Styal Primary School

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Weekly Newsletter

Friday 6th November 2026

School Dinners — Week 2

From **Monday 9th November**

Monday 9th November

Y1/2 PE - children in kits please

Judo Club in Hall - 3:30 - 4:15pm

Tuesday 10th November

Rec/Y1 PE - children in kits please

Sports Coaches - lunchtime

Rec/Y1 & Y2 Stay and Make in Hall - 2pm

Wednesday 11th November

Gymnastics Club in Hall - 3:30 - 4:30pm

Thursday 12th November

Sports Coaches - lunchtime

KS2 Lacrosse session - pm

Y3-6 in PE kits please

Lacrosse after school session 3:30 - 4:30pm

Friday 13th November

Children in Need

Sports Coaches - lunchtime & afternoon sessions

Y1-6 in PE kits please

Sports coaches after school club 3:30 - 4:30pm

Message from Mrs Gaulton

Dear families,

It has been lovely to welcome everyone back to school this week after what was, hopefully, a well-earned and much-needed half-term break. The autumn term is always incredibly busy from start to finish, and it has been wonderful to see the children and staff return feeling refreshed and ready for the weeks ahead.

We have already seen some fantastic work across the school this week and are particularly proud of our Year 6 pupils, who have been actively helping to sell poppies each day in school. Poppies will be available until 12th November, and we are grateful for the maturity and responsibility shown by our pupils in supporting this important cause.

I would also like to thank **Elsie, Robin and Lousha** for volunteering to read at the Styal Remembrance Service in the village on Sunday. Mr Smith and I will be attending, and we know you will represent our school beautifully. Thank you also to **Finn**, who kindly volunteered but is unable to attend due to an important rugby match. Best of luck, **Finn**!

We also have some exciting staff news to share. Firstly, we would like to extend a very warm welcome to **Mrs Roberts,** who joined our Year 5/6 Teaching Assistant team just before half term. **Mrs Roberts** will be working in school on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. I am sure you will join me in making her feel very welcome as part of our school community.

And secondly, we have had wedding bells over the half-term break! Huge congratulations to **Miss Cashman**, now **Mrs Cashman-Bryan**, who got married last week. We wish you and your husband every happiness as you begin this exciting new chapter together.

We hope you all have a safe and restful weekend and, if you are attending any fireworks events, that you have a wonderful time with family and friends.



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Celebrating our wonderful children this week …

Wonderful work this week



Superb work from our **Reception children** this week who have been practising forming letters in sand with their pretend sparklers.

Well done!

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Superb work from **Joni and Evan in Rec** this week.

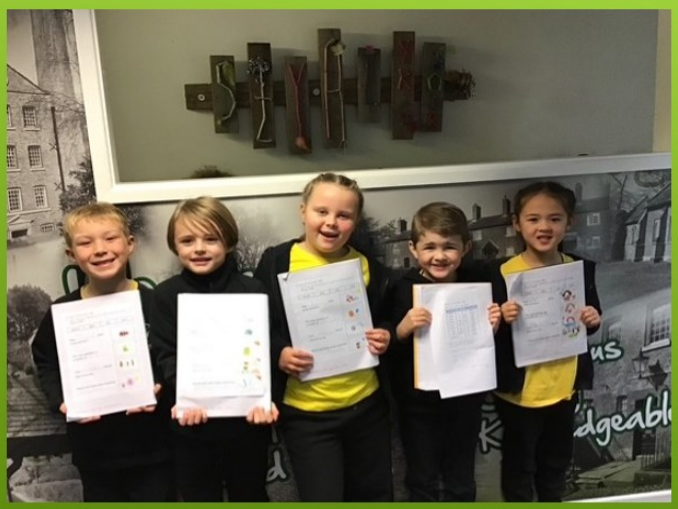
Joni has created a beautiful piece of firework art all ready for Bonfire night and **Evan** worked really hard in his learning about fireworks and Guy Fawkes.

Well done!

