

# Woodside Matters

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This term's school value is self-belief

### Congratulations to our certificate winners this week:

Dojos: Tommi, Olivia, Angus, Knox, Nolah, Effie, Ella, Toby, Eve & Bartie

Reading: Nolah, Oliver, Clara, Sabrina, Hattie, Corey, Lucy, Stanley & Marley

Achievement: George, Izzy, Fearne, Leyton, Charlie, Archie & Niamh

Pro-star: Knox, Chloe, Frankie, Fearne, Mabel, Anya, Stanley & Lexi

Rights respecting award: Paige, Phoebe, Doug & Phoebe

Congratulations to Lucy for her football success, Maggie for her success at a recent baton twirling competition, well done to Clara who was awarded player of the week for her rugby and to Vinnie who was also awarded player of the week for his football.

### School Council

Our School Council has chosen their charity for the year and they will be holding a cake sale to raise funds for Every Cloud on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> March.

Please help us by sending your child in with 50p (or more!) to spend on a piece of cake as well as sending in any donations of cakes that we could sell. Any gluten or lactose free cakes would be amazing!

We will also be collecting ink cartridges from your printers at home to recycle to raise funds. The box will be placed in reception, please add any used cartridges so that we can help them as much as possible.

You can find out more about the amazing work the charity does on their webpages at [www.everycloudtherapy.org.uk](http://www.everycloudtherapy.org.uk). Thank you!



Every Cloud

Rights Respecting This week our assemblies have focused on:

**Ramadam-**

**Article 30- Children have the right to their own language, culture and religion.**

**Tolerance and mutual respect.**

**Individual liberty**

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I have a right to speak my own language and to follow my family's way of life



Governments should make sure children can learn the language, religion, and culture of their family if it is different from those of most people in the country where they live.

### Term Dates 2025-26

Spring term 2026

5th January—27th March

Half Term: 16th—20th Feb

Summer Term 2026

13th April—20th July

Half Term: May 25th—29th

INSET days: May 22nd, July 20th

### 100 Club

Congratulations to

# Reuben

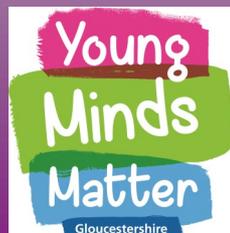
who is our winner this week



### Class contact

If you have a class-based query, please contact your child's teacher in the first instance via the school office. Please be assured that teachers will respond, but not necessarily on the same day. Teachers are not expected to respond whilst they are teaching or beyond 5pm; your patience is appreciated.

We are a UNICEF UK Silver Rights Respecting School. We promote British Values and uphold our own school values of **friendship, determination, respect, tolerance, courage** and **self-belief**. As a reminder our Safeguarding, Behaviour, Complaints and other policies are on the website should you wish to view them.



West Gloucestershire Schools Partnership

### Upcoming dates

16th March—Parents evening

18th March—In the Net Play Year 4 children at St White's School

19th March—School Council Charity Cake sale

20th March—Year 5 and 6 mock trial competition (not all children)

24th March—Year 1 and 2 Federation morning

24th March—KS2 trip to Warwick Castle

25th March—Parents evening

26th—27th March—Easter experience with Grace Tucker (in school) class based sessions

14th April—Stay and Play session for Early Years

27th April—Young Minds Matter session for Y5/6. Coping with Stress.

1st May—Angling Taster sessions

Monday 11 May to Thursday 14 May 2026: Statutory key stage 2 tests. (SATS) Year 6 children

3rd June—Year 5 and 6 trip to Cheltenham Science Festival

10th June—provisional Sports Day

17th June—Reserve Sports Day

18th June—Federation sports sessions Year 3/4 Year 5/6

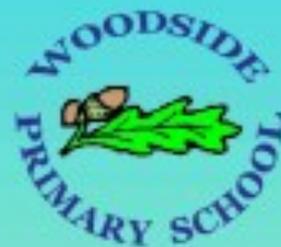
### Humanist UK visit to Woodpecker Class

Woodpeckers would like to say a big thank you to Phillip Middleton from Humanist UK for visiting our school on Thursday. The children were very engaged and asked many questions. Humanism is a non-religious worldview which focus on being kind and making good choices. During the session, we talked about the five key values of Humanism: fairness, calm, silence, kindness and listening. We discussed how these values can help us build positive relationships and create a respectful and thoughtful community. We also explored some big scientific ideas about how the world began and how life developed. It was a very enjoyable and thought-provoking session.



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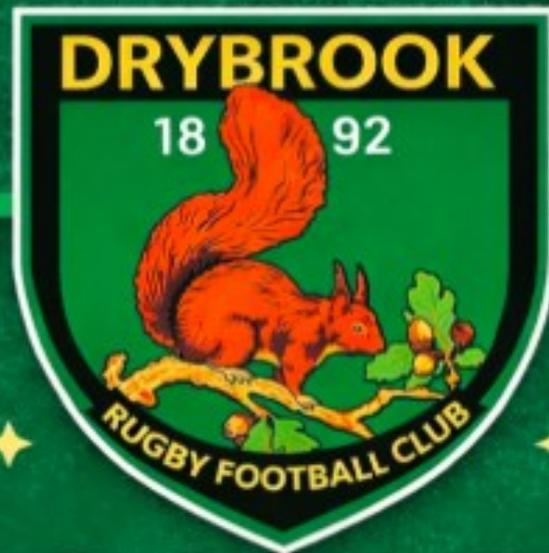
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WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU!

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# CHOCOLATE BINGO NIGHT!

FUN FOR ALL THE FAMILY 🎉

📅 Sunday 29th March

🕒 Doors open: 5:00pm

🕒 Eyes down: 5:30pm

🎁 Raffle on the night

🍺 Bar open

**£10**

INCLUDES  
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& FLYER

🏈 ALL MONIES RAISED GO TOWARDS  
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