



# Weekly News

Friday 3rd July 2026

## Head's Lines

Dear Parents and Carers,

As we approach the end of another busy and successful academic year, there is a real sense of excitement around the school. The children continue to work incredibly hard, while also enjoying the many opportunities that make this final part of the summer term so special.

This week, we were delighted to welcome our incoming Year 3 children for their transition morning. It was wonderful to see them exploring their new school, meeting staff, and beginning to build friendships ahead of September. We know that moving to a junior school is a big step, but the children approached the morning with enthusiasm and confidence. We were also pleased to meet so many parents and carers at our New Intake Parent Information Evening and look forward to working closely with our new families over the coming years.

Across the school, transition activities have also been taking place for our current pupils as they prepare for the next stage of their learning journey. Year 3, 4 and 5 children have enjoyed spending time in their new classes and meeting their teachers for September. These opportunities help to ensure a smooth and positive start to the new academic year.

Meanwhile, preparations for the Year 6 production are in full swing. The rehearsals have been fantastic, and the children are already demonstrating impressive confidence, teamwork and enthusiasm. We cannot wait to see all of their hard work come together in the performances later this term.

A reminder to Elm Class parents that you are warmly invited to our Celebration Assembly on **Thursday 10th July**. We look forward to sharing and celebrating the children's achievements with you.

As many of you will be aware, England are continuing their World Cup campaign this weekend. We would like to wish the team the very best of luck. Whilst we appreciate that many families may wish to follow the

match, we would not expect primary-aged children to stay up so late, particularly during term time. Therefore, as with any other occasion, we will not be authorising lateness on Monday morning due to tiredness following the game. The coming weeks are packed with performances, celebrations, transition activities and special events, making for a very busy but exciting end to the school year.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support.  
Mrs Egan

### Diary Dates for next week:

Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> July - PTA Colour Run

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> July - Elm class celebration assembly, 9am

### Looking ahead:

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> July - Year 6 Production dress rehearsal

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> July - Reports out to parents

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> July - Year 6 Production, 6pm

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> July - Rocksteady Concert (2pm) and Book Look Y3,4 and 5 (2.45pm)

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> July - Year 6 Leavers' Service (1.30pm) and PTA disco

## Wow Work Winners

Oak - Amelia

Elm - Jess

Maple - Olly

Chestnut - Alfie

Hazel - Zack

Rowan - Arabella

Beech - Ben

Sycamore - Catharina and Eleyse



## Attendance

Whole School Attendance for w/c 29th June 2026

**94.8%**

Chestnut: 92.4% Maple: 96.8%

Hazel: 94.3% Elm: 94.5%

Oak: 96.2% Sycamore: 96.9%

Beech: 96.3% Rowan: 91%

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# Spelling Bee

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On Monday evening a representative from each year group across the school attended the annual TAMAT Spelling Bee at Connaught Junior School. In front of family and friends the children were asked to spell out a series of increasingly difficult words to find out who the best spellers are across the schools in our Trust. We witnessed fantastic performances from Adam in year 3, Betsy in year 4 and Darcy in year 5, but a huge congratulations must go in particular to Oscar for becoming the year 6 overall spelling bee champion!



## Class Photo Reminder

A reminder that the deadline for ordering photos to be delivered free to the school is midnight on Sunday. Please note that if you place an order over £20 before 5<sup>th</sup> July, then you will also be able to receive a 5% discount on the cost by using the voucher code **60704723**. Please note that year 6 photos were taken not just of each individual class, but also of the full year group together.

## Housepoint totals this week



GRAITNEY  
HOUSE

**597**



COLLINGWOOD  
HOUSE

**589**



ELSENWOOD  
HOUSE

**570**



FRIMLEY  
HOUSE

**562**