



ISBOURNE VALLEY NEWS

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Friday 19 June 2026

Our Nature Quiz team represented the school brilliantly at the Gloucestershire Wildlife Trust county semi-final at Robinswood Hill, where they competed against a strong Newnham Primary team, who have been finalists for the past four years. The children demonstrated impressive knowledge and composure throughout, answering some incredibly challenging questions, many that even the adults present found difficult. They worked superbly as a team, supporting one another and showing real enthusiasm for the natural world. Although they were just pipped to the post in a closely fought contest, we are extremely proud of their effort, determination and the way they represented the school. I am sure they will come back even stronger next year.

With the sun shining, it has been wonderful to enjoy such lovely weather this week, making it a real pleasure to be outdoors. We are very much looking forward to welcoming you to our track events this afternoon, where we are sure there will be plenty of excitement and encouragement for all involved. As this goes to print, the children are already busy taking part in their field events, showing great energy and perseverance.

Rehearsals for the school play are also well underway and it is already looking fantastic. The children are putting in tremendous effort and it promises to be a wonderful performance. Please do remember to order your tickets. In the meantime, I hope you all have a relaxing and enjoyable weekend in the sunshine.

Mr Godding
Headteacher

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

Next Week

Monday: The Cotswold School Additional Induction Morning

Tuesday: Year 3 & 4 Cricket Tournament

Wednesday:

Thursday:

Friday:

Respect Heroes

Coln – Isla for showing respect to others inside and outside of the classroom

Avon – Elsie for her highly respectful attitude towards adults and children alike

Windrush – Jacob for demonstrating respect throughout the school day

Evenlode – Tilly for the wonderfully respectful way she supports the younger children

Awards

Headteacher's Award this week goes to **Raphael** for his outstanding confidence demonstrated this week

Lunchtime Award this week goes to **Elsie** for showing the value of 'friendship' this week at lunchtime

Silver card awarded to **Florence**

Gold Cards awarded to **Freddie & Poppy**

Our Stars of the Week are:

* **Erin** in **Coln** for showing our school values of independence, perseverance and resilience with her writing

* **Myles** in **Avon** for always trying his best in all aspects of school life

* **Seb** in **Windrush** for a great effort with his end of unit RE work

* **Edward D** in **Evenlode** for a great effort with his geography writing

Well done to everyone for their awards!