

# Guilden Morden CofE Primary Academy

Together we work to succeed and flourish, to live life in all its fullness. John 10:10 Our school community is centred on the friendship of Christ, rooted in love and respect, enabling all to flourish. Through the courage given to us by the Holy Spirit we will be visible children of God.



**Weekly Bulletin** 

Summer 2

WEEK 2 – Friday 13<sup>th</sup> June 2025

This half term's values are: **RESPECT** 

Biblical Quote of the Week Try to earn the respect of others. Romans 12:17



# Head's Update

This week we have had many learning and enriching opportunities to share and reflect on, both at school as well as with our external partners.

#### **Curriculum Swimming Lessons and Water Safety**

We were delighted to have our swimming pool open at the start of this week, as part of our PE curriculum pupils will participate in swimming lessons throughout this term. These lessons are an important opportunity for pupils to develop essential water safety skills and confidence in the water. In addition to this, we invited Ian Roberts, Lead Adviser for PE, who delivered our staff training on Swimming, to do Water Safety sessions with our children that took place this morning.

#### **Fun Swim Sessions**

Our PTFA have also organised after school swim sessions and it is fantastic to see so many taking part. These sessions offer a chance for children to enjoy swimming in a relaxed and supervised environment, and we are incredibly grateful to the PTFA for their hard work in organising and supervising these events. Preschool children have also joined in with the swimming opportunities on offer to them this term with a dedicated session in the pool on Friday afternoons accompanied by their parent/carer. This is a great opportunity to not only have some enjoyment in the pool, but to start building water confidence from an early age.

#### **Hub Day on SEND Provision**

This week, I attended a SEND hub day organised but our hub director, Kate Lund at one of our hub schools. The focus was on revisiting our Trust expectations and sharing good practice by working collaboratively to strengthen our support for children with additional needs. These opportunities help us to learn from each other, ensuring we continue to offer high-quality, inclusive education for every pupil at Guilden.

#### Jon Young, Diocesan Director of Education

We were delighted to welcome Jon Young, the new Diocesan Director of Education, to our school on Tuesday. Jon is keen to get to know all the schools in the diocese. He was very positive about his visit at Guilden, and was especially impressed with, our curriculum offer, particularly how we manage high-quality learning in our mixed year group classes. Jon also complimented us on the close relationships we have developed with our local clergy from both St Mary's and the Congregational Church. It was fantastic to receive such affirming feedback and to showcase the wonderful things happening in our school community.

#### Whole School Trip to Wimpole

The whole school enjoyed a trip to Wimpole on Wednesday, with rich learning opportunities for all our pupils. It was wonderful to bring the entire school together for this enriching experience. A huge thank you to all the staff for their efforts in organising the visit, and to all the parents/carers for your support with transport arrangements.

Wishing you all a good weekend. Mrs Singh

# Diary Dates (2024-2025)

Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June	INSET TRAINING DAY				
Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June	Summer 2 Term Begins				
3 <sup>rd</sup> – 6 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 4 Multiplication Check week				
9 <sup>th</sup> June – 13 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 1 Phonics Screening Check week				
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> June	Funtrition Healthy Lifestyles Workshops – EYFS and KS1				
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> June	Funtrition Healthy Lifestyles Workshops – KS2				
Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> June	Whole school trip to Wimpole				
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> June	EYFS Father's Day games 9am				
	Water Safety Sessions – Ian Roberts KS1 and KS2				
Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> June	EYFS Sports Day 9am				
Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup> June	New Reception Welcome Meeting 2pm				
Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> June	Sports Day				
Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup> July	Parent Consultations Drop Ins 3.30 – 5.30pm				
Saturday 12 <sup>th</sup> July	PTFA School Fair				
Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup> July	Step Up Afternoon				
Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> July	Kahlo class drama performance 6:15pm				
Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> July	Pre school Graduation 9am				
Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July	EYFS End of Term Party 12pm – 2:45pm				
Wednesay 23 <sup>rd</sup> July	Summer Term 2 Ends 1:45pm				

### Attendance

This week's attendance is:	97.10%	
Overall attendance (this year) is:	94.90%	

Mondrian: Oliver S & G Picasso: Jack Kahlo: Ella	Dliver NH	Class Pre-School	Learning Champ All children who a	Learning Champ	
Picasso: Jack			All children who a		
			All children who attended Wimpole		
Kahlo: Fila		Mondrian	Mondrian Class		
Runnon Ena		Picasso	Aria	Jack	
		Kahlo	Scarlett	Felix	
Preschool: Emmie & V Mondrian: Tristan	ce Stars of the Week	Guilden Morden Coff Primary Academy Values Award			
Picasso: Evelyn	I		RESPECT		
Kahlo: Peggy		Mondrian Tristan	Evelyn	Lily	

# **Reminders**

# \*Save the date for Kahlo parents\*

Kahlo's performance of '*Joseph and his Amazing Technicoloured Dreamcoat*' will take place on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> July 2025. 6pm arrival, for a 6:15pm start. More information to follow.

# Cool School Club

For those wishing to book their child/ren into after school club on the day, please can you inform the office by **midday** so we can ensure enough snack is available. Many thanks for your understanding.

#### CLUB TIMETABLE SUMMER 2 – JUNE 2026

#### See what clubs we have on offer this term! Day Lunchtime Afterschool Monday Wellbeing Club After School Club Mrs Wright 12.30 - 1.15 Swim Sessions Kahlo Class Tuesday Drama Club MindFit PTFA Fun Swim Lisa 12.30 – 1.15 External Providers Sessions 3.15 - 4.15 Hall/Playground Mondrian Class Wednesday Gardening Club KS2 Faithful Followers Club PTFA Fun Swim Fiona Davis (St Mary's Church) Mrs Davies and Sessions 12.15 - 1.00Mrs Smith Mondrian Class 3.15 - 4.15 Mondrian Class Thursday School Council Guitar Lessons KS2 Netball Meeting Starting at 12.45 Mr Hopkinson PTFA Fun Swim Mrs Singh Cambridge Invite Only Sessions 12.30 - 1.00 Music Service 3.15 - 4.15 Mondrian Class DEN /Mondrian Class Need to book Friday

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