

Newsletter

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Special Educational Needs & Disabilities Co-ordinator
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Hayley Bardsley - Acorns/Willow
Michelle Ryan - Sycamore
Jake Lowery-Morton - Elm
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Ann Frankland, Jay Culpan, Heidi Hirst, Suzanne Taylor-Calvert, Carol Wilkinson, William Beier, Matthew Briggs
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Sophie Briggs, Suzanne Taylor-Calvert, Lucie Hall
Site Manager - Jay Culpan
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David Pegg, Rebecca Holman, (Chairs) Christine Goodman, Ian Sparks, Alison Lemen, Jennie Eastwood, Clerk—Amanda Hopson



TREETOPS - Book

Before & After School Care here...



SCHOOL DINNERS

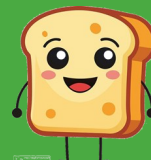
Now £2.40 a day (£12 pw) Please pay in advance
Via [SchoolMoney](#)
Read on for menu...



FREE BREAKFAST CLUB BONANZA 10th to 14th November

Come to Breakfast Club every day from 10th to 14th November to have a good breakfast, a great time and to win prizes!

And it's all FREE!



To celebrate the continued success of our Free Breakfast Club, next week we are holding a special Breakfast Club Bonanza, with special activities, breakfasts and prizes. We hope everyone will join in the fun!

To take part, all your child needs to do is come to Breakfast Club each day any time from 8:30 to 9:00am.

Every child that joins in will get a free raffle ticket every day they attend - giving them up to five chances to win a prize - including torches, fidgets, pens, and the star prizes of a MAGIC SET & INSTANT CAMERA.

The class with most pupils attending will also win a non-uniform day.



As well as getting their breakfast, each day children will be able to choose from a range of fun activities led by Year 6 and school staff.

Make sure you're in it to win it!

WEEKLY Roundup

In the news this week:

- We've had a brilliant first week back! We had a special visit from Learning Accords' Director of Academy Improvement on Wednesday - she was blown away by the children's behaviour, work and learning. Year 4, 5 & 6 pupils impressed her with their knowledge & understanding of British Values and world religions. Overall it was a very positive day with the following strengths identified; curriculum planning, quality of teaching and inclusion.
- PARENTS' EVENING will be on Monday 17th November - letters coming out next week.
- Year 3 & 4 and Nursery enjoyed their walk to church and the village together to discover more about our local area and its history and nature.
- Our new lunch menu started this week - don't forget you can order dinners any day and we always cater for special dietary requirements.
- Everyone is ready to fight all those nasty winter bugs! - the children were all super brave having their flu immunisations and definitely enjoyed the stickers!

DIARY DATES

- Monday 10th November - *8:30 Start* Reception, Y1, 2 & 3 TRIP to Chester Zoo
- Monday 10th November - PINS Parent Coffee Morning @ 9:15am
- Wednesday 12th November - Elm Class TRIP to Grassington
- Monday 17th November - Parents' Evening
- Tuesday 16th December - Pantomime Trip



SEND PARENT ENGAGEMENT DROP-INS

As part of the PINS* pilot project, Family Voice Calderdale are running an informal coffee-morning session for parent/carers of children who attend Luddenden CofE Primary School.

**The PINS Project aims to improve the experience of mainstream school for children who may have an additional educational need. Drop in to find out more.*

The drop-ins will be held in school on these dates: -

- **Monday 10th November- 9.15am**
- **Friday 6th February 2026- 9.15am**
- **Friday 6th March 2026- 1pm**

**PLEASE JOIN US
FOR THE CHANCE TO ...**

- **Meet other parent/carers in a supportive environment**
- **Meet the Family Voice team and learn more about local SEND services, training and support**
- **Take a moment for yourself with a nice hot drink and biscuit.**
- **Hear about PINS project updates**
- **Share feedback on your child's school experiences**



We look forward to meeting you



Email- pins@uniqueways.org.uk

TEAM POINTS

The Team Point Pixies have been flying round and adding up all the team points.

They have been counted and verified...

and the winner is...



 Diamonds	 Rubies	 Sapphires	 Emeralds
440	688	532	463

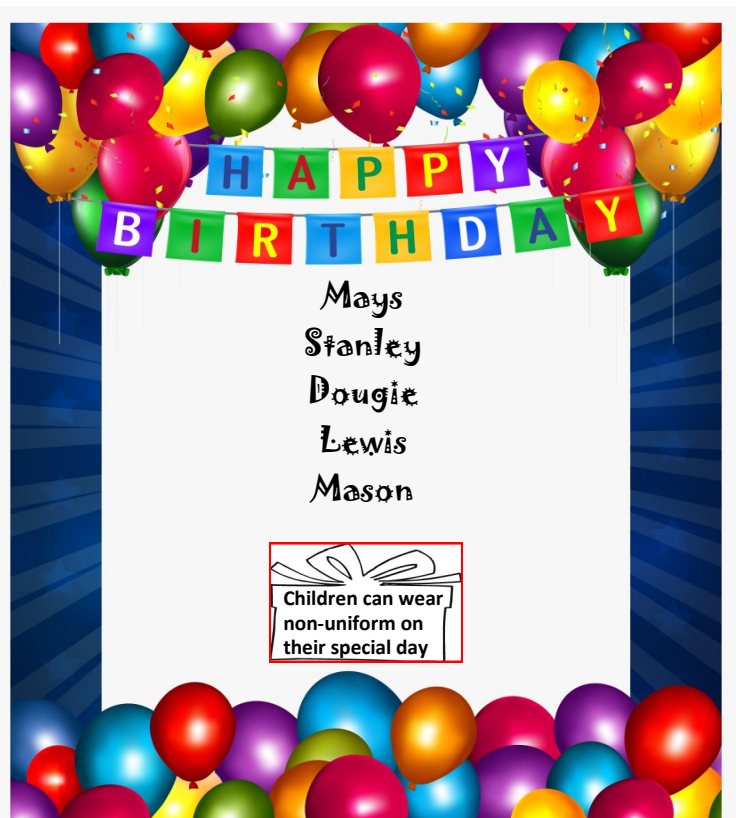


WELL DONE TREASURES!!!



