



Week Ending: Friday 20th June 2025



@Green_MeadowPS

Dear Parents and Carers,

Last week, our fantastic debating team travelled to the Greenwich Museum in London to take part in the Cicero Cup. Competing against primary schools from across the country, the team placed in the top five - an outstanding achievement! We are especially proud that one of our children was recognised as the Best Overall Speaker of the entire competition. Well done to everyone involved!

On Monday, Pupil Parliament visited Parkfield alongside all the MPs from the schools in our Trust. They worked collaboratively on their impact presentation, highlighting the work they have carried out throughout the year. They will be presenting to Mrs Pulley, CEO of Excelsior, in July.

This week, Year 5 have continued their work with KEVI through the Positive Footprints Programme. This initiative has come at the perfect time, linking seamlessly with our upcoming Enterprise Week. More details will be shared later in the newsletter.

Year 6 have been busy showcasing their oracy skills in preparation for the Speak Up, Speak Out competition. Our guest judge, Mr Moffat, was thoroughly impressed by their confidence and the delivery of their speeches. We are excited to announce that Ben has been selected to represent Green Meadow at the finals.

Our class VR experiences have continued this week, with Years 1, 2, 4 and 5 visiting our incredible VR suite with Mr Wilson. Each session is carefully linked to the term's history or geography topic, enriching the children's learning. It's clear how much the children enjoy and benefit from these immersive experiences.

As we speak, the Green Meadow swim team are representing school at a swimming gala hosted by King Edwards School. The latest update is that Green Meadow is currently in the lead! We're incredibly proud of all the children - they've given their best and shown great team spirit.

With scorching weather predicted this weekend, we hope you have a wonderful time now that summer has finally arrived. Get those barbecues ready!

Have a great weekend everyone!
With all good wishes,
Mrs Cross and Mrs Stirrop

PE and Outdoor Learning days



Please note
changes to PE
day this week
due to the Year
5 residential trip.

**Monday
Year 2**

**Tuesday
Year 3 and
Year 4**

**Wednesday
Year 1**

**Thursday
Year 5 and
Year 6**

**Friday
Reception**

**Please wear
PE kit to
school on PE
days.**

Brilliant Blackwell!



LET'S GO

ADVENTURE

"Its amazing!"

"I did so many things I have never done before. I am so proud of myself!"



"Blackwell is the best school trip I've ever been on!"

"I loved sleeping in the pods with my friends!"

"The food is really delicious. My favourite was the brownies!"



Exciting sporting news!



We heard some fantastic news this week. Green Meadow has been awarded the Platinum Sports Mark Award! Thank you so much to Mr Latham, Mr Brooks and Mr Wilson for their dedication to making sport at Green Meadow platinum award-winning!



BVSC have confirmed that from Monday 23rd June the Household Support Fund will re-open for new enquiries and applications.

There is a new AI helpline that citizens will be able to access once they have made an enquiry to check the progress of their application and there will be several language options.

If you would like to find out more about this, please contact Mrs Robinson.



NORTHFIELD
Community Partnership



HOUSEHOLD SUPPORT FUND

Who is eligible for HSF?

You must live in the Northfield constituency

You must be experiencing financial hardship, particularly with regards to covering costs linked to food and energy

Your household must not have received a £200 grant payment in the last 12 months

Please be aware that you may be expected to provide proof of address and proof of means-tested benefits (if you are in receipt of them) in the case that you are invited to apply



Household Support Fund Enquiries

If you are unable to access the website above, then please use the phone number provided below to progress your enquiry
0121 634 7100
<https://hsfbirmingham.online/>

Previous attachment

OPEN TRIALS NORTHFIELD TOWN GIRLS



SATURDAY 21st JUNE, 10AM



NORTHFIELD TOWN FC

Our 2025/26 girls teams are looking for new players and open trials continue this month!

U10 & U11 Girls play on Saturday mornings in the Central Warwickshire Girls Football League. U10 Lionesses play on Sunday mornings in the boys Central Warwickshire Youth Football League.

