

Newsletter



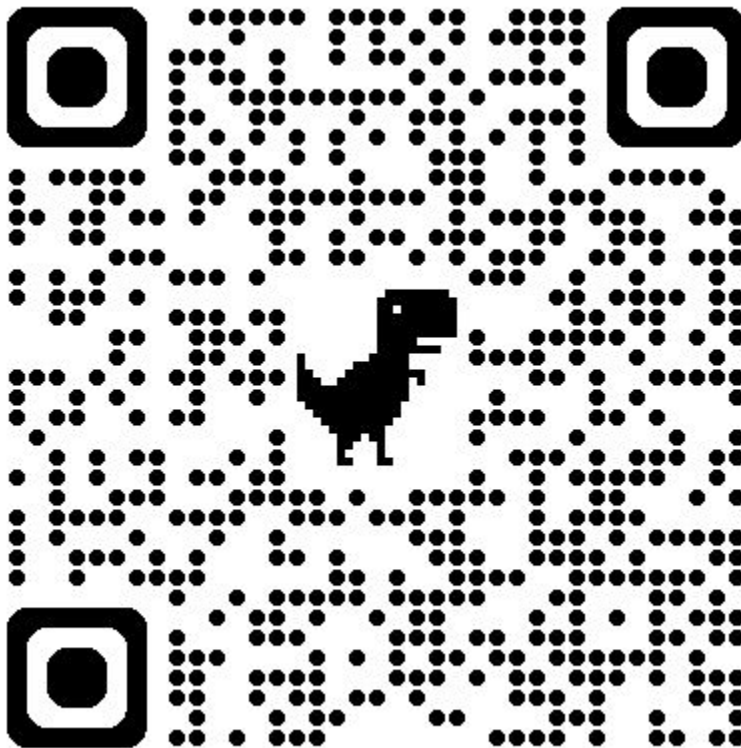
Friday 20th March 2026

Parent/Carer survey.

Please complete the Parent/Carer survey by Friday 27th March.

If you have any technical issues or would like a paper copy please contact the office.

As always, the survey is anonymous.



Diarrhoea and vomiting

We are aware of an awful stomach bug that has been spreading through our school. It is essential that parents to do their part to stop the spread. Please read the NHS advice:

NHS advice for a child with a sickness bug (vomiting/diarrhoea) is to manage it at home by encouraging fluids (little and often), ensuring plenty of rest, and maintaining hygiene to prevent spread. Keep children off school/nursery for 48 hours after symptoms stop. Seek medical help if signs of dehydration appear or symptoms last more than 3 days

Key Advice for Parents:

- Prevent Dehydration: Encourage frequent small sips of water, milk, or diluted squash. For babies, continue normal feeds.
- Oral Rehydration Solutions (ORS): [Pharmacists](#) can recommend ORS sachets to replace lost salts.
- Food: Don't force food, but offer plain, 111, non-fatty options (bread, rice, pasta) if they are hungry.
- Hygiene: Wash hands frequently with soap and water. Disinfect toilet handles, taps, and surfaces daily.
- School/Nursery: Keep children home for 48 hours after the last episode of vomiting or diarrhoea.

Message from David Munday, Buckinghamshire Director of Public Health

Many people will have been concerned to see the recent news of an outbreak of meningococcal disease in Kent affecting university and A-level students. Meningococcal disease can cause bacterial meningitis (inflammation of the membrane surrounding the brain and spinal cord) and bacterial sepsis (severe infection which spreads throughout the body and can cause organ failure). Many people carry this bacteria harmlessly in the back of the throat but occasionally it can cause disease and in this case the infections appear to have been caused by the Meningococcal Group B bacteria (MenB). As of March 18th, the UK Health Security Agency (UKHSA) is investigating 20 cases Meningitis in Canterbury since March 13th, including two deaths.

This tragic situation is also very unusual. Outbreaks and deaths caused by meningococcal bacteria were significantly reduced by the 2015 introduction of the MenACWY vaccine in school Years 9 and 10, and the MenB vaccine as part of the infant immunisation schedule. If anyone has missed a vaccination that they were eligible for at the time it was offered, then they should contact their GP for catch-up vaccination (the MenACWY vaccine can be given up to the age of 25). The MenB vaccine is currently only routinely given to children under 2 years of age. Information on routine NHS vaccination timings are available here [NHS vaccinations and when to have them - NHS](#)

Meningococcal disease does not spread easily, and outbreaks of this size are thankfully rare. There is no reason to think that young people in Buckinghamshire are at increased risk of meningococcal disease as a result of this current situation. I encourage all our staff and residents to take up the offer of any routine vaccinations for which they are eligible.

Although rare, it is useful to be aware of the signs and symptoms of invasive meningococcal disease, as early treatment is crucial to maximise the chances of making a full recovery.

Symptoms include:

- High fever
- Stiff neck and headache
- Vomiting
- Confusion and extreme sleepiness
- Seizures
- A rash that does not fade when pressed with a glass

Further information can be found here: [Meningitis - NHS](#)

WENDOVER YOUTH CENTRE

ACTIVITIES

CIN Hangout Cafe
Thursday 6.30 - 8.00






The Hangout is our relaxed SEND youth session. Spaces are limited.

Email Shanie@wendoveryouth.co.uk

Friday Night Youth Club
Friday 6:15-8.15 - Year 4-8

Email Samantha@wendoveryouth.co.uk

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**CHILDREN
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We've raised £129.00 today for Comic Relief! Thank you to everyone who donated. The children had a great time running around the field dressed in their red clothes.



Competition

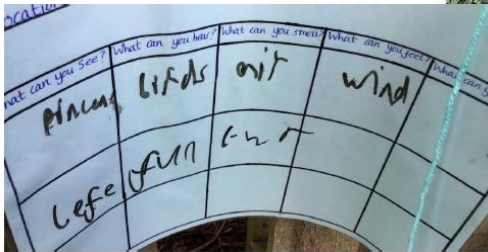


I am sure that you have all seen the new fence. Hannah, the house owner, is an artist and has offered to paint the fence for us. We thought it would be lovely to have a Roald Dahl mural painted.

Children are tasked with designing part of the mural. Please draw designs on a A4 piece of paper. If you need paper, please ask your teacher. Entries to be handed to the school office, with names on the back, by Friday 20th March.

Winners will be announced in Headteacher's assembly on Friday 27th March 2026.

This week we celebrated Science Week, giving pupils the opportunity to explore science through a range of exciting activities and investigations. It was wonderful to see so much curiosity, teamwork and enthusiasm as pupils developed their scientific thinking and problem-solving skills:



Can you match the states of matter?

The BIG FARMING QUESTION!

Solid

Liquid

Gas

HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL JR.

OPEN AUDITIONS

AYLESBURY THEATRE TRAIN

Saturday 28th March

Kingsbrook Secondary School

★ 10am – 1pm ★

**Everyone
Gets a
Part!**

Ages 4–18 Years

No experience needed –
just enthusiasm, confidence
and a love of performing!

SHOW DATE

11th July

BOOK NOW!

✉ aylesbury@theatretrain.co.uk

Wellbeing Wednesday Playground Activities

Balloon tennis, Board games and owl babies (wool woven around a pine cone for nesting birds);. We've hung these in the well-being garden so hopefully the birds will use them





Star of the week!



6. Freya, 5. Esme, 4.Sarea, 2. Chester
1 Benji, R. Rosie

Courage wristband



5 George 4.Lola, 3. Harriet, 2. Felicity 1.Indianna,
R.Lyla



5 or more home reading sessions.



Five sessions or more - TTRS

