

IN-FOCUS

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WELCOME

Welcome to the first edition of InFocus for the year 2026 2027.

I hope everyone enjoyed a lovely summer, especially with the glorious weather. It has been so lovely to welcome our pupils back to school, to their new classes and to hear their summer holiday stories.

A special welcome to our new pupils in Ash Class, who have done a super job starting school and have settled into school life so well – welcome to the Catmose family!

Please check the diary dates at the end of this newsletter as we have so many events planned throughout the school year.

Kelly Jackson
Head of School



WELCOME TO OUR WONDERFUL CLASSES OF 2026/27
All have settled well into their new classes and new routines.



ASH CLASS MRS HEMMING-TAYLER



BEECH CLASS MISS JONES

CEDAR CLASS MRS SCHOLES



OAK CLASS MRS DERRY & MRS WING



REDWOOD CLASS

MRS HALL



SILVER BIRCH CLASS

MR TOLLIDAY /
MRS COYNE &
MRS JACQUES



WILLOW CLASS

MISS WARD



OPEN EVENING

WEDNESDAY 30 SEPTEMBER 2026

FROM 5.00PM UNTIL 7.30PM



HOUSE CAPTAINS 2026 - 2027

Well done to our house captains who were voted for by the whole school after super speeches and a campaign trail. Congratulations to all our candidates who presented super speeches.

Red House: Luisa and Jax
Yellow House: Evan and Lucy
Green House: Edith and Hallie
Blue House: Finley and Hattie



OPEN MORNING

SATURDAY 10 OCTOBER 2026 10AM-1PM



SPORTING EVENTS 2026/27

TERM 1

- Football
- Cross County

TERM 2

- Football
- Gymnastics

TERM 3

- Dodgeball

- Tag Rugby
- Swimming Gala

TERM 4

- Football
- Basketball
- Hockey Festival

TERM 5

- Rounders

- EYFS sports events
- Dance show
- Netball Festival

TERM 6

- KS1 Athletics
- KS2 Athletics
- Cricket



DIARY DATES 2026/27

STARS ASSEMBLY - CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY EVERY FRIDAY AT 3PM.

CLASS ASSEMBLIES - SHOW AND TELL DURING STARS ASSEMBLY:

Please come along to your child's class Show and Tell assembly,
these are at the beginning of a Stars Assembly.

- Beech Class: 22 January • Cedar Class: 5 February • Oak Class: 14 May • Redwood Class: 21 May
- Silver Birch Class: 18 June • Ash Class: 9 July • Willow Class: Thursday 15 July

PTA DISCOS-FOR ALL CHILDREN – FURTHER DETAILS WILL BE SENT NEARER THE TIME:

- New Starters Disco: October • Easter Disco: March • Leavers Disco: July
- Discos run from 4.00pm until 5.00pm. • Dates TBC

HARVEST TEA - FRIDAY 16 OCTOBER 2PM FOR VIP GUESTS

We will sing the harvest songs for parents in a special harvest assembly at 9.15am.

CHRISTMAS FAIR - TBC

SILVER BIRCH & WILLOW CLASS CHRISTMAS CONCERT - TUESDAY 8 DECEMBER 2PM AND 5.30PM

EYFS (ASH CLASS) CHRISTMAS PRODUCTION - WEDNESDAY 9 DECEMBER 2PM

CHRISTMAS LUNCH - TUESDAY 15 DECEMBER - All year groups. Children Only

CHRISTMAS ASSEMBLY - FRIDAY 18 DECEMBER 9.15am

CATMOSE FEDERATION DANCE SHOW - WEDNESDAY 10 FEBRUARY

PARENTS' EVENING

Tuesday 9 March 4 - 6pm / Thursday 11 March 5 - 7pm

BEECH & CEDAR CLASS EASTER PRODUCTION - TUESDAY 23 MARCH 2PM & 5.30PM

REDWOOD & SILVER BIRCH RESIDENTIAL - WEDNESDAY 5 - FRIDAY 7 MAY

MAY DANCE EVENT - FRIDAY 28 MAY 10.30AM

Each class performs a dance with every child taking part. A May Queen and May King preside over the ceremony. Gates will open to parents at 10.15am.

SPORTS DAY - WEDNESDAY 16 JUNE

KS2 MORNING SESSION 9.30AM / KS1 AFTERNOON SESSION 1.45PM

Reserve date - 24 June

SUMMER FAIR - TBC

OAK & REDWOOD CLASS SUMMER PRODUCTION - TUESDAY 7 JULY 2PM & 5.30PM

SUMMER YEAR 6 LEAVERS' MEAL - THURSDAY 15 JULY - All year groups. Children only

LEAVERS' ASSEMBLY - THURSDAY 15 JULY 2.30PM

PRIZE GIVING - FRIDAY 16 JULY 9.15AM - Open for all to attend

