PRESTON BULLETIN

'Living Life to the Full'

Friday 1st May 2026

Dear Parents/Carers,

Firstly, I would like to thank all the children, staff and parents/ carers for all their amazing support over the past week! I completed the London Marathon in 4 hours 34 minutes. It really was a joyful day and the support from the crowds was overwhelming. Thank you to everyone who has sponsored me. There is still money coming in but we have raised in excess of £5,000 for Teenage Cancer Trust.

Also this week, the Key Stage 2 were treated to a performance of Ada and the Code Crusader from the English Touring Opera. This was a spectacular performance and we are so grateful to FOSS and FOPPS for supporting this event. Kingfisher Class have been very busy with a visit to Tyrrel's Wood on Tuesday followed by a mini tennis tournament on Thursday. Year 2 have been to Old Hall Farm for a farm visit, and next week, it will be the turn of Reception and Year 1.and

I just want to remind you that this weekend is Bank Holiday. We hope that you enjoy the long weekend and we look forward to seeing you all back in school on Tuesday.

Yours sincerely,
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TOGETHER
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WE CELEBRATE

Tas Valley Church Schools Federation

Living Life to the Full

Robins:	**Dalton** for naming 3D shapes confidently.
Goldfinches:	**Jasper** for enthusiastically engaging in maths work relating to mass.
Skylarks:	**Eliana** for great motivation in her writing tests.
Swifts:	**Sophia** for producing an exciting setting description with a twist!

VALUES

Demonstrating courage

Robins:	**Max**
Goldfinches:	**Charlie**
Skylarks:	**Harry**
Swifts:	**Fynn**

diary

Thursday 7th May	Reception & Y1 to Old Hall Farm
Monday 11th May	Y6 SATs Week
Tuesday 12th May	Goldfinch Class to High Ash Farm
Friday 15th May	FOPPS Disco
Monday 18th May	Y3 & Y4 to Gressenhall
Friday 22nd May	Break up for Half Term

TIMES TABLES ROCK STARS

CERTIFCATE WINNERS

Amira

Treasurer Needed!

FRIENDS OF PRESTON PRIMARY

We are on the lookout for a Treasurer to help keep things ticking along behind the scenes, If you like the idea of supporting the school, but don't have loads of time to spare, this could be just the thing!

Just 15 minutes a month!

What's involved?

- Updating a simple spreadsheet
- A quick monthly summary for FoPPS meeting that can be written or personally delivered
- Helping with payments online
- Yearly report for the AGM

No experience needed!

- Full support & handover provided
- Training included
- Simple Systems already set up

Without a treasurer, FoPPS won't be able to continue running events that raise vital funds for our school and children.

If you have any questions or are interested at all - please speak to Mrs Farley or Mrs Allison alternatively email tasburghfriends@tasvalley.org.uk

ADA AND THE CODE CRUSADER

All Key Stage 2 Classes were treated to a musical extravaganza on Friday afternoon courtesy of the English Touring Opera. We had all practised songs for the performance of Ada and the Code Crusader so that there could be audience participation. Staff and pupils have all reported that the performance was engaging and thoroughly enjoyable, and we are so grateful to FOPPS and FOSS for supporting this event.

FARM VISIT FOR YEAR 2

Following on From British Science Week, Robin Class and Sparrow Class visited Old Hall Farm. As well as meeting lots of different animals, and learning about how to care for them, they also learnt some of the Science involved with farming. Many thanks to Ms Ladbrooke for organising this.

POLITE REQUEST

A small number of children have been observed to try and climb the cherry tree and also on the bike shed near the pedestrian entrance after they have been collected by parents/carers. Please can we request that children are appropriately supervised after school and discouraged from unsafe behaviour.

It's National Bird Day !

Freedom Café

Join The Flock!

Sunday 3rd May

Tasburgh Village Hall

10:30 to 12:00noon

Come and have brunch with us, relax with a newspaper, chat and explore a little of the Christian Faith.

For brunch we serve bacon butties (vegan option) pastries & fruit all served with great coffee & juice.

Brought to you by a big hearted team for Tasburgh Church

ART CLUB NEWSLETTER No5

Over the weeks, we have been collecting flower petals and we have been drying them out to make resin casts. We made heart-shaped moulds for this from plasticine and covered them in tin foil to make them leak-proof.

Next week, we will be finishing our fish weaving and hoping to bring our resin sun-catchers home!