BRILLIANT BLUE PUPILS

Ezra, George, Bohdi, Zia,
Charlie, Riley, Lottie, Cohen,
Pippa



This week's Gold Book Superstars are....

Oak

- Logan – for being a superb role model in Year 6. He always puts maximum effort into his work and shows independence and resilience when faced with a challenging target. He has superb manners and is always kind and helpful to children and adults alike.
- Alexia – for really trying hard to improve her work, particularly in English. She has really enjoyed our new class book (Kensuke's Kingdom) and has made some excellent points during shared reading. She has put maximum effort into all her work this week. Great job Alexia!

Elm Class

- Eli - for being kind on the playground and showing increased emotional resilience and patience in the classroom
- Robin - for his explanations of Earth's hemispheres and how the proximity of the sun affects seasonal changes
- Khaled - for his achievements in reading and always saying good morning with a smile

Sycamore Class

- Samuel & Rosalina - for an really amazing effort with their cursive handwriting this week – an incredible improvement
- Kacey – for not only completing excellent work in Maths but also setting it out beautifully!

SPECIAL MENTION - Everyone in Sycamore for really upping their handwriting game this week!

Willow Class

- Bobby - for amazing addition work using a tens frame and recording his work using a number sentence!
- Lewis and Lottie - for huge improvements when blending and reading their high frequency words
- Dolcie - for having a fabulous first week in her new school. She has settled in well and had a super start. Well done!

Star Class

- Hudson - for becoming more independent and always working hard. He is a kind and helpful member of the class.

Acorns

- Stanley - for a wonderful first week in his new school. It's as though he's always been with us. He has joined in with all the activities and has just been a superstar all week.
- Robyn - for showing resilience and just having the best week ever.
- Elijah - for great determination in everything he does and for always helping with jobs in and out of the classroom.



WEEKLY MEAL PLANNER:

- All meal choices are homemade, from scratch by chefs using high quality raw ingredients that are unprocessed and where applicable, seasonal. All Milk products are made with organic milk
- All meat products are Red Tractor accredited
- All fish products are M.S.C accredited

If you have any questions or special dietary requirements please don't hesitate to get in touch!



How many planet friendly options are you choosing this week?

WEEK 1	Main Course	Vegetarian Option	Served With	Dessert
MONDAY	Meatballs and Pasta	Quorn Dippers	Twister Fries Salad	Sticky Toffee Pudding & Custard Fresh Fruit Yoghurt
TUESDAY	Ham & Cheese Puff	Vegan Goujons	Potato wedges Broccoli	Australian Crunch Fresh fruit Yoghurt
WEDNESDAY	Hot Dog	Cheese and Tomato Pizza	Rice Salad	Apple Crumble Fresh Fruit Yoghurt
THURSDAY	Chicken Korma with Pitta Bread	Quorn Sweet Chilli Wrap	Saute potatoes	Old School Chocolate Shortbread Fresh fruit Yoghurt
FRIDAY	Battered Fish	Quorn Southern Burger	Peas & sweetcorn Chips	Chocolate and Raspberry Brownie Fresh fruit Yoghurt
WEEK 2	Main Course	Vegetarian Option	Served With	Dessert
MONDAY	Cheese and Ham Panini	Veggie Hotdog	Criss Cross Fries Sweetcorn	Syrup Sponge & Custard Fresh Fruit Yoghurt
TUESDAY	Cottage Pie	Tomato & 3 Cheese Pasta with Garlic Bread	Saute potatoes Baked Beans	Wholemeal Biscuit Fresh Fruit Yoghurt
WEDNESDAY	Crispy Chicken Wrap	Jacket Potato with Cheese & Beans	Potato Wedges Salad	Lemon Sponge and Custard Fresh Fruit Yoghurt
THURSDAY	Sausage Roll & gravy	Quorn Dippers	Potato Crunchies Broccoli	Hot Chocolate Fudge Cake & Cream Fresh Fruit Yoghurt
FRIDAY	Battered Fish	Veggie Meatball Wrap	Chips Peas & Sweetcorn	Parkin Fresh Fruit Yoghurt
WEEK 3	Main Course	Vegetarian Option	Served With	Dessert
MONDAY	Cheese and Pepperoni Panini	Pesto Pasta with Garlic Slice	Saute Potatoes Salad	Fruity Flapjack Fresh Fruit Yoghurt
TUESDAY	Sausage & Yorkshire Pudding	Cheese Lattice	Roast potatoes Carrots	Chocolate chip sponge & chocolate sauce Fresh fruit, Yoghurt
WEDNESDAY	Chilli with Tortilla Chips	Veggie Keema Curry	Rice Pitta Bread	Rice Pudding Fresh Fruit Yoghurt
THURSDAY	Chicken Burger	Macaroni Cheese	Herby Diced Potatoes Broccoli	Berry Traybake Fresh Fruit Yoghurt
FRIDAY	Battered Fish	Falafel Wrap	Chips Peas & Sweetcorn	Raspberry & White Chocolate Muffin Fresh fruit Yoghurt

**The supplier reserves the right to change, modify, substitute or remove, without notice, any item on this menu as deemed necessary.*