



THE SWAN

19TH
DECEMBER
2025

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IN THE LAST WEEK...

What a wonderful way to end the term! Our Christmas Parties were full of cheer—thank you to the SSA for providing the tasty treats and fabulous prizes that made the celebrations extra special.

It was magical to gather for Carols by Candlelight, singing together and enjoying the sparkle of the Christmas Tree. A thank you to Max and his family for their generous donation of hot chocolate and cookies, which warmed us up and helped raise funds for the school. The School Council will meet in the new year to decide how this money will be used. Congratulations to all our stars from our Celebration Assemblies for the awards earned over the past two terms. You can find the full list of awardees on pages 3 and 4.

Finally, we said goodbye to Mrs Nesbitt and Miss Moore this week. We are grateful for all they have given to our school and wish them joy and success in their next adventures.

Wishing all our families a joyful Christmas and a bright, happy New Year!

WILD Sessions

Wonder Inquiry Learning Discovery

We are introducing a weekly outdoor learning session for all classes. These sessions will give children the chance to explore, discover, and learn in nature.

Please ensure your child comes to school wearing suitable clothing. Many activities will take place in our wildlife area, so long trousers, a waterproof coat, and sturdy footwear (spare trainers or wellies) are essential.

WILD Sessions

Mondays- Squirrels

Tuesdays- Owls and Moles

Thursdays- Hedgehogs, Otters,
Badgers and Foxes

NEXT WEEK

Christmas Holiday

Term 3 begins Monday 5th January 2026

COMING SOON

- No Elite Clubs and no choir in Week 1
- Rotakids starts Wednesday 7th January
- School Football Club Thursday 8th January

PE Term 3

Hedgehogs - Thursday

Squirrels - Wednesday

Otters - Monday and Thursday

Moles - Monday** and Friday

Badgers - Wednesday* and Thursday

Owls - Monday and Wednesday

Foxes - Tuesday and Thursday

*swimming

** Moles will have PE on Tuesday instead of Monday on the first week back

UPCOMING DATES

Visit the school website to see upcoming events on the calendar or click on this [link](#)
You can synchronise the school website calendar to your own calendar by subscribing on this [link](#)

ATTENDANCE

Year R	95.5%
Year 1	92.9%
Year 2	94.6%
Year 3	92.2%
Year 4	95.4%
Year 5	93.1%
Year 6	88.9%



Reader



Writer

Hedgehogs	Mya	Harry
Squirrels	Mia	Reggie
Otters	Saathvik	Lexi
Moles	Swetcha	Grace
Badgers	Ettie	Louis
Owls	Joe	Amelia
Foxes	Maisie	Poppy



Well done to Hedgehogs Class, winners (again!) of Barry the Attendance Bear for the best attendance in **Term 2**. They beat Badgers class by just 0.01%

HOUSEPOINTS

Beech	872
Cherry	825
Holly	878
Oak	955

MATHS CHAMPION

Eshaan
Elliott
Amelia T
Michael



**CATCH ME
CUP
GOES TO ...**

Lovie S



HEADTEACHER AWARDS

Jaice Tess Emi-Lou Ella Ruby Luke Benjamin Y
Ronnie Madison-Mai Eva S Arthur Ruben Orla
Grace M Ralphy Hadley Esme H

Rainbow Bands

December

2025

English

**Ernest
Hannah
Maisie
Emily B
Willow
Patrick
Oliver L**

Maths

**Ava H
Teddy
Micky-Lee
Logan B
Eliza
Charlie
Eddie H**

Arts

**Kairi
Poppy
Nathan
William
Esme H
Penelope F**

Sports

**Laura
Lily W
Harry T
Rudi
Alara
Connor
Lexie May**

Curriculum

**Monty
Lavinia
Everly B
Ettie
Max
Lola
Luke**

Citizenship

**Swetcha
Macey
Amelia B
Primrose W
Oleksii
Ivy
Nylah**

Attitude

**Primrose S
Amelia Y
Flo L
Rosie
Cody S
George H
Emi-Lou**

Homework Trophy

YR Vyoum
Y1 Hallie
Y2 Saathvik
Y3 Bobby E
Y4 Maeve
Y5 Amelia T
Y6 Millie G

Reading Badges

YR
Lottie
Oscar
Leo W
Y1
Zachary
Iris
Barney
Y2
Ryan
Frank
Imi

Y3
Logan B
Ruben
Toby
Y4
Ethan
Michael
Y5
Ernest
Lavinia
Loki
Y6
Layla
Mea H
Ehsaan

Community Events



★ SELLINDGE LEES
• • FESTIVE •
CELEBRATION

Friday 19th December

★ • • 6pm •

Lighting of the Beacon

• Christmas Carols

Free Festive Food

