

Autumn Term

Friday, 11th September 2026

Newsletter no. 2

Our value this half term is friendship



Witley C of E Infant School

Learn, love and flourish together

“Encourage and help each other” - 1 Thessalonians 5.11

Dear Everyone

Fun in Dolphins!

It's great to see our new reception children making themselves at home. This year we brought forward the full time start date for all of our children and it seems to have gone down very well!



Dolphin Class meeting Wednesday, 16th September 2026

EYFS curriculum evening for parents in Dolphin Class is on from 7.30 – 8.30 pm. Please come along to the Dolphins Classroom.

Don't worry if you can't make any of the meetings as our class teachers will share relevant information on Google Classroom over the coming weeks.

Keeping everyone safe! Gates, bikes and scooters!



We do not allow scooters or bikes to be ridden before or after school as the playground is a very busy place and we have had a number of near misses in the past. If you are riding to school then please dismount at the gate and walk to park your bike or scooter. Please do not allow your children to remove the trikes from our store before or after school.

Out of hours electronic gate – please do not use the green gate near the office during school hours. This is for the use of visitors out of hours only. There is not a barrier at the road side and there are some very small children in this area at drop off and pick up. Please do not be tempted to let anyone in, allow the office staff to monitor the gate. Thank you for your cooperation.

Macmillan coffee morning on Friday, 25th September at 9.10 am



All families and pre-school children are invited. Please enter the Jubilee Hall via the staff car park where our children will serve coffee, tea and lots of cake!



Please bring cash – sorry, no card payments (the children will be sorting and counting the coins).

Can you donate a cake, biscuits or teabags for our Macmillan Coffee morning? Please bring your donations into school on Thursday, 24th. Thank you.

Parent Meetings with Class Teachers in October

We have scheduled the first of our pupil progress meetings in October to give you an opportunity to talk through your child's strengths and areas for development with their class teacher. Details about how to book will be emailed in a couple of weeks. Appointments run from the end of the school day to approx. 6.30 – 7 pm.

Tuesday, 13th October – all year groups

Wednesday, 14th October - Year R and Year 2 only

Autumn Term Tours

Is your child due to start school in September 2027? We have a number of tours planned and we'd love to show you around our school. Please call the office to book a tour date.

Thurs, 8th Oct 9.10-9.50am & 10-10.40am

Fri, 9th Oct 9.10-9.50am & 10-10.40am

Mon, 12th Oct 1:45-2:25pm

Tues, 13th Oct 9.10-9.50am & 10-10.40am

Fri, 6th Nov 9.10-9.50am & 10-10.40am

Mon, 9th Nov 1:45-2:25pm

Wishing you all a fabulous weekend,

Mrs Szczepanski and all the staff

Raising money for **The Friends of Witley School** couldn't be easier. Head to <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/support-a-good-cause/> or scan the QR code.



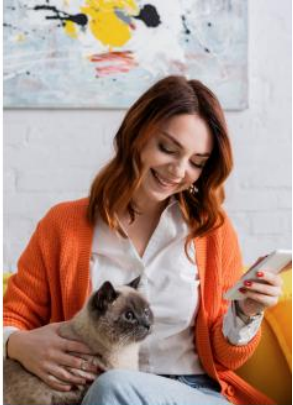
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Support your child's future

Sign up to online cashback site, easyfundraising, and select your child's school as your chosen good cause.

Then, when you shop online with over 8,000 retailers, the retailer will give the school a free donation as a thank you for shopping with them.

It's as simple as that. No matter what you buy, from food shops to holidays and everything in between - it's a free and easy way to support your school.





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How to get started

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Registration is free and will take you less than two minutes to sign up!



17,000 schools and PTAs have raised over £12.5 million using easyfundraising.

Sign up and support your child's future today.



DAY	DATE	ACADEMIC YEAR 2026 - 27
AUTUMN TERM 2026		
Tues	15.09.26	Individual photos – all children
Weds	16.09.26	EYFS curriculum evening for parents in Dolphin Class 7.30 – 8.30 pm
Fri	25.09.26	Year 2 Macmillan Coffee Morning – all parents 9.10 - 10.10 am
SAT	26.09.26	Messy Church at All Saints 3.30 – 5.30 pm
Weds	07.10.26	Harvest Festival at All Saints Church – families welcome at 2.30pm
Tues	13.10.26	Year 2 trip to Marwell Zoo – details to follow
Tues	13.10.26	All year groups Parent/Pupil Progress meetings after school – details will be sent out separately
Weds	14.10.26	Year R and Year 2 Parent/Pupil Progress meetings after school – details will be sent out separately
Weds	14.10.26	FWS Annual General Meeting
Fri	16.10.26	Last day of term
Fri	16.10.26	FWS School Disco
HALF TERM – Mon, 19 Oct to Fri 30 Oct 2026 – TWO WEEKS		
Mon	02.11	INSET Day no 2 SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS
Weds	04.11	FLU vaccinations – details to follow
SAT	05.12	Messy Church at All Saints 3.30 – 5.30 pm
Thurs	10.12	Christmas Jumper Day in aid of Save the Children
Mon	14.12	Christmas Service at All Saints Church – families welcome at 9.10 am
Fri	18.12	Last day of term – early finish at 1.05 pm
CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS – Mon 21 Dec 2026 – Fri 01 Jan 2027		
SPRING TERM 2027		
Mon	04.01.27	Welcome back all year groups