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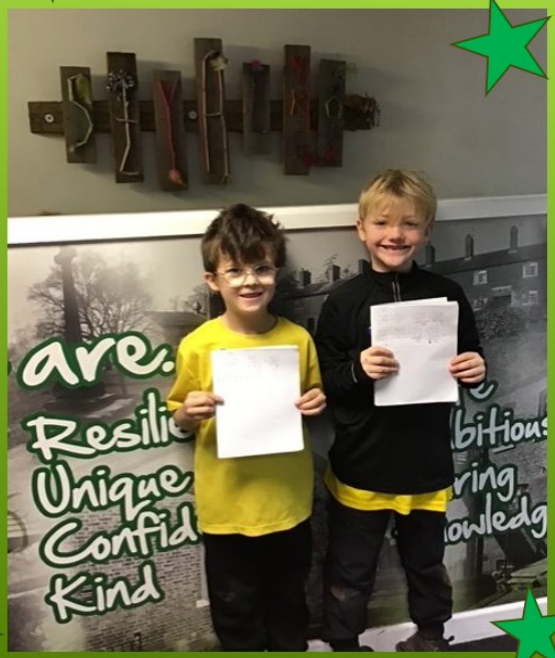


Superb writing in Y1/2 this week.

Well done to **Benjamin, Klara, Willow** and **Ottilie** who produced some super sentences about bonfire safety and a HUGE well done to **Ayrton** who wrote a beautiful poem independently.

Fantastic work from all of you!

Wonderful work this week



Excellent Maths work from **Lando and Henry in Y3** this week.

The children have been working really hard on addition of 3-digit and 2-digit numbers.

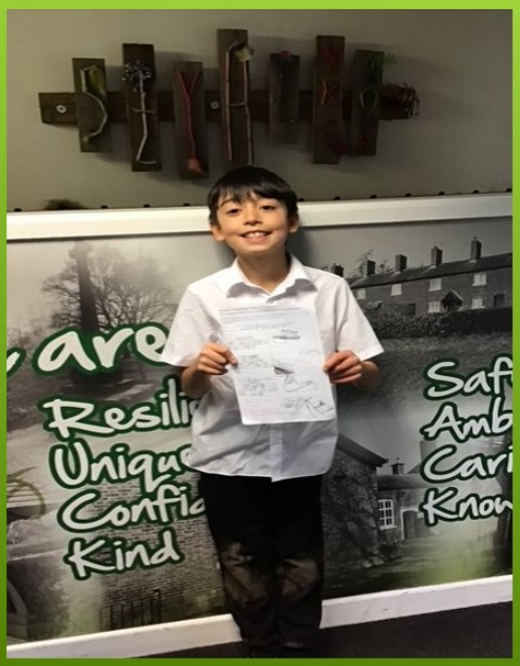
They have shown great resilience and determination as they have found this challenging at times. However, they have kept going and produced some excellent work today.

We are all very proud of you!

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Excellent History work from **Zak in Y5** this week.

Zak was so excited to tell me about the interesting facts he's learned so far about the Titanic. He also talked me through his timeline of events for the night the ship sank.

Great enthusiasm for learning **Zak**. Excellent job!

Special mention this week





Thank you to all our families who donated to our Food Bank collection for Harvest Festival this year.

We welcomed Clare Byfield into school on Tuesday to lead our Harvest Assembly.

She was thrilled with the bags of donations she could take to the food bank she works with.

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Thank you to our Y6 children who have been selling poppies this week ahead of Remembrance Sunday and Remembrance Day next week.
They have been doing a fantastic job and our Governor, **Shan Bristow**, was thrilled to hear about their efforts.
We look forward to having 3 of our pupils represent school at Styal's Remembrance Service on Sunday.

Random Acts of Kindness

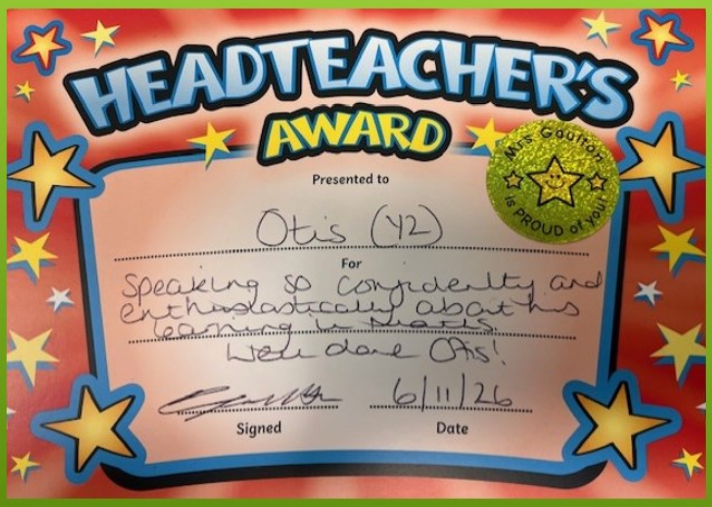


Very well done to **Harlow** this week who has shown kindness and care to others in school.
Mrs Bentham-Wood has nominated you for how kind you've been to your friends at lunchtime.
Thank you for **bee-ing** kind!

