



THE WILLOWS WONDER

JUNE & JULY 2026

WHAT A FANTASTIC YEAR!

As we reflect on this year it is time to celebrate the exciting learning that has taken place, the opportunities and experiences the children have had and the fantastic progress they have made. We are very proud of them all. As always the end of the year means we have to say goodbye to our Year 6 children and some families whose time with The Willows has come to an end. We wish every one of them success and happiness in all they do. Thanks must also be given to all the volunteers, trustees and staff who always give so much to our school, their care and dedication make this a very special place for your child to be. Lastly, a big thank you to all of you. Your support and encouragement throughout the year is invaluable for our staff and children. I wish you all a restful and enjoyable holiday.

Mrs Head

THANKYOU & GOODBYE

We will miss you!

As we come to the end of another year it is again the time when we have to say goodbye to some of our fabulous staff members.

Mrs Dennington is leaving us to take up a leadership position with the Bramford & Somersham Schools Primary Federation. Having worked at The Willows for 5 years, successfully leading phonics to our highest ever result this year we will miss her greatly. She leaves with our sincere gratitude and best wishes for every future success.

We also say goodbye to **Miss Lovatt** who has supported at The Willows over the last two years across various year groups. We wish her every happiness as she takes on a new challenge.

Finally, we say goodbye to **Bailey** who has led PE lessons and after-school clubs at The Willows as part of our partnership with Kicks & Tricks. We thank him for his enthusiasm and support and wish him well in his next role.

Do take the time to wish them well when you see them over the next few days.

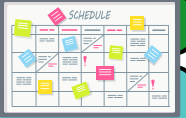
FAMILY DISCUSSION

Can a book be a weapon?

Don't forget to pop along to Chantry Library this holiday & take part in the **Summer Reading Challenge** - Read to the Beat - scan the code for more information.



UPCOMING EVENTS



JULY

13th - 2:30 - Yr 5 Music Celebration to parents

14th - 8:45 - Yr 2 & 3 - Attendance Celebration
Breakfast with invited parents

14th - 2pm & 6pm - Year 6 Leavers Production

15th - 8:45 - Rec, Yr 1, 2 & 3 - Attendance Celebration Assembly with invited parents

15th - 12:15 - Race to 100 treat

15th - 3pm - Yr 4, 5 & 6 - Attendance Celebration Assembly with invited parents

16th - Reports out to parents

16th - 5pm - Year 6 Leavers Party

17th - 8:45 - Fish & Star of the Year awards - Rec, Yr 1, 2, 3, 4 & 5 invited parents

17th - 12:30 - Year 6 Leavers Assembly - Yr 6 parents

17th - Term Ends

Term Dates for 2026 - 27 can be found on the last page of this newsletter

THE WILLOWS TEAM - SEPTEMBER 2026

	Year Grp	Class	Teacher (s)	
EYFS & KS1 Team	Reception	RMC	Miss Moore & Miss Churchyard	Miss Hammond
	Year 1	1MF	Mrs Frank-Llewellyn	Mrs Brame
	Year 2	2MM	Miss Mayhew & Miss Moore	Mrs Williams
	SEU - The Rockpool		Mrs Bell	Mrs Vukovic, Miss Ellis & Miss Hyland
Lower KS2 Team	Year 3	3KK	Miss Kirk	Mrs Ransom
		3RD	Miss Deeley	Miss Mayhew
	Year 4	4HB	Miss Buxton	Miss Rogers
		4TR	Mrs Rahman	Miss Varley
Upper KS2 Team		The Reef	Mrs Creber	Mrs Cole & Mrs Walton
	Year 5	5KD	Mrs Whitney & Miss Duggan	Miss Vine
		5LH	Ms Harvey & Mrs Whitney	Mrs Calver
	Year 6	6HW	Mrs Wassermeyer	Mrs Jones
		6EW	Mrs Wepener	Mrs Pearce
SEND Support			Mr Cairns, Mrs Foulger, Miss Green, Mr Morrow, Mrs Sheldrick, Mrs Wright, ITFC - Mr Smith	
Family Support			Mrs Cook	
Office Manager		Mrs Batley	Office Assistant	Mrs Jones
Site Manager		Mr Pedro	Lunchtime Supervisor	Mrs Friend
Headteacher		Mrs Head	Deputy Headteacher	Mrs Dunn
Assistant Headteachers		Mrs Deed & Miss Manning		
Senior Teachers		Mrs Fiddaman & Mrs Whitney		
Continuing Maternity Leave		Miss Glazin & Mrs Millard		

FREE WHEELS PROJECT



SKILLS ESCALATOR @ SUFFOLK ONE



JUNE & JULY @ THE WILLOWS IN PICTURES

YR 6 PGL BAWDSEY



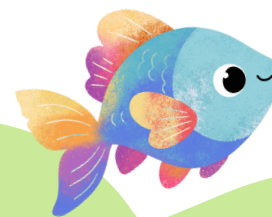
YEAR 5 - TOWER OF LONDON



JUNE & JULY FISH OF EACH WEEK



RHC	Crystal, Mimi, Grace, Bontu, Isaac, Noah	4EW	Madison, Melwin, Myla Amelia, Rosie, Pixie
1MF	India, Whole Class, Marcus, Sapphire, Paisley	4HB	Baktash, Nicky, Salem, Sasha, Atlanta, Jacob
2/3RG	Malik, Oliver, Milana, Jacob, Ermie, Delaney	5KD	Dollie, Millie, Djansu, Anthony, Aleksas, Leo
2/3HD	Athena, Connor, Emily Frankie, Alayna, Aylah	5TM	Winter, Arlo, Mia, Zack, Milo, Mila
2/3AL	Nevaeh, Poppy, Zahir, Poppy, Lillia	6RB	Freya, Sophie, Lavinia, Arthur, India, Viktoria
The Reef	Ashleigh, Wyatt, Holly Masoud, Ariyah, Wyatt	6HW	Kayden, Harland, Amy, Brooke, Kayden, Jasmine



