

# Windmill Weekly (30)

*Achievement through Creativity, Community and Challenge*

Value for May - Kindness

09 May 2025

Dear Parents / Carers,

## **Sats for Year 6 Children**

Next week the Year 6 children will be sitting their National tests. If you are a parent of a Year 6 child please could you make sure that they get to bed early so that they are ready for the week. They will be having breakfast when they arrive but I am sure they would all benefit from a good breakfast at home too.

## **Year 5 Trip to Dorset**

On Monday almost all of the children in Year 5 will be setting off to Dorset for a 3 night residential. I hope that the sun shines for them and that they all have a wonderful time. Mr Habbershaw is going with the trip so his class will be taught by Mrs Gee next week, Monday to Thursday.

## **Girls Football Tournament**

Last Friday I took 8 girls in Year 4 to take part in an inter-school Girls Football Festival. The team played 8 matches; they won 4. Lost 2 and drew 2. A great morning of football. I was very proud of them all.

## **BetterPoints app**

Oxfordshire County Council has recently launched the BetterPoints app. Anyone aged 13 years and above can download the app for free and receive points from travelling actively or via public transport. The points can then be redeemed for café, supermarket & high street store vouchers or donated to charity.

Sign up to BetterPoints Oxfordshire and get rewarded for moving differently. If you walk, cycle or catch the bus regularly - or want to do more of it, you can get points every time you travel. BetterPoints can then be redeemed for vouchers, spent with local businesses, or donated to charities. Join the BetterPoints community and start earning rewards for making a difference today.

<https://oxon.betterpoints.uk/>

**Kidical Mass ride THIS Sunday.** For Windmill children it starts at the JR, Manor Park Surgery at 14:00 then goes into town - with plenty of Marshalls and people to keep everyone safe, meet others at Gloucester Green, a cycle round town and then home again. Children need to bring an adult with them. It's just turn up on the day, no registration needed - just a working bike each for child and adult.



## **Key Dates**

12 - 15 May	Year 5 Dorset Trip
12 - 15 May	Year 6 SATs week
16 May	Year 3 Performance 2.00pm
19 May	Windmill Bake Off
21 May	Open Morning 8.30am - 9.10pm
22 May	Year 6 Enterprise Day
23 May	End of Term 4

### **Play equipment on back playground**

Could we please remind all parents that the play equipment on the back playground is closed in the mornings before and after school. Parents should not be allowing school or other age children to play on whether supervised or not. Our school insurance only covers the school day when our own staff are available to supervise. There have been some instances of parents ignoring staff requests to come off the apparatus which is extremely disappointing.

### **Rattle and Roll Performance after school clubs**

Rattle and Roll Performance run 2 fun filled performing clubs at Windmill Primary School. Wednesday 3:10pm-4:40pm we run Disney Dance. This is a jam-packed club full of fun; rhythm and movement. These classes are a great way to build confidence and introduce children to different dance styles.

On Fridays we run On The Stage 3:10pm-5:10pm, this is a fun filled after school performing arts club including a combination of music, dance, drama and games.

There is a particular focus on boosting confidence and teamwork. Each term the children focus on a different musical or theme and work together to deliver an end of term showcase performance for family and friends. **The theme for Summer 2025 is WICKED/Wizard Of Oz.**

Yours faithfully



Lynn Knapp  
Headteacher

### **Vacancies**

#### **School Cleaner**

Windmill Primary School are seeking a cleaner to work 10 hours per week, 2 hours per day, Monday to Friday, 2 hours between 5.00am and 9.00am **or** 3.00pm – 5.00pm.

The rate of pay is £12.26 an hour (a pay increase is currently being negotiated).

This is an all year round contract so you will need to work during the school holidays, although hours can be blocked during the holidays if desired so you would not need to work every day. All annual leave must be taken during the school holidays and cannot be taken during term time.

This could be a term time only plus 3 week contract by request. This would be all 5 inset days plus 2 weeks in the Summer holidays.

Please email [office.2527@windmill.oxon.sch.uk](mailto:office.2527@windmill.oxon.sch.uk) to ask for an application form or visit our website [www.windmill.oxon.sch.uk](http://www.windmill.oxon.sch.uk) for further information and to download the OCC Support Staff (August 2022) application form.



