

Weekly Newsletter

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CONGRATULATIONS
TO OUR STARS OF THE WEEK
AND HEAD TEACHER'S AWARD WINNERS



THANKFULNESS

This week's Thankfulness Awards have been given to Bonnie, Sophie, Evie and Florence T.

Mrs Tomblin said "Bonnie is always grateful and gracious". Mrs Banks said "Sophie is always so polite and helpful and always remembers to say please and thank you". Ms Dymond said "Evie is a kind and generous friend and she is grateful for having Evie in Fox class." Mrs Haskins said "Florence T always says please and thank you and is such a polite person."

Today we also want to say thank you to people in our community who support us.

Thank you to Mr and Mrs Roberts who donated over 100 apples to us this week. Every child had the opportunity to enjoy a freshly picked local apple at break time. We also want to thank Mrs Cruse for looking after the plants outside school, tidying the phone box Book Swap and for agreeing to transport our Harvest donations to the local food bank.



Ready, Respectful and Safe

A huge congratulations to the children who are great examples of being ready, respectful and safe in school. They are always ready to learn and help others, respectful towards staff and their friends and behave consistently well in the classroom and the playground.

They enjoyed a hot chocolate and a biscuit with Mr Harvey in the beautiful autumnal sunshine and were given a special sticker to wear today.



HEDGEHOG CLASS MEET INDIE THE SCHOOL DOG

This week, our Reception children had a visit from Indie the school dog. Mrs Haskins showed the children a few tricks Indie can do. The children were allowed to stroke Indie if they wanted to. We hope that Indie the dog may join Hedgehog class for a story time activity in the coming weeks.



Homework

Following the recent guidance sent by the class teachers, please can you continue to encourage your child to regularly read at home and complete any other set homework tasks.



Essential Dates

Mondays Term 1 - Squirrel class swimming lessons

Thursday 2nd Oct - Otter class drama workshop Valley Arts

Thursday 2nd Oct - Free school lunch for all children. Book on Aspens

Wednesday 8th Oct - Mobile Library visit - Squirrel and Otter class

Friday 17th Oct - Otter class trip to The Matthew and M Shed

Friday 17th Oct - 3:45pm PTA AGM in the Waldegrave Arms

Thursday 9.30am 23rd Oct - Harvest Festival in church - parents welcome!

Thursday 23rd October - Otter class trip to Wells Literature Festival

Friday 24th October - end of term

Monday 3rd November INSET DAY

Tuesday 4th November First Day of Term 2



LUCKY POT RODEO LUNCH

2 October 2025

We're serving up a **FREE** all-American rodeo lunch, packed with big flavours, hearty pots and a chance to win amazing prizes!

WHAT'S ON THE MENU

Mains

Macaroni Cheese with optional toppings

Choose from

Pulled Chicken, Crispy Onions or BBQ Sauce

Cowboy Pie

(Sausage & Baked Bean pie topped with Mash Potato)

Spaghetti & Texan Sauce with optional toppings

Choose from

Pulled Chicken or Crispy Chick Pea
(Allergen free)

Sides

Crudités
Garlic Bread Slice
Salad Bar

Dessert

Funfetti Cookie
Fresh Fruit

DON'T MISS OUT

Head over to the **Select** system to register and make your meal choices now.

If you have not used the Select system before, please reach out to your school office and get your school and child code before registering.



select.aspens-services.com

A big thank you to our local suppliers for making this American rodeo lunch possible.

WIN

It's free for everyone on this special day - and, if you have a lucky pot, you could WIN!

2 lucky pots in each year group win a seat at the VIP Table!

All winners are entered into a Grand Prize Draw across the Trust to win a **BRAND NEW BIKE!**



Wreath Making Workshop

28th November
7pm
East Harptree Hall

£40

Ticket includes one festive drink on arrival, nibbles and wreath making materials and instructions.

BUY TICKETS -
QR Code or
<https://buytickets.at/friendssofeastharptreeschool/1821730>

WREATH MAKING WORKSHOP HOSTED BY EAST HARPTREE PTA



Raise funds by collecting reusable clothes

RAGS 2 RICHES
Schools Clubs Groups

WE ACCEPT CLEAN, GOOD QUALITY, DRY, REUSABLE CLOTHING

- Adults, Childrens & Babies Clothing
- Paired Shoes and Footwear
- Jewellery and Accessories
- Belts and Handbags

WE DO NOT ACCEPT

POOR QUALITY ITEMS SUCH AS DIRTY, WET, RIPPED OR SOILED CLOTHES, PILLOWS, DUJETS, CURTAINS, BOOKS CDS OR ANY UNIFORM

If you are unsure what to put in the bags **STOP AND THINK** WOULD YOU WEAR IT?

Please use the clothing bag provided. You can also use any additional bag if required.

Collection Date: 1st Oct

Christmas Market
NOVEMBER 29TH 2025

11-3PM
EAST HARPTREE HALL

STALLS AVAILABLE
TABLE £15 EACH

PLEASE CONTACT VIKI -
VICTORIAWALKER29@YAHOO.COM

BOOK NOW

HAUNTED HOLIDAY CLUBS

CHEW VALLEY

ACTIVITIES INCLUDE:

- ☑ Freaky Football Fundays
- ☑ Monster Mash-Ups
- ☑ Creepy Creative
- ☑ Dance with KPop Demons
- ☑ Jinxed Gymnastics and Cheerleading

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Use Code: Early Booker
Offer ends 05/10/2025
*Conditions apply

Shine HOLIDAY CLUBS

Thank Cake It's Friday

Just Drop in
Everyone's Invited



Every 1st Friday

Friday 3rd October
3pm - 4.30pm
East Harptree Church
Meet, Eat, Chat
Children's Activities
No charge - but cash donations welcome