**TO REGISTER OR FOR MORE INFORMATION,
CONTACT LOU MILLS**

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WEEKLY ASSEMBLY



ASK YOUR CHILD TO TELL YOU ABOUT
THE STORY BEHIND THE PICTURES WE
LOOKED AT IN ASSEMBLY THIS WEEK AND
HOW THEY RELATE TO BRITISH VALUES



YEAR 1, 2
AND 3

YEAR 4, 5
AND 6





Enterprise Week



**Next week the Grow £10 challenge
comes to Green Meadow!**

On Monday, we will be having a very special assembly where each class will be given £10. Their task will be to set up their own business, producing products or services to sell at the Summer Fayre on Friday 27th June 2025.

Please come along and support your child's class business at the fayre!

The classes will get to keep any profit they make to have a summer party at the end of term- how exciting!





CELEBRATING GREAT LEARNING!



Well done to all of the children who have been practising their spelling on **Spelling Shed** this week. Our class leader board this week has **Jupiter** in 1st place, **Pluto** in 2nd and **Mars** in 3rd place!

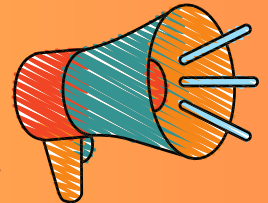
Well done to our whole-school top speller, **Aalam** in **Jupiter**, who helped his class secure top place!



A huge well done to this week's **Mathletes**, **Avyukth** in **Giraffes**, **Luna** in **Gazelles**, **Sullivan** in **Cadbury**, **Kimberley** in **Bournville**, **Dufie** in **Shakespeare**, **Jaanki** in **Tolkien**, **Lucian** in **Mars**, **Finlay** in **Saturn**, **Sai** in **Jupiter** and **Parthiv** in **Pluto**.

Our top scoring classes were **Gazelles** and **Saturn**. Keep practising on the tasks set by your teacher to become a top Mathlete!

A huge well done to this week's **Outstanding Orators**, **O** in **Leopards**, **N** in **Zebras**, **L** in **Tigers**, **L** in **Lions**, **Cari** in **Giraffes**, **Connor** in **Gazelles**, **Reuben** in **Cadbury**, **Peaches** in **Shakespeare**, **Miller** in **Mars**, **Finlay** in **Saturn**, **Ben**, **Aalam** and **Sham** in **Jupiter** and **James**, **Emma** and **Mengmeng** in **Pluto**. You have all impressed us with how well you have demonstrated your oracy skills this week.



Congratulations to our **Readers of the Week**- who get to choose their own book to take home from the world-famous Green Meadow Book Vending Machine! **E** in **Zebras**, **A** in **Leopards**, **K** in **Lions**, **M** in **Tigers**, **Scarlett** in **Gazelles**, **Princess** in **Giraffes**, **Sullivan** in **Cadbury**, **Jenson** in **Bournville**, **Luna** in **Tolkien**, **Emily** in **Shakespeare**, **Cayson** in **Saturn**, **Ella** in **Mars**, **Francesca** in **Pluto** and **Dolsi** in **Jupiter**.

CELEBRATION TIME!

ABOVE AND BEYOND!

Well done to all the children in school who received hot chocolate nominations from their teachers for
GOING ABOVE AND BEYOND!

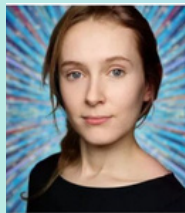
This week, an incredible 64 children from across school received nominations - that's **AMAZING!** We are all so proud of you! We hope you have your certificates displayed somewhere at home to celebrate.

House Points

A record number of house points have been awarded this week to children demonstrating our school values of **READY, RESPECTFUL** and **SAFE** and for making sure they show how helpful, friendly and supportive everyone at Green Meadow is. Well done, everyone!



1395



1043



1228



1204



1592



Here

Be an Attendance

H.E.R.O.

Everyday

Ready



On time

igers

Well done to **Tigers** in KS1 and **Saturn** in KS2 who are our best attending classes this week.

The most punctual class in school this week is **Gazelles** who were in school on time every day to make the most of their learning time.



MENU

WE ARE ON WEEK 1 OF THE MENU!