Fri	12.02	INSET Day no 3 SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS
HALF TERM – Mon, 15 Feb to Fri, 19 Feb 2027		
Thurs	25.03	Last day of term – early finish at 1.05 pm
EASTER HOLIDAYS – Fri 26 March – Fri 09 April 2027		
SUMMER TERM 2027		
Mon	12.04	INSET DAY no 4 SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS
Tues	13.04	Welcome back all year groups
BANK HOLIDAY MONDAY 03 May – SCHOOL CLOSED		
Fri	28.05	INSET Day no 5 SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS
HALF TERM – Mon 31 May to Fri 04 June 2027		
Thurs	15.07	Dolphins Class trip to Tuesley Farm – all day
Fri	23.07	SPORTS MORNING – approx. 9 – 10 am Families welcome
Weds	28.07	Last day of term - early finish at 1.05 pm



Join our September Discovery Days at The Little Gym Godalming! Meet our wonderful teachers, enjoy a free class, and discover why over 1,600 families across Berkshire, Buckinghamshire & Surrey choose The Little Gym for their children's weekly classes in Windsor, Handy Cross & Godalming.



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Aldro School

We are passionate about 'Sport for all' at Aldro and on **Tuesday 22nd September**, from 4.15 – 5.15pm, we are teaming up with **Vipers Netball Club** and are providing a fun **Introduction to Netball Skills Workshop** at Aldro, for children in Year 2.

All levels and abilities are welcome, and no experience of netball is necessary. There is no cost for this event, and places will be on a first-come-first served basis.

Our team of Aldro PE staff and Vipers staff will make sure the children have lots of fun whilst learning the basics of netball, helping them to grow in confidence and come away from the session with some new skills (and friends!).



To secure a place, parents/guardians will need to complete our short RSVP form by Monday 14th September:

<https://forms.cloud.microsoft/e/K5aC4zkGw6>

Key details:

What: Aldro's Introduction to Netball Workshop
For: Children in Year 2
Date: Tuesday 22nd September
Time: 4.15pm – 5.15pm
Where: Aldro school, Lombard Street, Shackleford, Godalming, Surrey, GU8 6AS

Any questions, please contact marketing@aldro.org.

September Children's Events Schedule

Saturday September 5th

10am - 4pm - Music Discovery Day

Saturday September 12th

2.30 - 4pm - Game Design
Drawing Workshop

Saturday September 19th

2.30 - 3.30 pm - Coding session

Tuesday September 8th

3.30 - 5pm - Design a bookmark
drop-in session

Tuesday September 15th

3.30 - 5pm - Ozobots session

Tuesday September 22nd

4pm - 5pm - Science Workshop
(Space themed)

Wednesday September 9th

11 am - Pebble the Penguin Tea
Party & Storytime

Wednesday September 16th

11 am - Green Storytime
3.15 - 4.45 pm - Junk Modelling

Thursday September 24th

4pm - 5pm - Chatterbooks

Friday September 11th

4 - 5pm - Gravitrax marble run
taster session

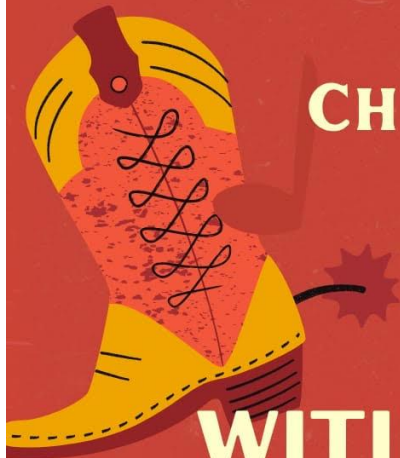
Thursday September 17th

3.30 - 5pm - Ozobots session



Godalming
Library





CHICHESTER HALL FUNDRAISER



WITLEY WILD WEST HOEDOWN

Line dancing class with
DancefitwithTina folowed by
Live Music from
'The Highway Sun'

**SATURDAY
10TH OCTOBER**

CASH BAR

**CLASS 7PM
BAND 8.15PM**

**CHICHESTER
HALL**



**CLASS ONLY £10
BAND ONLY £10
BOTH £20**



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OR CONTACT TINA 07921 251770



Saturday 26th September

12pm – 6pm

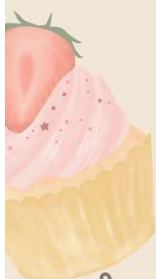
Miles for **MARIE**

CHARITY FUN DAY

Join us to celebrate the finale of an incredible 24-hour challenge, with fun activities for the whole family.

**In loving memory of Marie,
raising support for *Melanoma* UK.**

Come along, get involved, and help make a difference — join us and donate.



Valkyrie HQ

Forsyth's Home Farm, Godalming GU8 6AD

