th January	Spring Term 1 Begins
12 th February	Open Classrooms Drop in from 3.15 to 4.15 pm
26 th March	Open Classrooms Drop in from 3.15 to 4.15 pm
21 st May	Open Classrooms Drop in from 3.15 to 4.15 pm
7 th July	Parent Consultations





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