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Headteacher's Award



Congratulations to **Otis in Y2** who has been awarded Headteacher's Award this week.

You have wowed us this week with how confidently and enthusiastically you have spoken about your Maths learning to Mrs Hennessey.

Great job Otis, we're all very impressed!



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Styal Stars

W/C 02.11.2026

Rec/Y1 - **Samuel**

Year 1 - **Athena**

Year 2 - **Otis**

Year 3 - **Henry**

Year 4 - **Aria-Rose**

Year 5 - **Jacob**

Year 6 - **Alyssia**

Well done everyone for trying your best.

Attendance

Aiming for Above 95%

Winners on Friday of the attendance award were:

Rec/Y1 - well done!

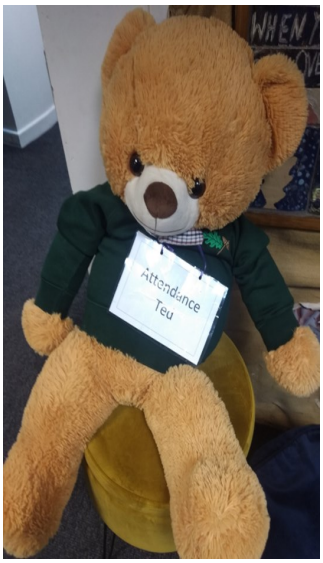
Whole School 94.8%

Rec/Y1 100% WOW!

Y1/2 95%

Y3/4 97.1%

Y5/6 91%



Mr Smith's PE Awards

This week Mr Smith has awarded his EYFS/KS1 PE certificate to Everley in Rec who has listened beautifully and showed technical skill and confidence.

Lando in Y3 has also achieved a KS2 certificate for working incredibly hard in Lacrosse this week.

Well done everyone!



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SEND information from Mrs Holliday ...

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SMART BRIGHT TRAINING CIC

NHS
Cheshire and Merseyside

EHCP Annual Review

Wednesday 18th November 2026 6.30pm-8.30pm
Online (zoom)

This workshop will explain the legal framework relating to Education, Health and Care Plan Annual Reviews. What to expect and how to prepare for a successful meeting. We will look at ways to ensure that your child's views and aspirations are central to the discussion. We will explain what should happen after the meeting and who has responsibility for the writing of reports following the meeting. We explain any next steps you might wish to consider and hopefully bust some EHCP myths.

Email: training@space4autism.org

This course is offered to those parents whose children and young people are either on the pathway for a diagnosis or who are diagnosed, we will need evidence of either to book this course.

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The Queen's Award

SMART BRIGHT TRAINING LTD

UNDERSTANDING & IMPLEMENTING VISUAL STRATEGIES

Space4Autism

24th November 10.30-12.30pm

What does this workshop cover?

- Identifying why support is needed
- Explore types of visual communication
- Practical activity on social stories, visual timelines and more
- Course includes resource materials

This workshop supports parents with children aged 3-11 years who are experiencing language, communication delays or barriers.





For further information or to book onto this workshop, please email
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UNDERSTANDING
PDA (PATHOLOGICAL DEMAND AVOIDANCE)



10:00am -12:00pm

Tuesday 3rd December

Online (Zoom)

The aim of this workshop is to offer parents an understanding of what PDA is, how a child who is likely to be PDA could be supported in school or at home. Gathering observations, sharing with practitioners when trying to secure more formal support and advocating for your child.