GREEN MEADOW PRIMARY MENU					
WEEK 1 06/01, 27/01, 24/02, 17/03, 07/04		WEEK 2 13/01, 03/02, 03/03, 24/03		WEEK 3 20/01, 10/02, 10/03, 31/03	
MONDAY Pork Sausages, in Onion Gravy Vegetable Spring Rolls (V) Creamy Mash, Peas, Oriental Noodles & Vegetables, Salad Cart 1/2 Waffle with Toffee Sauce Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt	THURSDAY Pasta Bolognese or Sea Stars with Lemon & Tartare Sauce, Mediterranean Tomato & Basil Ragu (V) Diced Potatoes, Broccoli, Baked Beans, Salad Cart Chocolate Chip Cookie Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt	MONDAY All Day Brunch (Sausage, Omelette, Hash Brown) or Fish Fingers with Lemon & Tartare Sauce All Day Veggie Brunch (Veggie Sausage, Omelette, Hash Brown) (V) Sauté Potatoes, Baked Beans, Sweetcorn, Salad Cart Raspberry & Vanilla Ice Cream Cake Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt	THURSDAY Lamb Keema Curry or Beef Burger Bun Vegetable Samosa & Curry Sauce (V) Steamed Rice, Naan Bread, Herby Diced Potatoes, Sweetcorn, Baked Beans, Salad Cart Flapjack Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt	MONDAY Mild Beef Chili or Fish Fingers with Lemon & Tartare Sauce 5 Bean Chili (V) Steamed Rice, Sauté Potatoes, Baked Beans, Broccoli, Salad Cart Ice Cream Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt	THURSDAY Mexican Chicken & Vegetables, in a Warm Floured Mini Tortilla or Battered Fish with Lemon & Tartare Sauce Vegetable Tikka Curry (V) Spicy Potato Wedges, Steamed Rice, Naan Bread, Sweetcorn, Baked Beans, Salad Cart Iced Shortbread Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt
TUESDAY Chinese Chicken Curry Mac N Cheese (V) Boiled Rice, Naan Bread/ Garlic Bread, Peas & Sweetcorn, Salad Cart Syrup Sponge & Custard Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt	FRIDAY BBQ Chicken & Sweetcorn Pizza, Homemade Margherita Pizza (V) Chipped Potatoes, Baked Beans, Peas, Sauces, Salad Cart Strawberry Mousse Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt	TUESDAY Beef Lasagne Vegetable Lasagne or Vegetable Burger Bun (V) Potato Wedges, Peas, Broccoli, Garlic Bread, Salad Cart Chocolate & Beetroot Traybake with Custard Sauce Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt	FRIDAY Homemade Moroccan Spiced Beef & Sweet Pepper Pizza Homemade Margherita Pizza (V) Chipped Potatoes, Baked Beans, Peas, Sauces, Salad Cart Homemade Summer Fruits Muffin Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt	TUESDAY Chicken & Broccoli Pasta Bake Vegetable Pasta Bake or Vegetable Sausage Hot Dog (V) Diced Potatoes, Garlic Bread, Peppers & Sweetcorn, Salad Cart Lemon Drizzle Cake & Custard Sauce Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt	FRIDAY Traditional Pepperoni Pizza Homemade Margherita Pizza (V) Chipped Potatoes, Baked Beans, Peas, Sauces, Salad Cart Chocolate Chip Cookie Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt
WEDNESDAY Roast Beef, Yorkshire Pudding & a Rich Gravy Sauce Cheese, Chive & Potato Pie (V) Roast Potatoes, Carrots, Green Beans, Baked Beans, Salad Cart Ice Lolly Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt	WEDNESDAY Roast Chicken, Sage & Onion Seasoning & a Rich Gravy Sauce Vegetarian Sausage Toad in the Hole (V) Roasted New Potatoes, Cauliflower, Carrots & Green Beans, Salad Cart American Pancakes with Strawberry Drizzle Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt	WEDNESDAY Roast Turkey, Sage & Onion Seasoning & a Rich Gravy Sauce Herb Roasted Quorn (V) Minted New Potatoes, Carrots & Peas, Salad Cart Strawberry Jelly & Fruit Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt	WEDNESDAY Roast Turkey, Sage & Onion Seasoning & a Rich Gravy Sauce Herb Roasted Quorn (V) Minted New Potatoes, Carrots & Peas, Salad Cart Strawberry Jelly & Fruit Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt	AVAILABLE DAILY Fresh Bread Jacket Potatoes with Cheese, Beans or Tuna Sandwich or Wrap with a Hot Carb Salad Cart COOMBS <small>CATERING PARTNERSHIP</small>	

Allergen Information: Menu descriptions may not list every individual ingredient. We are aware of the presence of allergens requiring labelling, so please ask a member of the catering team should you require any more details. Vegetarian options are indicated by the symbol (V).



