



Friendship
Determination

Courage
Perseverance

Respect
Empathy

Thoughtfulness
Kindness

Our Value this month is **Friendship**

Diary Dates

23rd—27th September	Bike to school week
30th September	Harvest Festival—All parents are welcome
10th October	World Mental Health Day—Children can wear yellow
11th October	Open Morning for prospective parents
17th October	School Photos
21st—25th October	Half Term

Wonderful Willow class have made a fantastic start to the year. As part of our topic - Castles and Dragons, the children have been learning about the features of a Motte and Bailey castle. During this learning we have welcomed a visitor 'Sir Crysilot' who has been chased from his kingdom and needs a new castle. The children have been busy designing new castles for the Knight and his friends and would like to ask for help gathering the things we need to put our plans to action – can we please have donations of shoe boxes, cardboard tubes, cardboard boxes and cotton reels.



As part of our focus on reading this year we have decided to regularly read together as a whole school. We made the most of a sunny afternoon by reading outside.



Introducing our new school council

This years school council met for the first time last week and voted on the charities the school will support this year. The children and staff are all very keen to have an environmental theme to their work this year as caring for the planet is important to us all. The children have decided they would like to support The Wildlife Trust and Greenpeace. The council will meet again soon to decide on their fundraising activities so watch this space. To begin our recycling campaign we are collecting crisp packets and would welcome any from home too.



Parents: Please note we are collecting the Aldi Team GB stickers – thank you for your support.

Just a reminder to Years 3 and 4 to please bring their own fruit in at break.