



ISBOURNE VALLEY NEWS

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Monday brought a super special treat - a visit from the Gloucestershire Cricket Foundation. The day proved very successful with some of our cricketers-in-the-making asking for it to be a weekly affair! I think the teachers enjoyed it as much as the children.

Meanwhile, Windrush class has been channelling their inner ancient Greeks. Armed with forest school resources and boundless imagination, they brought their topic to life by crafting impressive Minotaurs. It's amazing to see how a bit of creativity can transform twigs, logs, branches and leaves into mythical creatures!

Speaking of crafting, we've also started off our tool-making adventures. The mallets the children have produced are nothing short of impressive.

Over in Avon class, our young detectives have been honing their observational skills. They've been participating in the Garden Birdwatch survey, keeping their eyes peeled for our feathered friends. They have also been working on their balance on the slack line.

Next week we are looking forward to welcoming you all into school on Wednesday morning for our Wow Wednesday. It's a fantastic opportunity for you to have a look at what your children have been getting up to so far this term. We hope to see lots of you there.

Espero que tengas buen fin de semana y evites el mal tiempo.

Mr Godding

Headteacher

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

Resilience Heroes

Coln - Uma for not giving up when faced with a challenge

Avon - Ruth for displaying resilience when approaching new challenges in Maths

Windrush - Callum for developing his resilience when learning times tables

Evenlode - Max J for showing resilience with his work on his Elfje style poem and not giving up despite it being tricky

Awards

Headteacher's Award this week goes to **Oisin** for showing an excellent level of responsibility

Bronze cards awarded to **Harry G , Rowan, Albie and Trystan**

Silver cards awarded to **Seb, Eirian and Violet**

Our Stars of the Week are:

- * **Arthur** in **Coln** for being a supportive partner in orienteering
- * **Seb** in **Avon** for consistently trying his best and challenging himself
- * **Eddie** in **Windrush** for a super effort in maths this week when working on column addition
- * **Isabel** in **Evenlode** for a super effort in our dance lesson in learning and teaching a routine

Well done to everyone for their awards!