Dates for the rest of the first block: Wednesdays

6th May,

13th May

20th May

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	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Hot Option 1	Margherita Pizza with Potato Wedges (v)	Chicken in Tomato Sauce with Steamed Rice	Roast Chicken with Stuffing, Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Pork Bolognese with Pasta Twists	Chicken Fillet Bites and Chips
Hot Option 2	Chinese-Style Plant Balls with Steamed Rice (Ve)	Cheesy Pasta (v)	Cheese and Potato Pie with Gravy (v)	BBQ Loaded Bean Bake (v)	Garden Vegetable Goujons and Chips (v)
Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato with Cheese, Beans or Tuna	Jacket Potato with Cheese, Beans or Tuna	Jacket Potato with Cheese, Beans or Tuna	Jacket Potato with Cheese, Beans or Tuna	Jacket Potato with Cheese, Beans or Tuna
Served with	Mixed Salad	Peas and Sweetcorn	Carrots and Green Beans	Mixed Vegetables	Peas or Baked Beans
And for Pudding	Summer Berry Cupcake	Vanilla Ice Cream	Beetroot Brownie with Orange Wedges	Fruit Jelly	Lemon Shortbread with a Melon Wedge
Packed Lunch	Ham, Tuna or Cheese Sandwich, Salad Sticks, Orange Wedges, Summer Berry Cupcake	Ham, Tuna or Cheese Sandwich, Pizza Finger, Sultanas, Vanilla Ice Cream	Cheese and Tomato Pasta, Salad Sticks, Orange Wedges, Beetroot Brownie	Cheese and Tomato Pasta, Salad Sticks, Sultanas, Fruit Jelly	Ham, Tuna or Cheese Sandwich, Salad Sticks, Melon Wedge, Lemon Shortbread

Week One: 13 Apr | 4 May | 1 Jun | 22 Jun | 13 Jul | 14 Sep | 5 Oct — Fresh Fruit Available Daily

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	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Hot Option 1	Margherita Pizza with Tomato Pasta (v)	Chicken Curry with Steamed Rice	Chipolata Sausages with Yorkshire Pudding, Mashed Potato and Gravy	BBQ Shredded Chicken in a Wrap with Potato Wedges	Fish Fingers or Salmon Fingers and Chips
Hot Option 2	Vegetable Curry with Steamed Rice (Ve)	Cheese and Tomato Pasta Bake (v)	Plant Sausages with Yorkshire Pudding, Mashed Potato and Gravy (v)	Vegetarian Enchilada with Potato Wedges (v)	Cheese and Potato Pastry Pinwheel and Chips (v)
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Served with	Sweetcorn	Mixed Vegetables	Carrots and Peas	Mixed Salad	Peas or Baked Beans
And for Pudding	Fresh Fruit Platter	Marble Shortbread	Summer Berry and Apple Slice with Greek Yogurt	Orange Cupcake	Apple Flapjack
Packed Lunch	Ham, Tuna or Cheese Sandwich, Salad Sticks, Sultanas, Fruit Portion	Ham, Tuna or Cheese Sandwich, Pizza Finger, Orange Wedges, Marble Shortbread	Cheese and Tomato Pasta, Salad Sticks, Fruit Portion, Summer Berry and Apple Slice	Cheese and Tomato Pasta, Salad Sticks, Fruit Portion, Orange Cupcake	Ham, Tuna or Cheese Sandwich, Salad Sticks, Sultanas, Apple Flapjack

Week Two: 20 Apr | 11 May | 8 Jun | 29 Jun | 31 Aug | 21 Sep | 12 Oct — Fresh Fruit Available Daily

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	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Hot Option 1	Cheese and Tomato Pasta Bake (v)	Hot Dog with Potato Wedges and Tomato Dip	Roast Chicken with Stuffing, Mashed Potato and Gravy	"Build your Own" Chicken Taco with Steamed Rice	Fish Fingers and Chips
Hot Option 2	Tex Mex Chilli with Steamed Rice (Ve)	Plant Sausage Hot Dog with Potato Wedges and Tomato Dip (v)	Vegetable Pastry Plait with Mashed Potato and Gravy (v)	"Build your Own" Vegetarian Taco with Steamed Rice (v)	Cheese and Tomato Frittata and Chips (v)
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Served with	Peas and Sweetcorn	Mixed Salad	Broccoli and Carrots	Sweetcorn	Peas or Baked Beans
And for Pudding	Banana Muffin	Shortbread	Apple Crumble and Greek Yogurt	Oaty Cookie	Chewy Krispie Bar with Orange Wedges
Packed Lunch	Ham, Tuna or Cheese Sandwich, Salad Sticks, Sultanas, Banana Muffin	Ham, Tuna or Cheese Sandwich, Salad Sticks, Sultanas, Shortbread	Cheese and Tomato Pasta, Salad Sticks, Melon Wedge, Flapjack	Cheese and Tomato Pasta, Salad Sticks, Sultanas, Oaty Cookie	Ham, Tuna or Cheese Sandwich, Salad Sticks, Orange Wedges, Chewy Krispie Bar

Week Three: 27 Apr | 18 May | 15 Jun | 6 Jul | 7 Sep | 28 Sep | 19 Oct — Fresh Fruit Available Daily

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