

# Sebert Wood Primary School

## Parent/Carer Update



Friday 9<sup>th</sup> May 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

The Summer Term is always a busy one and this week has been no exception. Yesterday, we celebrated the 80<sup>th</sup> anniversary of VE Day across the whole school. From educational visitors to afternoon tea parties, the children and staff fully embraced the significance of such a pivotal event in our country's history. It was lovely to hear pupils appreciating the sacrifices that were made by so many during WWII. Even our youngest children in EYFS understood that the world we live in today has been shaped by events in the past.



Thank you for so many wonderful VE Day Cake Decorating Competition. The judges had the difficult job of deciding on the winning entries. Here are the finalists:

*Nursery- Adelaide P*

*Reception- Florian/Bibi C and Sophia D*



*Year 1- Amber D and Harry B*

*Year 2- Henry M and Pippa B*

*Year 3- Sophie B and Logan R-H*

*Year 4- Esmae P and Scarlett P*

*Year 5- Emelia D-C and Seb D*

*Year 6- Holly W and Luke R*



Good luck to our Year 6 with SATs next week. We are incredibly proud of the pupils and all their efforts in readiness for the assessments. We know they are going to do their very best and that is all we ask of them. SATs reflect all their hard work throughout KS2. Thank you to FOSWS who have funded an early morning light breakfast for Year 6, which will ensure everybody is focused for the papers.

Mr James Tottie and Mr Jamie Winch

## Football tournaments

Many of our football teams have been representing the school in end-of-season competitions in recent weeks. Well done to all the children that took part in these and a huge thank you to the coaches who volunteer their time on Saturdays.



## Suffolk County Council Promotion

Some of our keen cyclists took part in a promotional campaign for Suffolk County Council this week, encouraging families to use the local cycle lanes for pleasure and commuting.



## Times Table Rock Stars results

Congratulations to Year 5 who were our winners in this week's TTRS competition. Remember, just ten minutes practising their tables each day can make a real difference to a child's arithmetic.

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| 1 | Year 5 | 278 |
| 2 | Year 4 | 25  |
| 3 | Year 6 | 20  |



# BURY WILDLIFE DAY 2025



**Saturday 17th May**

**9.30am - 4pm**

**Abbey Gardens**



Explore the amazing wildlife of our town's water meadows at our annual festival in the Abbey Gardens.

**FREE** guided walks and fascinating talks led by local ecology specialists and enthusiasts.

Plus, creative activities and mini-beast safaris for all the family



For more details go to:  
Bury Water Meadows Group  
Facebook Page



# BAG 2 SCHOOL



Our next Bag2School collection has been arranged for **Tuesday 20th May**



## CLARKE COACHING MAY HALF TERM SPORTS & FOOTBALL CAMPS

Fun sports camps in the Bury St Edmunds Area!

For Years Reception – Year 7  
(Children split into age range groups)

Camps  
9am–3pm

To book a place please...

Sports Camp @  
Sebert Wood  
Primary School –  
Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> May

Football Camp @  
Westgate Primary  
School – Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup>  
May



Contact Reece Clarke  
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\*ALL STAFF ON THE SPORTS CAMPS ARE  
DBS CHECKED WITH SAFEGUARDING AND  
FIRST AID CERTIFICATES\*

SIBLING PRICES AVAILABLE!!





## Key Dates for Summer Term 2025

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| Mon 12 <sup>th</sup> May- Thurs 15 <sup>th</sup> May   | Y6 SATs  |
| Thurs 15 <sup>th</sup> May                             | Census day   |
| Sat 17 <sup>th</sup> May                               | FOSWS 'Race Night' event   |
| Wed 21 <sup>st</sup> May                               | Y3 Daws Hall trip  |
| Thurs 22 <sup>nd</sup> May                             | Y4 Sutton Hoo trip   |
| Fri 23 <sup>rd</sup> May                               | Fit Friday   |
| Mon 26 <sup>th</sup> - Fri 30 <sup>th</sup> May        | Half-term  |
| Mon 2 <sup>nd</sup> June                               | Pupils return to school  |
| Mon 9 <sup>th</sup> - Fri 13 <sup>th</sup> June        | KS1 Phonics screening  |
| Tues 17 <sup>th</sup> June                             | Y2 Castle Hedingham trip   |
| Wed 18 <sup>th</sup> June                              | New Reception parent tours 9.45 and 2.00pm   |
| Sun 22 <sup>nd</sup> June                              | Sebert Singers concert @ Theatre Royal 2-4pm   |
| Mon 23 <sup>rd</sup> June- Thurs 26 <sup>th</sup> June | Y5 Bikeability training  |
| Mon 30 <sup>th</sup> – Fri 4 <sup>th</sup> July        | Y6 residential trip  |
| Wed 2 <sup>nd</sup> July                               | KS1 Sports Day (AM) Reception (PM)   |
| Thurs 3 <sup>rd</sup> July                             | LKS2 Sports Day (AM)   |
| Fri 4 <sup>th</sup> July                               | EYFS- Y5 reports out to parents  |
| Mon 7 <sup>th</sup> July                               | UKS2 Sports Day (AM) Y6 Crucial Crew (PM)  |
| Tues 8 <sup>th</sup> July                              | KS2 SATs results and Y6 Reports out  |
|  | Wimbledon trip   |
| Thurs 10 <sup>th</sup> July                            | Parent consultations   |
| Fri 11 <sup>th</sup> July                              | FoSWS Summer Fayre   |
| Mon 14 <sup>th</sup> July                              | Parent consultations   |
| Mon 14 <sup>th</sup> -18 <sup>th</sup> July            | Sebert Wood Move up days- 15 <sup>th</sup> and 16 <sup>th</sup> July/ Reception activity sessions<br>Sybil/Kegs/County/Thurston 14-16 <sup>th</sup> July<br>St Benedicts 16- 18 <sup>th</sup> July |
| Thurs 17 <sup>th</sup> July                            | Leavers Assembly   |
| Fri 18 <sup>th</sup> July                              | Last day of term for pupils  |
| Mon 21 <sup>st</sup> - Tues 22 <sup>nd</sup> July      | PD days  |