



ISBOURNE VALLEY NEWS

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Friday 12 June 2026

We are pleased to welcome Simon Williams, a Police Cyber Protect, Prevent and Prepare Officer, into school on Thursday 18th June at 8:55am, straight after drop-off. Simon specialises in digital safety, working to protect children, parents, educators and local communities from online threats, cyberbullying and digital harm. Some parents may remember his visit two years ago – his session was brilliant and incredibly helpful. This is a valuable opportunity for both keeping children safe and supporting parents, and we strongly encourage attendance.

It has been a slightly soggy week for Forest School, but that has not dampened enthusiasm. Coln class thoroughly enjoyed their sessions, particularly their time on the slackline and relaxing in the hammock between showers.

We have also taken part in two cricket tournaments this week. In both the open and girls' tournaments, the children represented the school brilliantly, warming up well, showing great teamwork and finishing strongly.

Marvelous Monday was very well attended once again; it is lovely to see how useful this continues to be for parents. Evenlode and Windrush classes greatly enjoyed their live author event with Bec Manser this morning, who shared insights into creating her new book Wildheart. She explained how she develops ideas, characters and settings, and how these elements are woven together to bring her stories to life.

Finally, we are very much looking forward to the Key Stage 2 Prince of Wales athletics event this evening. Let's hope the weather holds up and the children can enjoy a fantastic evening of sport.

Mr Godding
Headteacher

All updated policies are available on the website or from the school office on request

Next Week

Monday:

Tuesday:

Wednesday:

Thursday: Digital Safety Session for parents 8.55am – Simon Williams Cyber Protect, Prevent and Prepare officer

Friday: Sports Day

Respect Heroes

Coln – Flo for her respectful attitude towards others and for consistently supporting and encouraging her peers

Avon – Albie for consistently modelling how to behave respectfully towards others

Windrush – Wilf for demonstrating respect when working with others

Evenlode – Trystan for the respectful behaviour he models in group and class discussions

Awards

Headteacher's Award this week goes to **Ellie J** for being a sporting superstar this week

Silver cards awarded to **Ralph** and **Ellie T**

Gold Cards awarded to **Rose** and **Lucy T**

Platinum Card awarded to **Fraizer**

Our Stars of the Week are:

* **Olivia** in **Coln** for her positivity and enthusiasm with all aspects of school

* **Hallie** in **Avon** for striving to try her best across the curriculum every school day

* **Harry G** in **Windrush** for his enthusiasm and scientific thinking when exploring sound

* **Max** in **Evenlode** for a brilliant batting performance in the Cricket festival

Well done to everyone for their awards!