JUNE & JULY STARS OF EACH WEEK

RHC	Lennox, Dilyar, Kayden, Crystal, Ivy-Rose, Faith	4EW	Ellie, Liliana, Harry, Olan, Owen, Maria
1MF	Azari, Oscar, Marcus, Kodi-Lee, Harper, Kyana	4HB	Libby, Kyla, Stanley, Riaz, Libby, Kyla
2/3RG	Amal, Maddison, Liam, Bryan, Oliver, Bradley	5KD	Zubair, Willow, Rhea, Aleksas, Sara, Mayah-J
2/3HD	Cloud, Thomas, Pearl, Frankie, Louise, Thomas,	5TM	Katie, Sham, Kaliyah, Elloise, Peter, Abdullah
2/3AL	Valentin, Amiyah, Jessica, Oscar, Bryson	6RB	Amelie, Chase, Ava, Aniyah, Sophie, Lexi
The Reef	Charisma, Hannah, Holly, Wyatt, Erin	6HW	Ollie, Callum, Alexis, Jade, Esmae, Malachi



KINDNESS HEROES



Bronze 2	Bronze 3	Silver	Gold
Mimi, Priya, Bontu, Reggie, Oscar, Noah, Kyana, Alannah, Marcus, Athena, Aylah, Ilanya, Alayna, Emily, Amari, Noah, Bryan, Ilya, Amal, Alicia, Aida, Liam, Freddie, Remy, Nancy, Blossom, Maria, Madison, Ellie, Nolan, Nicky, Maisie, Logan, Wyatt, Shyanne, Harry, Rhea, Kyrie, Pheobe, Katie, Kornelia, Milo, Winter, Alessandra, Archie, Kyomi, Archie, Willow, Mayah-J, Brooke, Mason, Harland, Freya, Carmen, Viktoria, Keegan	Rec - Ivy, Grace, Dilyer, Noah 2 - Logan, Maddison 4 - Amelia, Warren, Libby 5 - Winter, Zack, Peyton 6 - Ethan, Amy, Arthur, Charlotte, Charisma	3 - Amiyah-Rose 4 - Erin, Owen, Leo, Logan, Stanley, Malaki, Riaz, Jacob 5 - Sara, Leo, Sham Holly 6 - Jade, Esmae	Ariyah



ATTENDANCE - 100% ON TIME, EVERY DAY FOR THE WHOLE OF JUNE

RZC	1MF	2/3HD	2/3KG	2/3AL	4EW	4HB	5KD	5TM	6RB	6HW
Bontu Crystal Emily Kayden Mikail Mimi Noah Priya	Azari Evita Harper Harry India Kyana Marcus Mohammed Nayla Salma Sapphire	Alfie Connor Ilanya James Mason Pearl-Mae Thomas	Aida Alicia Amal Bryan Elijah Gabriel Hudson Ilja Liam Maddison Oliver	Dayane Ela Ellis Noah Oscar Sahara Valentin Zahir	Amelia Harry Liliana Logan Maria Masoud Owen	Baktash Libby Logan Malaki Melody Riaz	Aleksas Alessandra Andreas Charlie Leo Madelyn Zubair	Holly Kaio Kornelia Mia Milo Phoebe- Dawn Sham Yawar Zack	Amelie Aniyah Archie Arthur Ashleigh Charlotte Chase Kaitlyn Lexi Malik Oscar Sam	Alisha Bodhi Callum Hannah Harland Jade Kayden Levi Milanna

BEST CLASS

Wk end 5/6	RHC	89%
Wk end 12/6	1MF	96%
Wk end 19/6	6HW	95%
Wk end 26/6	6RB	91%
Wk end 3/7	1MF & 2/3HD	92%
Wk end 10/7	2/3RG	92%



WHOLE SCHOOL

Wk end 5/6	82%
Wk end 12/6	86%
Wk end 19/6	88%
Wk end 26/6	74%
Wk end 3/7	86%
Wk end 10/7	86%

TERM DATES 2026-27



Autumn Term

Children return to school - Thursday 3rd September 2025
 School closed - Monday 5th October (Children not in school)
 Half Term Holiday - Monday 26th October to Friday 30th October
 Children return to school - Monday 2nd November
 School closed - Friday 4th December (Children not in school)
 Term Ends - Friday 18th December
 Christmas Holiday - Monday 21st December to Monday 4th January

Spring Term

Children return to school - Tuesday 5th January 2027
 Half Term Holiday - Monday 15th February to Monday 22nd February
 Children return to school - Tuesday 23rd February 2027
 Term Ends - Wednesday 24th March
 Easter Holiday - Thursday 25th March to Friday 9th April

Summer Term

Children return to school - Monday 12th April 2027
 Monday 3rd May - Bank Holiday - Children not in school
 Half Term Holiday - Monday 31st May to Friday 4th June
 Children return to school - Monday 7th June
 School Closed - Monday 28th June (Children not in school)
 Term Ends - Wednesday 21st July

