



NEWSLETTER

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Tom Vaughan visits Woodland



KS2 had a real treat on Tuesday when Tom Vaughan visited Woodland which was a huge success. Tom and the Waterstones representative (Donna) were very complimentary about our children and our school, commenting how enthusiastic the children were; how welcoming the staff were and what a pleasure it was to visit us today.

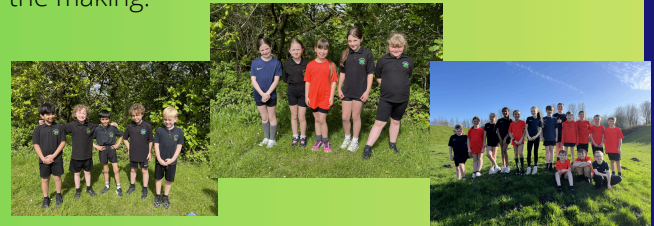
The children were likewise very enthused by the visit, clamoring to join in with the presentation and ask questions. Ava, in Y6, stole the show by her unbelievable knowledge of Greek mythology. Tom signed copies of the book for the children which is a fantastic memento of the visit.

**Best Attending
Class
this week**
2GC & 4NMLP

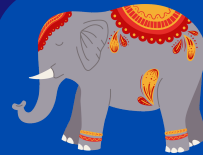


JUNIOR PARK RUNS

This half term Y3-6 have taken part in SHARES Park Run. The course is tough but the children did really well. Special mention to Amber who got 1st place on the podium (again!) A super star in the making.



Thank you for your ongoing support.
Please stay safe in the sun.



A PASSAGE
TO INDIA



Please see below details about designing our team flags and mascots for our themed week in July. Get creative this half term

Star of the Week

- Reception – Leonardo
- Year 1 – Anthony
- Year 2 – Amaris & Arthur
- Year 3 – Letti & Delilah
- Year 4 – Leo & Alaa
- Year 5 – Olly & Julia
- Year 6 – Harvey & Chloe

Well done

DATES FOR THE DIARY

- 22.5.26 SCHOOL CLOSED INSET DAY
- 1.6.26 SCHOOL opens for Summer 2 term
- 1.6.26 Y4 multiplication tests
- 8.6.26 Y1 Phonics Screening
- 10.6.26 Woodland Wonders Art Exhibition 2.30pm
- 17.6.26 Sports Day am Birch/Oak pm Ash/Willow
- 26.06.26 ROCKSTEADY CONCERT
- 1.7.26 Y6 Residential to Patterdale, Lake District
- 6.7.26 Themed Week - Commonwealth Games - Passage to India
- 13.7.26 School reports out
- 15.7.26 Y6 Come Dine with Me (lunch with parents)
- 17.7.26 Leavers Assembly - school closes 3pm
- 1.9.26 School reopens for the new term

WOODLAND SCHOOL

DESIGN OUR MASCOT!

FOR COMMONWEALTH WEEK

BE PART OF SOMETHING **BIG!**

We are looking for a creative, fun and inspiring mascot to represent Woodland School during Commonwealth Week!

Could your design be the one we all cheer for?

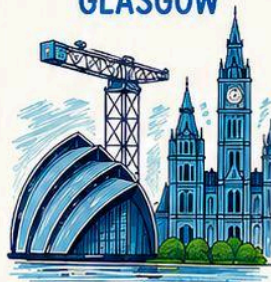
COMMONWEALTH GAMES VALUES



Show how your mascot celebrates friendship, respect, excellence, determination and inclusion.

GET YOUR IDEAS FROM...

GLASGOW



Commonwealth Games 2026 are in Glasgow! You could include iconic landmarks, tartan, the River Clyde or Scottish symbols.

INDIA



The Commonwealth has strong links with India. You could be inspired by Indian culture, art, animals or patterns.

OUR SCHOOL TEAMS



ASH



OAK



BIRCH



WILLOW

Can you include all four teams or something that brings us all together as one Woodland School community?

HOW TO ENTER

- ★ Design your mascot on paper – be as creative as you like!
- ★ Give your mascot a name and write a few sentences about why it represents Woodland School and Commonwealth Week.
- ★ Don't forget to include your name and class on the back.

ENTRIES TO BE RETURNED TO SCHOOL AFTER THE **MAY HOLIDAY**



The winning design will be our official Woodland School Commonwealth Week mascot!



BE CREATIVE. BE BOLD. BE WOODLAND!

WOODLAND SCHOOL

DESIGN OUR FLAG!



BE PART OF
SOMETHING
BIG!

FOR COMMONWEALTH WEEK 2026

Mrs Boyer needs ideas for the flags!

Help us create flags that represent Woodland School during Commonwealth Week 2026.

Your idea could be part of our final flags!

TEAM ASH



TEAM OAK



TEAM BIRCH



TEAM WILLOW



INCLUDE LINKS TO:



COMMONWEALTH
GAMES



GLASGOW



INDIA



2026

KEEP IT SIMPLE!

- ★ Use bold shapes and clear colours.
- ★ Make sure your ideas are easy to see from far away.
- ★ Focus on the key symbols and messages.
- ★ Less detail = more impact!



MRS BOYER
NEEDS IDEAS
FOR
THE FLAGS!

HOW TO SHARE YOUR IDEAS

- ★ Design your flag on paper – be as creative as you like!
- ★ Write your name and class on the back.
- ★ Give your idea to Mrs Boyer.
- ★ All ideas will be carefully considered.



BE CREATIVE. BE BOLD. BE WOODLAND!
LET'S DESIGN FLAGS WE CAN ALL BE PROUD OF.

