



ISBOURNE VALLEY NEWS

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This week has seen us marking a significant moment in history – the 80th anniversary of VE Day. Our children got creative, crafting Union Jacks and red, white, and blue bunting for our themed lunch. But it wasn't all about decorations; we also took time to discuss the importance of peace and remember those who gave their lives in war and how crucial it is that we keep these memories alive for future generations.

Windrush class had a wonderful adventure on Wednesday afternoon. They took a walk to Hailes, soaking in our beautiful surroundings. Despite being immersed in the wonders of nature I think their highlight was waving at passengers on the steam train at Hailes station!

Avon Class has been busy too. They've been exploring eco-friendly art with hapa zome printing and embracing their inner survivalists with fire striking during forest school. They thoroughly enjoyed learning new practical skills.

As part of our links with Cotswold Art our Year 3, 4, and 5 children were treated to an inspiring morning at Kingham Lodge, marvelling at the fabulous sculptures on display. They had a lovely time and were spoilt with some super weather as well.

Now, a quick reminder for our Year 6 parents – SATs are coming up next week. I hope your children have a well-deserved, restful weekend and come back on Monday morning ready to go!

Sigue sonriendo y disfruta del sol este fin de semana.

Mr Godding
Headteacher

Friendship Heroes

Coln - Arthur for always helping his friends

Avon - George H (Y1) for being a thoughtful and helpful friend this week

Windrush - Barney for showing kindness when learning with others

Evenlode - Freddie for consistently being a great role model of what a friend should be

Awards

Headteacher's Award this week goes to **Albie** for super maths skills

Bronze card awarded to **Bradley**

Silver card awarded to **Lorenzo**

Our Stars of the Week are:

- * **Athena** in **Coln** for her hard work and enthusiasm with her learning
- * **Eirian** in **Avon** for an absolutely great attitude towards his learning
- * **Matilda** in **Windrush** for always listening attentively and contributing great ideas to class discussions
- * **Sophie** in **Evenlode** for a brilliant effort and great progress in her reading, writing and maths

Well done to everyone for their awards!