# Elite Camps Botley



Botley Primary School, Elms Road, Botley, Oxfordshire, OX2 9JZ

Tue 27<sup>th</sup> - Fri 30<sup>th</sup> May

## OVER 8's

## UNDER 8's

## ARTS & CRAFTS

TUE 27

### SOFT ARCHERY

Tag Rugby, Hockey, Yoga, Football, Gymnastics



TISSUE PAPER BEE COLLAGE

WED 28TH

### LASER TAG

Football, Dodgeball, Kwik Cricket, Hockey, Tag Rugby



### PARACHUTE PLAY

Football, Dodgeball, Kwik Cricket, Hockey, Tag Rugby

SUNFLOWER PAPER CRAFT



THU 29TH

### GTD DODGEBALL

Netball, Rounders, Volleyball, Dodgeball, Danish Longball

PAPER PLATE TROPICAL FISH

FRI 30TH

### ORIENTEERING

Benchball, Football, Dance, Handball, Gymnastics



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# City of Oxford Rowing Club JUNIOR SQUAD



## FREE TASTER SESSIONS

**Sunday 1st June**

**10-12am and 1-3pm**

**Meadow Lane, OX4 4BL**

**Ages 10-13, Years 6-8**

**Book a  
place**



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For any questions, please email  
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[www.oxfordrowingclub.org.uk/junior-squad](http://www.oxfordrowingclub.org.uk/junior-squad)

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## **DISNEY DANCE CLUB**

### **For children in Reception – Year 1**

We are delighted to be running our 'Disney' themed Dance Club in the Summer Term! Dance Club is designed to increase fitness, coordination, and stamina, whilst also being lots of fun!

'Disney' Dance Club will run after school, **3:10pm-4:40pm on Wednesdays for Reception – Year 1**. Each session costs **£10** and the club starts on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April and the final session on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> July (full details can be found on our website).

**We accept all childcare vouchers; payment via the Government Tax-Free Childcare scheme and payments can be made in instalments.** Payments by Direct Debit or Childcare Vouchers/Gov Tax-Free will be due by April; payment via credit/debit card will be taken at the time of booking.

To sign up please visit [www.rattleandrollperformance.com](http://www.rattleandrollperformance.com) (you will need to register first if you haven't previously). To go straight to the class use code DAWMPS1.

If you have any questions, please contact us on [enquiries@rattleandrollperformance.com](mailto:enquiries@rattleandrollperformance.com) or call 07722 014301.

Thank you and best wishes,

**Katy Emmerson**  
**Rattle and Roll**

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**'ON THE STAGE' CLUB:**

## **Wicked & Wizard of Oz!**

**For children in Reception – Year 6**

We are delighted to be running our **Wicked & Wizard of Oz** themed 'On the Stage' Club in the Summer Term! This club is a combination of dancing, drama and singing with a specific focus on building confidence and boosting teamwork. The dances, songs and drama pieces will take inspiration from the two movies **Wicked** and **The Wizard of Oz**.

'On the Stage' will run after school **3:10pm-5:10pm** on **Fridays for Reception – Year 6**. Each session costs **£12** and the club will start on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> April and the final lesson on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> July (no club Friday 20<sup>th</sup> June Inset Day) Full details can be found on our website.

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## Kellogg's Football Camps are back!

Buy a pack and claim a  
**free day**



**Don't miss out, book a free place now!**

In partnership with the EFL, Kellogg's Football Camps will run from June to September, giving children aged 5-15 the chance to get active, build confidence, and make memories.

Across the nation, we're bringing football fun to families throughout the summer holidays.

### How to claim your day

1. Buy a promotional pack of Rice Krispies, Corn Flakes or Coco Pops in-store
2. Scan the on-pack QR code or visit [www.kelloggsfc.com](http://www.kelloggsfc.com) (smartphone only)
3. Sign your kids up for free

**CLAIM YOUR FREE DAY NOW!**

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## SCIENCE & SPORT Week!

FUN FILLED MULTI-ACTIVITY CAMP WITH A  
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HANDS ON SCIENCE EXPERIMENTS

SPORTS

ARTS & CRAFTS

COOKERY

CHILDCARE  
VOUCHERS  
ACCEPTED

## MAY HALF TERM MULTI-ACTIVITY CAMP

Tuesday 27th to Friday 30th May, 2025  
open from 8.30am to 6pm each day!



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PRIMARY SCHOOL  
MEADOW LANE  
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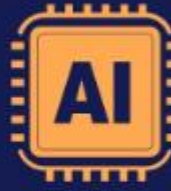
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# Week!

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Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> May

# BIG

*Open Day*



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