#### A word from Mr Lloyd

#### Friday 4th April 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to the final newsletter of the Spring term! When we return, we have lots to look forward to including school trips,

the Y6 SATs and many transition events as the children prepare for the next stage in their education at Woodside and beyond.

I've been really impressed with how hard the children and staff have worked this term, which has shone through in an excellent set of assessment data this term. There have also been some incredible entries to the different House competitions held this term. The entries for the book token competition were phenomenal and it would not surprise me to see at least one Woodside entry chosen as a main prize winner. Today, I have presented the prizes for the Art & Science Hybrid Creatures competition and, again, the standard of the entries was very high. The House Captains had a really hard job choosing the winners for this and it was great to see so many people choosing to enter.

The Easter break is a long one this year and, for Year 6 in particular, it will be important to keep on top of things like regular reading and times tables practice, as the SATs are only 4 school weeks away!

I hope that, whatever you have planned for this break, that you enjoy some rest and recuperation time and look forward to seeing everyone back in school on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April!

Have a lovely weekend,

Mr Lloyd

House Point Totals				
This week	490	578	470	457
Half Term	3556	3189	2627	3143
Whole Term	6625	5921	4817	*6663*
	Maple	Willow	Elm	Cedar

Mufti Day for Cedar - Friday 25th April

Dates for your diary		
Date	Event	
04.04.25	Last Day of half term. School finish @ 1.30pm	
	No HOZ after school bookings, but breakfast Club is available.	
21.04.25	Bank Holiday- School Closed	
22.04.25	Inset Day- School Closed	
23.04.25	Year 5&6 Scooter Workshop	
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25.04.25	Mufti Day for CEDAR	
29.04.25	Year 6 Girls Netball Friendly Match	
05.05.25	Bank Holiday - School Closed	
06.05.25	Year 3 Skipping @ Amersham School	
07.05.25	Year 4 Frisbee @ Amersham School	
12.05.25 - 15.05.25	SATs Week For Year 6	
16.05.25	4TB after school hockey tournament- invited pupils only.	
23.05.25	Last Day of Half Term- School ends 3.15pm	
02.06.25	Inset Day- School Closed	
03.06.25 - 06.06.25	Year 6 Bikeability	
03.06.25	Year 4 Rounders @ Amersham School	
10.06.25	Year 4 Athletics @ DCHS	

Click here for the calendar of 24/25 Term Dates

Sports Day!

Year 6 Magistrates in the community

10.06.25

12.06.25

Please see our Easyfundraising QR code for anyone who is able to make a donation towards school activities and events which are additional to the regular curriculum. If you are able to, please scan the below code and donate what you can- thank you on behalf of all at Woodside!



- Well done to Harry in year 6 who passed his grade 3 Guitar exam with Merit!
- Congratulations to Seb in Year 5 who competed in a competition at the weekend with Raans Gymnastics Club against Booker Gymnastics Club. He was awarded Gold on Floor and on P bars and then Bronze and Vault and High Bar. Please see the photo of him here.
- Varisha in Year 4 has successfully secured 2nd position in the Girls U10 England Badminton.
   She has also recently achieved the following:

   Badminton England (BE) U11 Northamptonshire
   U11 & U13: Bronze Winner for Girls Doubles
   and Mixed Doubles, BE Kent U11: Runner Up
   Girls Doubles and BE Oxford U11: Girls Doubles
   3rd Position.
- Finally Well done to both Isabelle and Sadie in Year 6 entered a Dance competition and won medals!







#### Year 6 News...

#### **RAF Hendon (last week)**

Year 6 had a fabulous time at RAF Hendon on **Tuesday 25**<sup>th</sup> **of March**. They took part in a drama workshop about the bravery of individuals during the Battle of Britain as well as thoroughly searching the Hangers for WW2 aircraft. The behaviour and engagement of the children was brilliant and we were very proud of them!





#### **VE Day learning (1<sup>sst</sup> April)**

Year 6 dressed up in 1940s themed clothes for a final part to their learning of WW2, they looked excellent!











## **British Science Week**

### "Hybrid Creature" Art Competition Results

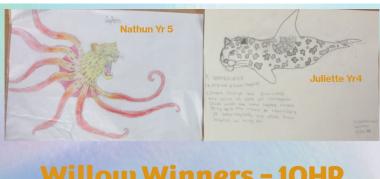
We had a fantastic response to the design a hybrid creature in celebration of British science week.

Thank you to everyone that entered and a huge congratulations to all our winners!

Mrs Webber

## The winners for each house are ...





Willow Winners - 10HP



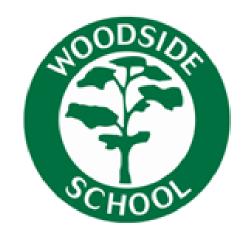


Elm Winners - 10 HP

Maple Winners - 10 HP



# Breakfast Club Playworker Vacancy



We are looking for someone to join our HOZ team as a Breakfast Club Playworker.

Monday - Friday from 7.30 - 8.45am during Term Time only.

If you are interested or know someone who might be, please contact the school office.