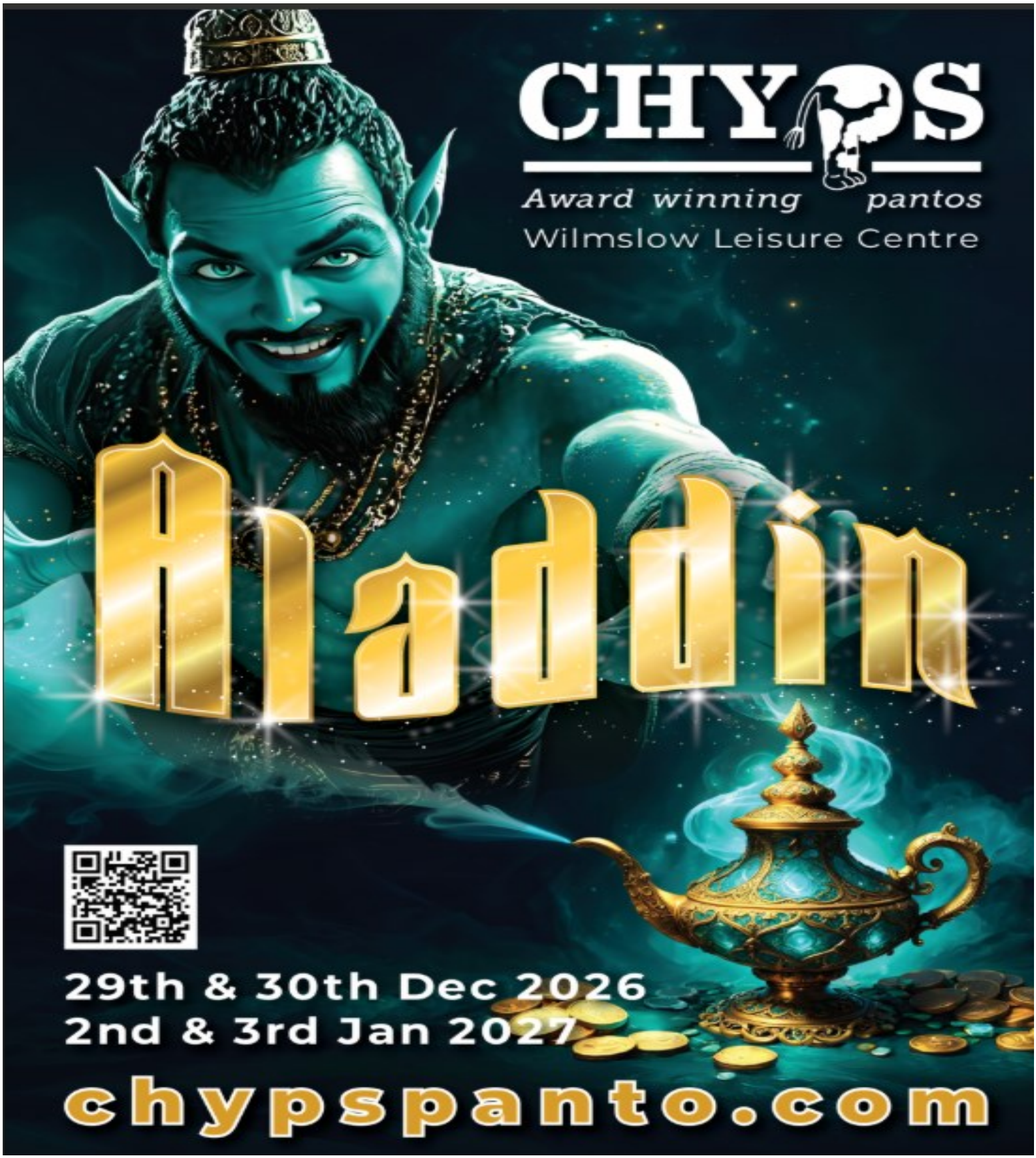
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Community news...



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Autumn Term Save the Date - updated

Please check carefully for additions/changes

November	
Monday 2nd November	INSET Day
Tuesday 3rd November	School reopens
Tuesday 10th November	Rec and KS1 Stay and Make
Monday 16th November	Odd Socks Day—Anti Bullying Week
Friday 13th November	Children in Need day
Monday 23rd November	Parents Evening—3-5
Thursday 26th November	Parents Evening—4-6
Friday 27th November	New to You uniform sale 3:15 Christmas jumper stall 3:15

December	
Tuesday 1st December	Jingle Jog for Cheshire East Hospice
Friday 4th December	3:30—5:30 Christmas Fair
Monday 7th December 9:30	Rock Steady Concert for parents
Thursday 10th December	Christmas Jumper Day Y5/6 Outcomes afternoon 2:30 - 3:30pm
Monday 14th December—1:30	KS2 Carols
Tuesday 15th December 9:30	Reception Nativity for families in the school hall
Wednesday 16th December	Y1/ 2 Christmas performance for families in the school hall
Thursday 17th December	Christmas dinner and party day New to You uniform sale 3:15
Friday 18th December	2: 30—School closes Back open on Tuesday 5th January