

Cherry Class Newsletter

Cherry News – 9th October 2026

Round up of the last week:

We have had a busy week in Cherry Class this week. It has been amazing to celebrate Kindness Week together. We did this by thinking about what kindness means, what it feels like when someone is kind to us and when we are kind to someone else. Each day we celebrated kindness after playtimes and lunchtimes. On Friday, we all wore hearts to remind us of kindness. We looked at our kind behaviour pledges and thought about how we could use these. Each child did a lovely piece of writing about this which is going to make up a kindness display in our classroom. In Maths, we have been focusing on one more than, one less than, two more than and two less than. We will continue this learning this week. We have enjoyed using function machines in our continuous provision and in our teacher table time. In writing, we started Curious Quests! We had our context week this week where we met Professor Klunk and Noodle and Titch. It has been great to see the amazing inventions that the children have created surrounding these characters and I can't wait to dive into our first quest on Monday. In History, we were looking at John Nash, a famous architect who designed Buckingham Palace and Marble Arch. We had a great day designing and creating in his style. Due to the rain, we didn't go to the meadow but instead spent time being in the classroom. The children chose the area of learning that they would like to revisit from this week and this was amazing to see!

Awards

Our Teacher's Award winners this week were **Michael** and **Manny** for wonderful kindness, enthusiasm, effort and determination in all they do. Our Star of the Week was **Annie** for her resilience throughout the week.

Lunches

Please book your lunches on Arbor. We do check them in the morning but it is really helpful if these are booked beforehand.

Outdoor Area

We are continuing to develop our outdoor area and would be grateful for any donations of things that you no longer want/need at home. These could be mud kitchen items, plants, seeds, toys, gardening equipment, anything at all. We have a big shed so can store things in there.

Parents' Evening

It is our first parents' evening session on Thursday this week. I will put the children's English and Maths books outside the classroom, please have a look through these and bring them into your appointment. I will then collect them in so they are ready for the children's learning on Friday. This will be the same on Tuesday the week after.

Wednesday afternoon

I will be at a network meeting on Wednesday afternoon. I will send out a separate message with who is covering Cherry Class closer to the time.

Days to remember:

Monday	Olivia – PPA (Natalie teaching PM)
Tuesday	Book Change Library slot
Wednesday	PE – come in PE kit please Olivia out in the afternoon
Thursday	
Friday	PE – come in PE kit please Mike's Meadow – please bring wellies, a coat and waterproof trousers

My door is always open so please do come and chat if you have any questions or concerns.

Olivia

To practice at home:

If you would like to support your child with reading and writing these words, please do. They are the spellings and sentences that we will be focusing on at the end of our Phonics sessions this week. These will be the same next week as it will be Phonics assessment week next week.

 Practise and apply		
	Read/write the sentence	Spelling
	I can see the farmyard from my bedroom.	magnet popcorn + all
n	The kitten is playing with the rabbit.	cartoon rabbit + of
	I enjoy eating a heap of peas!	spray toy + one
	The forest has a track that leads to a train.	proud say + here
	Write: Pop the puppet in my pocket.	n/a