



# Celebration Newsletter

Friday 30th January 2026



## Wonderful Work Awards:

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| <b>Birch</b>    | Alexander<br>Dviti   |
| <b>Cedar</b>    | Isaac<br>Lily        |
| <b>Willow</b>   | Oakley<br>Nico       |
| <b>Hazel</b>    | Jacob<br>Oscar       |
| <b>Beech</b>    | Isla<br>Ella         |
| <b>Hawthorn</b> | Jacob<br>Alfie       |
| <b>Maple</b>    | Violet<br>Carter     |
| <b>Ash</b>      | Ava<br>Oliver        |
| <b>Rowan</b>    | Karter<br>Charlie    |
| <b>Sycamore</b> | Whole of<br>Sycamore |
| <b>Alder</b>    | Kathan<br>Lily       |



Well done to  
**WILLOW**  
for achieving the highest  
attendance this week!

Year 4 parents joined us at school on Wednesday to share in the learning with their children. They completed a times tables test, practised writing their name in hieroglyphics and played lots of number games and activities with their children. Thank you for joining us!



Our year 5 and 6 athletics team took part in the **ATHLETICS** Rochdale school games competition on Tuesday. They participated in running, jumping and throwing events. They were fabulous! The girls team placed 2nd but as a school we placed 5th overall out of 15 schools—fantastic! We are very proud of them all.



This week, Alder class visited the library to take part in a workshop with Sammy Weaver, Rochdale's first poet Laureate. They played vocabulary games, shared ideas for poems and even made up the weirdest story you have ever heard- you don't even want to know what happened to the poor Labubus! They had an amazing time working with Sammy and she really inspired them to write their own poems based on nature. Sammy has collected quite a few poems that could potentially form part of a children's collection so fingers crossed!! A great morning!

## Poetry workshop



Our dodgeball team made it to the Rochdale school finals and played some very tough games. They won some and lost some but placed an incredible 4th overall out of 14 schools. Well done, what a team!



Next Friday is NSPCC number day. Children are encouraged to come to school wearing items of clothing with numbers on and bring £1 to donate to the NSPCC charity. There will be a prize per class for the most inventive way of using numbers.



We are holding a SEN coffee morning next Thursday in our school studio from 9:30am. There will be professionals there from the neurodiversity hub, Homestart and SENDIASS. If your child has additional needs and you would like some advice or if you just want to come along for a chat then please join us for coffee and biscuits.

