

WEEKLY ROUND-UP

Autumn Term

Issue 4

Friday, 3rd October 2025

Guten Tag,

We've had the pleasure of welcoming a group of German children and teachers to Green Ridge from our link school Grundschule Stahringen in Germany. They've been joining classes, making new friends, and sharing their culture with us. It's been a wonderful opportunity for our children to learn about life in Germany and practise a few German phrases too! I'd like to thank Miss. South, Miss. Healy and Mrs. Ellison-Godwin for facilitating the visit.

Thank you to our Year Six parents and carers who attended our recent SATs meeting. It was great to see so many of you engaging with how we support your children through this important stage. If you couldn't attend, please see the slides on the school website.

The children have loved our day full of colour! We enjoyed a visit from Eva who presented us with a Thrive Excellence award, demonstrating our commitment to emotional wellbeing.

Finally, we are so thrilled to announce that due to the ongoing hard work of Miss. Gardiner and the whole team, we have been awarded Flagship status for the quality of our inclusive practice.

Wishing you a restful weekend ahead.

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Celebrations & Achievements

	Certificate of Achievement	Certificate of Progress	Superhero Shake	PAP Stars
Beech (Y1)	Delilah	Freddie	Elena	Leo
Elm (Y1)	Heaven	Harin	Noah W	Amelia P
Lime (Y1)	Tommy	Ella	Nehal	Dhruv
Oak (Y2)	Vivian	Phoebe	Ammina	Alexander
Plane (Y2)	Zayyan	Nina	Yasmin	Alice
Spruce (Y2)	Evelina	Filip	Zachary	Lucas
Alder (Y3)	Roman	Ethan R	Sophia	Helena
Cedar (Y3)	Ethan	Georgia	Elise	Charlie
Chestnut (Y3)	Julia	Harley	Dylan	Pranav
Ash (Y4)	Lekshana	Sofia.C	Freddie	Ranen
Rowan (Y4)	Maggie	Laila	Elin	Ameliya
Walnut (Y4)	Olivia	Gabriel	Arhata	Myra
Maple (Y5)	Pranamyia	Sienna	Yashvi	Roseanna
Sycamore (Y5)	Pablo	Francis	Ana	R'Elle
Aspen (Y6)	Jake	Olivia	Max	Aisha
Hawthorn (Y6)	Mya	Lily-Sue	Ezra	Sophie

Attendance Award

Well done to Spruce and Hawthorn class for the highest attendance of 98.3% this week!

House Points

House	Points this week	Total
Austin	444	1622
Disraeli	453	1736
Pratchett	455	1785
Redgrave	410	1677



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News, Updates & Reminders

2026/27 Term Dates

We are pleased to share that the term dates for 2026/27 are now confirmed and can be found on our website [here](#).

Harvest Festival Donations

Further to the letter sent on Thursday, 18th September we would like to take this opportunity to remind parents and carers that this year, we are partnering with Aylesbury Vineyard Storehouse to donate for our Harvest Festival. Below you will see a range of items which we would be very grateful to receive. Please make sure all food packets are still within date or, better still, have a long-remaining 'use by date'. We kindly ask that donations be brought in by end of day Monday, 6th October. Thank you for your continued support with this.

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Soup (Meat and Veg)

Tinned fruit

Pasta sauce

Instant noodles

Custard

Microwave rice

Tuna

Tea bags

Tinned beans

Tinned tomatoes

Tinned meat

Jam

Biscuits



Out of School Achievements

Eva should feel extremely proud of herself for receiving her Level One gymnastics badge and

certificate!

She is clearly mastering some of the core skills and should be very excited to begin trying some of the even trickier ones at Bronze level! Well done, Eva, keep it up!



If there is an upcoming festival that you and your family celebrate, the school would love to hear all about it in one of our assemblies! The children at Green Ridge love exploring different cultures and traditions and what better way than to have a parent/carer come in and share their knowledge and experience? The inclusion of songs, dances or artefacts would make it particularly engaging and interactive; please email admin@greenridgeacademy.co.uk if you would like to volunteer some of your time for an upcoming event or schedule one in for later in the academic year.

PTA

Cinema Club

Today Years 3-6 would have received a letter regarding Cinema Club. For Reception - Year 2 please remember the deadline is **Wednesday, 8th October**. Please order your tickets at www.pta-events.co.uk/greenridgepta.

Fireworks Night 2025

Tickets go on sale today from 7pm. There is a limited amount and sell out fast! Go to www.pta-events.co.uk/greenridgepta to order yours now!

Sponsorship 2025/26

At the start of each new school year, we love to invite parents and carers who own or work at a local business to partner with us and support our fantastic school through a range of sponsorship and advertising opportunities. If this is something you would be interested in supporting our school with, please contact us to discuss options and pricing.

Online Safety Tip of the Week

KS1 – Online Reputation

Discuss with your child how everything you do online people can see. It can be looked at and tracked and it is important to be safe and responsible.

KS2 – Online Reputation

Can your child name things they wouldn't want shared/posted about them online? Why is that? Allow this to lead into a conversation about having an online reputation, stressing the importance of being 'Ready. Respectful. Safe.' online too, and not just in school!

Right of the Week Article 28

Access To Education



Every child has the right to an education. Primary education should be free. Secondary and higher education should be available to every

child. Children should be encouraged to go to school to the highest level possible.

Discipline in schools should respect children's rights and never use violence.

Sustainability Tip of the Week

Eco-Friendly Lunchbox Tips: Reduce Single-Use Plastic Waste!

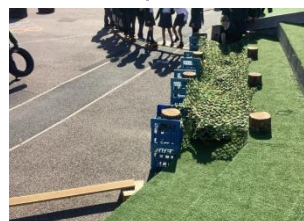
Instead of buying multipacks of individually wrapped snacks or crisps, consider purchasing a larger bag and transferring them into reusable containers. Not only does this reduce the amount of waste and single use plastic, but it could also save you some pennies!



OPAL (Outdoor Play and Learning)

Obstacle Course

Mr. Davis made the obstacle course more fun by adding some nets. The children loved it and waited patiently for their turn to try it out and were excited to have a go at crawling under the nets. Arts and crafts became a welcomed addition to the playground, and we saw the children waiting each day for the art equipment to be put out. Overall, it was a lovely week filled with laughter and play!





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