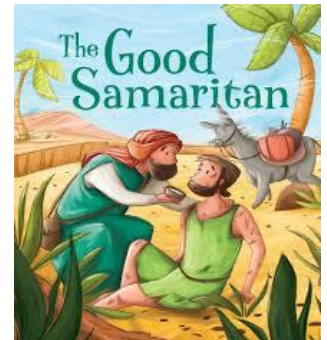




**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2024**

Dear TSM Families,

It has been wonderful to feel the sunshine of spring as we explore our school value of Care together! In worship this week, pupils reflected on the parable of 'The Good Samaritan' and discussed how this story links to our own community at TSM.



### **Yew Class Hawk Conservancy Trust Trip**

*"On Wednesday, Yew Class were very lucky to go to the Hawk Conservancy Trust. To begin with, we had a bird workshop on bird adaptations (linking with our Science work in school.) Did you know that Owl's feathers are soft in order for them to be silent when flying to catch their prey? We really enjoyed watching the numerous birds and their fascinating displays. We were fortunate to have our own private viewing of Sage the Tawny Owl, who was very cute. Some of the pupils' favourite birds included the Secretary Bird (who put on a comical but deadly display attacking a fake python), a Snowy owl called Sweeny Todd, a Crested Caracara, an incredibly fast Lanner Falcon and the graceful White Storks". By Dexter and Rafferty.*



### **Easter Holiday Club – 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup> April**

Mr Hawkes and Mrs Newell are getting ready to run the 3 day holiday club! The club runs from 8.30am to 4.30pm and is £40 per child per day. 10% discount for siblings. Please book your space now!



### **Outstanding balances on your accounts:**

We are coming to our year end. Please can you we ask that you all check your Scopay accounts for any outstanding balances and clear these balances as soon as possible. Thank you!

### **Best Wishes**

Sophie Davies  
Headteacher



## Star of the Week

Class	Name	Reason
Ash	Ada	For a well presented sentence writing with a capital letter, finger spaces and full stop!
Beech	Louis	For a superb attitude in maths this week. He has completed all his work independently and has made the adults in school very proud.
Sycamore	Henry	For his incredible determination and resilience in his learning this week especially Maths.
Willow	Imogen	For giving a presentation to Willow with great confidence and clarity.
Yew	Eli	For having a positive attitude and persevering with his focus in lessons. The adults have loved your enthusiasm this week!



## Roll of Honour

Class	Name	Reason
Ash	Imogen	For being incy independent when designing a car on purple mash.
	Aria	For great tricky word recognition and focus in reading this week.
Beech	Thomas	For a fantastic piece of writing this week, showing all the adults how well he can present his learning.
	Alice G	For being inquisitive in Science, asking scientific questions and working well with a partner to carry out a fair test.
Sycamore	Elodie	For increased confidence and independence in her Maths learning this week. Well done Elodie!
	Imogen	For her super focus and engagement in all learning particularly Reading when creating her own retrieval quiz!
Willow	Ivy	For working with great effort to improve the effectiveness of her writing through thoughtful word choice.
	Esme	For being very conscientious in her work – a great role model!
Yew	Dexter	For showing joy and enthusiasm on our school trip and sharing his wonderful bird knowledge.
	Euan	For representing the school wonderfully on our school trip and listening attentively to all the information that was presented.

<b>Dates for your diary: Spring Term</b>	
<b>19<sup>th</sup> March</b>	Willow Class Trip to Winchester Cathedral – Email sent on 9 <sup>th</sup> February with full details.
<b>27<sup>th</sup> March</b>	Easter service, 9:30 St Mary's Church - all welcome
<b>27<sup>th</sup> March</b>	Sycamore Roman Gallery, 3pm – Email sent to Sycamore parents 13 <sup>th</sup> March
<b>28<sup>th</sup> March</b>	PTA Event – Preloved Uniform Sale, 3.30pm on top playground (donations to the office before this date please!)
<b>28<sup>th</sup> March – 14<sup>th</sup> April</b>	PTA Event - Twyford Teddy Bear Trail – Email sent 26 <sup>th</sup> February
<b>28<sup>th</sup> March</b>	Last day of Spring Term
<b>Dates for your diary: Summer Term</b>	
<b>15<sup>th</sup> April</b>	<b>Inset day 4</b> – school closed to pupils
<b>16<sup>th</sup> April</b>	First day of Summer term
<b>26<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Reports sent home
<b>6<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Bank Holiday – School Closed
<b>13<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> May</b>	KS2 SATS Week
<b>20<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Willow Class Trip to Tudor House Museum (Details to follow)
<b>23<sup>rd</sup> May</b>	Year 5 Music & Drama day at Twyford School (Details to follow)
<b>27<sup>th</sup>– 31<sup>st</sup> May</b>	Half Term
<b>4<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Class Photo's
<b>19<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Willow Class Trip to Winchester Science Centre
<b>20<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Year 6 Leavers Service at Winchester Cathedral (Year 6 pupils only)
<b>28<sup>th</sup> June</b>	Sports Day (Morning)
<b>1<sup>st</sup> July</b>	<b>Inset day 5</b> – school closed to pupils
<b>5<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Sports Day (Reserve Day)
<b>9<sup>th</sup> July</b>	KS2 Performance at the Church, 1.30pm (Details to follow)
<b>10<sup>th</sup> July</b>	KS1 Trip to Gosport and Fareham Inshore Rescue Service (Details to Follow)
<b>10<sup>th</sup> July</b>	KS2 Performance at the Church, 9.30am (Details to follow)
<b>12<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Transition Morning
<b>12<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Summer Fayre (Details to follow)
<b>12<sup>th</sup> July</b>	End of Year Reports sent home
<b>16<sup>th</sup> July</b>	TSM Music Concert, 2pm (Details to follow)
<b>17<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Open Book Look, 3.30pm (Details to follow)
<b>18<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Volunteer 'Thank you' Afternoon Tea, 2.45pm (Details to follow)
<b>19<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Year 6 Leavers Party, after school (Details to follow)
<b>22<sup>nd</sup> July</b>	Year 6 Leavers Service at School, 2pm (Details to follow)
<b>23<sup>rd</sup> July</b>	Last Day of Term