



Alderbury & West Grimstead CE Primary School Newsletter

Foundations for Life

Friday 22nd May 2026

Kindness

Justice

Respect



This term our Collective Worship theme is:

SERVICE

This week, we reflected upon what we've learnt about Service this term and created some beautiful pieces of work for our worship book!

Headteacher's Update

It's been a wonderfully active week in school. Our teams did brilliantly in the Salisbury Mini Marathon at the weekend, securing 2nd and 3rd place for boys' small school — such an achievement. This set the tone for a busy few days, with the Year 3/4 Tag Rugby Tournament on Monday and the KS1 Sports Festival on Wednesday, where children represented us with real pride and positivity. Across the school, learning has been just as vibrant. Year 4 have loved making bread as part of their food enquiry, Year 6 have been deepening their own independent enquiries and EYFS have been working hard on their letter formation. We also said a very special goodbye to Mrs Bridge and wished Mrs Telfer a very happy big birthday as she celebrates over half term. It's been a full and joyful week. Wishing all our families a lovely half term — we look forward to welcoming everyone back on Monday 1st June, hopefully to some brighter weather.

Year 5 Wagamama Trip

Year 5 had a fantastic time on their visit to Wagamama in Salisbury yesterday. They travelled on the public bus, represented the school beautifully throughout and threw themselves into the experience with real enthusiasm. Children had the chance to make their own smoothies and cook delicious yaki soba — a definite highlight! A huge thank you to the Salisbury Wagamama team for welcoming us so warmly and giving the children such a memorable experience.





Lost Property

Lost property has now gathered itself into a basket in the school office foyer, ready to be reunited with its owners. If you're missing something that appears to have grown legs and wandered off, please do pop in and have a look. Naming items makes it so much easier for us to return them quickly so please do add names where you can.

Key Dates

15th June – INSET Day (no pupils in school)

17th June – Class Pics/Leaver Pics

2nd & 3rd July – Y5/6 Residential – Fairthorne Manor

10th July – Sports Day

11th July – FAWGS Colour Run & Summer Fair

Best Wishes,
Mrs Emily Woolf
Headteacher