



FRIDAY FOCUS



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1. THIS WEEK'S HIGHLIGHTS:

Marcus Dilly Viking show

On Wednesday, Year 4 had a fantastic Viking day, inspired by Mr Dilly! They learnt about where the Vikings came from, what they wore, the different Viking gods and where they travelled to. They even learnt about the story of Thor and his missing hammer! It was great to welcome parents to the show as well - we hope you all enjoyed it.

Sportshall Athletics

This week we've attended two separate athletics competitions that has seen 24 pupils represent the school. For many, Wednesday was a first experience of such an event and it's definitely one that takes a lot of courage and bravery. Not because it's scary or something to be feared, but because you're often competing on your own and with lots of people watching too! But that builds character; it builds confidence and self belief. On Wednesday, all 16 achieved that and more.

Last night, eight Year 5 and 6 athletes then took part in the first of three indoor athletics league fixtures. The evening was full of determination, resilience and teamwork with each child taking part in an individual running race, field event and a team relay. The sprint starts were fabulous, relay change overs were slick and the effort they put into their field events was incredible. We are all so proud of you! Next week is Y3/4 girls football with 12 pupils raring to go!

2. CHANGE TO PE DAYS

We have had to change PE days as we are finding that double PE is too tiring for many. We want to ensure that both hours that are taught are with children full of energy! We have therefore reverted to our old system of the class teacher teaching the second hour of PE. The children will be outside for both sessions (where weather permits) so warm dark blue or black jogging bottoms and a school jumper would be advisable on these days:

Year 3 - Fridays & Tuesdays

Year 4 - Mondays only due to Nativity rehearsals

Year 5 - Thursdays & Fridays

Year 6 - Mondays & Wednesdays



3. CAKE SALE

Don't forget that there is a cake sale after school. All money raised will go towards purchasing new dictionaries for the lower school. Please bring cash!



4. JACKETS FOR LUNCH!

From next week, jacket potatoes will be available every day on the school lunch menu. Thank you.



CELEBRATION AND AWARDS

Headteacher Awards

Congratulations to this week's Headteacher Award winners!

Y3 - Logan and Harry **Y4 - Orla and Hollie**
Y5 - Ollie and Asher **Y6 - Sophia and Amelia**

ACTIVE Awards

Well done to these children who have been demonstrating one or more of our learning behaviours

Y3 - Jenson and Phoebe **Y4 - Toby and Daisy**
Y5 - Eilonwy and Preston **Y6 - Logan and Poseidon**

Golden Tokens!

The lucky 8 whose names were plucked from the hat as reward for being on the golden zone this week.

Y3 - Winston and Paige **Y4 - Oana and Lily Anne**
Y5 - Paisley and Louis **Y6 - Callum and Jess**



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KEY DATES **Y3** **Y4** **Y5** **Y6** **ALL**

Weds 12th Nov - Y4 Marcus Dilly Vikings Show

Fri 28th Nov - Non-uniform day (£2 per pupil)

Weds/Thurs 10/11th Dec - Y4 Nativity, 5pm

Mon 15th Dec - Y4 Brass Concert & Exit Point, 9am

Thurs 11th Dec - Y3 Exit point, 2:15pm

Tues 16th Dec - Christmas Jumper and Dinner Day

Thurs 18th Dec - Christmas Church Service at Testwood Baptist Church

Fri 19th Dec - Y6 Exit point, 9am

2025/26 INSET days - 3rd Nov, 5th Jan 2026, 13th Feb 2026 & 19th Jun 2026



LEST WE FORGET

