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We all welcomed another new family to our school this week. We continued the week with our regular daily mile. In addition, Year 3 had their free Violin lessons, Year 4 had their free Brass lessons and Y4 (Elm) had their Swimming lessons at the Pulse. Although Running club is currently continuing, please note, the last session will take place on Thursday 16th February.

We had two sporting fixtures this week with some of the Year 5 and 6 girls attending the Girls Football Festival at Rednock School. The girls had a great time and Mr Francis was really proud of them all. Thank you to Mrs Collins and Mr Tatnell for supporting the girls and helping with transportation. Also on Wednesday, some of the Year 5 and 6 children went to KLB to participate in the Panathlon. The children played lots of different games, scored lots of points and had lots of fun. These children received a medal and a certificate. Thank you to Mrs Oakley for helping and supporting the team.

After School Clubs: Thursdays 3.30 - 4.30pm:

- Rock Club (Big Band Club) - Mr Jones.
- Digital Leaders Club—Mr Bedford and Mrs Milton.
- Drawing Club—Miss Cook and Mrs Brown.
- Sports Club—Mr McQuire and Mr Rowsell.
- Board Games Club—Mr Francis and Mrs Patel.



Safeguarding: Smart Watches

We have noticed that children have been bringing in smart watches which can video and take photos; these can be uploaded. Please ensure that these types of watches are not brought into school.

Safeguarding: Mobile Phones

For the children that need to bring mobile phones to school, they need to ensure that they are switched off as soon as they arrive through the school gates.

Musical Theatre Day, Sports Project — Tuesday 31st January

Sports Project will be providing a day of Musical Theatre for the whole school! We would like to thank Hannah from the Sports Project for this fabulous free opportunity for our children.

Last KLB Cross Country Race—Saturday 4th February

We have the last KLB Cross Country Race on Saturday 4th February. Thank you as always to Mr Durden and Mrs Fearn for their help and support with 'Team CWJS'.

Fencing and Rugby Day, Sports Project - Monday 6th February

The Sports Project will be returning to us on Monday 6th February, to provide the children with an experience of both tag rugby and fencing. These sessions by the Sports Project are always greatly enjoyed by our children.



Important Dates to Remember

- Tuesday 31st January
 - Musical Theatre Day—Whole School
- Thursday 2nd February
 - Running Club 8am
 - Y4 Elm Swimming Lessons
 - Last After School Club for this Term 3.30 pm until 4.30pm
- Saturday 4th February
 - LAST KLB Cross Country Race
- Monday 6th February
 - Fencing and Rugby Day—Whole School
- Thursday 9th February
 - Running Club 8am
 - Y4 Elm Swimming Lessons
- Monday 13th February
 - Wildhogs Hedgehog Rescue
- Wednesday 15th February
 - Year 4 Class Trip Bristol
 - Parents Meeting On-line
- Thursday 16th February
 - Last Running Club 8am
 - Y4 LAST Swimming Lesson
 - Parents Meetings On-Line
- Friday 17th February
 - Heart Heroes—Non Uniform Day
 - End of Term at 3.20pm





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Year 5 Space Rovers Lego and Coding Day:

Thursday 9th February—Y5 Oak and Friday 10th—Y5 Cedar

The Year 5 children will be developing their design, technology and computing skills where they will be working together to design and make a lego space rover; and will then code the lego rover to move! **We would like to thank Mr Dan Elliott from Elliott Brothers Carpentry and Building for sponsoring this wonderful opportunity for our Year 5 classes.**

Wildhogs Hedgehog Rescue— Monday 13th February

Wildhogs Hedgehog Rescue will be visiting the whole school on Monday 13th February. They will be talking to us about the valuable work that they carry out. **We would really appreciate donations of cat food**, for this Charity. We will be collecting the donations in the classes from now until Monday 13th February.

Year 4 Class Trip—Wednesday 15th February—8.15am Early Registration

The children in Year 4 will be visiting the city of Bristol. This educational visit is to help support our topic 'Eco-Life'. During the visit, the children will visit a Hindu Temple, tying in with this term's Religious Education topic. This will be followed by a boat trip from the Harbour, which will involve comparing river life in the city to that in the countryside, as we travel down river to Bristol.

Please complete the electronic permission form as soon as possible.