STAY
HYDRATED

School meals cost £3 per day, payable via Arbor, for Years 3, 4, 5 & 6, unless you are entitled to free school meals.

Please keep up to date with school meal payments each week.

Please note that for Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 ALL children are entitled to universal free school meals.

THURSDAY 17TH JULY

DISNEYPLAN@

JOIN US TO CELEBRATE THE OPENING OF THE FIRST
DISNEY AMUSEMENT PARK OPENED IN CALIFORNIA ON
17TH JULY 1955 CREATED BY WALT DISNEY HIMSELF

MAINS

LIL D AND STITCH

STITCH'S HAWAIIAN HULI HULI CHICKEN
SERVED WITH LIL D'S PINEAPPLE VEGETABLE RICE

LADY AND THE TRAMP

LADY AND THE TRAMP'S SPAGHETTI
AND VEGGIE MEATBALL PIZZA (V)

SIDES

WOODY'S COWBOY BEANS

OLAF'S CARROT NOSES

KAA'S JUNGLE BOOK CORN

MR POTATO HEAD'S CRUNCHY WEDGES

DESSERT

ALICE IN WONDERLAND

MAD HATTER'S VERY UNHAPPY BIRTHDAY
CUP CAKES WHICH JUST SHOUT 'EAT ME!'



UPCOMING DATES FOR YOUR DIARY...

Summer 2 Week 8
wb 23.06.25

Assessment Week
Enterprise Week

Monday, 23rd June 2025
Year 3 VR experiences

Tuesday, 24th June 2025
Year 6 VR experiences

Thursday, 26th June 2025
Year 2, 4 and 6 'I can save a life'
First Aid Training Course

Friday, 27th June 2025
Year 5 KEVI Primaries Day at Five
Ways School
Year 6 World of Work Day
FOGM Summer Fair after school
(including year group Enterprise
Week stalls)

Summer 2 Week 9
wb 30.06.25

Monday, 30th June 2025

Tuesday, 1st July 2025
Sports Day- more details to follow
Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 at
9.15am
Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 at 2.25pm

Wednesday, 2nd July 2025
Transition Afternoon- children will
spend the afternoon in their new
classrooms, with their new
teachers- more details to follow
next week!

Thursday, 3rd July 2025

Friday, 4th July 2025
2026 Year 4 Blackwell Adventure
meeting in the hall at 3pm and 5pm
on Teams

School Term Dates 2025- 2026

Autumn Term 2025

Term starts: Monday 1 September 2025

Monday 1 September 2025- school closed to pupils for staff training

Tuesday 2 September 2025- school closed to pupils for staff training

Half-term: Monday 27 October 2025 to Friday 31 October 2025

Monday 3rd November 2025- school closed to pupils for staff training

Term ends: Friday 19 December 2025

Spring Term 2026

Term starts: Monday 5 January 2026

Monday 5th January 2026- school closed to pupils for staff training

Half-term: Monday 16 February 2026 to Friday 20 February 2026

Term ends: Friday 27 March 2026

Summer Term 2026

Term starts: Monday 13 April 2026

Monday 13 April 2026- school closed to pupils for staff training

Half-term: Monday 25 May 2026 to Friday 29 May 2026

Term ends: Monday 20 July 2026

Monday 20 July 2026- school closed to pupils for staff training



The
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PTA**



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Multi Academy Trust



FRIDAY 27TH JUNE 2025

FOGM ARE EXCITED TO ANNOUNCE THAT THE SUMMER FAYRE WILL TAKE PLACE ON
27TH JUNE 2025.

DONATIONS NEEDED!

WHEN: 09/06/2025 – 20/06/2025

WHERE: CLASS OR SCHOOL OFFICE

WHAT:

1. TEDDY DONATIONS

Please donate teddys that are in good condition AND washed so that they can go into the very popular teddy tombola!

2. ADULT & CHILD TOMBOLA DONATIONS

Please donate new or unused items or unwanted gifts that would make suitable prizes for the adult and child tombola's.

STRICTLY NO BRIC A BRAC OR BOOKS

As we are not running a bric a' brac or book stall this year!