<https://forms.office.com/e/5K4cX5Nk43>

Red Heart Heroes Day - Non Uniform Day—Friday 17th February—£1 Donation

We will be taking part in Red Heart Day. This is a Gloucester based charity that supports children (aged from birth to 16yrs) and their families, with heart conditions. For more information please see the link below.

www.heartheroes.co.uk

World Book—Thursday 2nd March

To celebrate World Book Day, we will be sending out an activity to complete at home prior to the day (more details to follow). Please note, dressing up as a character from a book is not required.

Year 6 Residential—Conover Hall 1st March Parents Information Evening 5.30pm -6.30pm

Our Year 6 children will be attending their residential from Wednesday 29th March until Friday 31st March. We will be holding a Parents Residential Information Evening on Wednesday 1st March, which parents are welcome to attend.

If your child would like to attend the residential but you are struggling with the payment for the residential trip, please speak to the office as soon as possible.



Important Dates to Remember

- Monday 27th February
- Children return to school
- Wednesday 1st March
- Y6 Parents Residential Information Evening 5.30pm until 6.30pm
- Thursday 2nd March
- Y4 Willow Swimming Lessons Start
- After School Clubs Start
- 3.30pm - 4.30pm
- Monday 6th March
- SEND Reviews Parents Invited
- (week beginning)
- Thursday 9th March
- Willow Swimming Lessons
- After School Clubs
- 3.30pm—4.30pm
- Saturday 11th March
- FGR Match
- Thursday 16th March
- Y4 Willow Swimming Lessons
- Last After School Club for this Term
- 3.30pm -4.30pm





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Forest Green Rovers—Whole School Tickets—Saturday 11th March

Through attending the FGR Ambassador Programme we have managed to secure free match day tickets for the whole school! The tickets are for every Cam Woodfield Junior Child and one accompanying adult. **If you would like to have a free ticket for your child and one adult, please notify the school office by Friday 17th February.** Please arrive at the stadium by 1.30pm to collect your free tickets. There is also an Eco Tour at 2pm, with a small donation to FGR Community and Flag Waving at 2.45pm. We would like to thank our Ambassadors and Forest Green Rovers for this amazing excursion.

Reminder: PE Kits on Mondays

Please ensure children bring in their PE kits on Mondays, as we provide PE twice a week. With the colder weather, children will need to bring in zip up hoodies and jogging bottoms as well.

Reminder: After School Clubs

After School Clubs will be running from Thursday 12th January until Thursday 2nd February, 3.30pm —4.30pm.

Reminder: Martial Arts Day, (MIDDAS).

If you would be interested in a free taster session, please click on the link below:

<https://calendly.com/d/d7n-v9j-z75>

Message from Cam Woodfields Infant School:

We are in need of school trousers, skirts, dresses and tights to keep as spares. If you have any smaller sizes that your children have outgrown, then please can you donate them to us at the Infant school. Your help is greatly appreciated.

Cam Woodfields Infant School Contact Details:

Tel: 01453 542 706 Email: admin@woodfield.gloucs.sch.uk



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- Thursday 23rd March
- Y4 Willow Swimming Lessons
- Friday 24th March
- Y3 and Y4 Parents Open Morning
- 9.00am until 9.45am
- Y5 and Y6 Parents Open Afternoon
- 2.30pm until 3.10pm
- Wednesday 29th March
- Y6 Residential—Concover Hall
- Thursday 30th March
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- Y6 Residential—Concover Hall
- Y4 Willow Swimming Lessons
- Friday 31st March
- Y6 Residential –Concover Hall
- End OF TERM—2.15pm
- Monday 17th April
- INSET DAY
- Tuesday 18th April
- Children return to School





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The Woodfield Nest:

We are lucky to have Pre-School, early morning and afterschool club available on our doorstep by Cam Woodfield Nest.

Woodfield Nest Contact Details :

Tel: 01453 548 248 Email: itsfun@woodfieldnest.co.uk rachel@woodfieldnest.co.uk

Families Gloucestershire Magazine: Here is the link to the next issue of [Families Gloucestershire Magazine](#) Our Jan/Feb 2023 issue is loaded with useful information for parents including:

- Top children's books for 2023
- Family meals made easier
- DIY your own garden wildlife haven
- Make 'n' dos to liven up winter
- Managing children's anxiety



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It's going to be a GREAT year with lots of exciting events ahead!



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