

June 2026

NEWSLETTER

Well done to year 11

As Year 11 students complete their examinations and prepare for the next stage of their journey - we would like to recognise the incredible strength, resilience and determination they have shown throughout their time at OTW. We are exceptionally proud of the way they have approached their exams and the personal progress they have made, often overcoming significant challenges along the way.

Whilst we wish our Year 11 students every success for the future - the school community continues to be as busy as ever, June has been filled with learning, achievements, enrichment activities, and opportunities for students to develop new skills and experiences. We are delighted to share some of the highlights from across the school and celebrate the many successes of our students and staff.

We hope you enjoy reading about all that has been happening at On Track Westbury this month.



Reminders

- **July 8:** Leavers BBQ 12:00-13:30
- **July 10:** Summer Fete 12:45
- **July 17:** End of term 6 12:45 finish

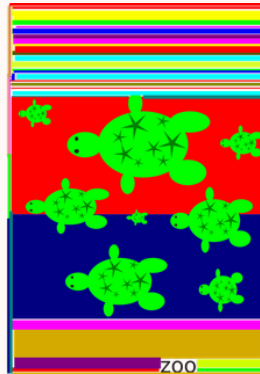
This month at On Track

Please take a look at some of the exciting activities and achievements our students have been involved in this month. From practical projects and outdoor learning to creative activities and new skills, it has been another busy and productive few weeks at On Track Westbury.



One of our students' favourite activities is visiting the driving range to practise their golf, developing their coordination, concentration and sporting skills while enjoying time outdoors.

Here is a selection of the graphic artwork produced by our students in ICT this term. Throughout the term, students have been developing their digital design skills, using a range of software and creative techniques to produce imaginative and high-quality pieces. Their work showcases growing confidence, creativity, and excellent attention to detail.



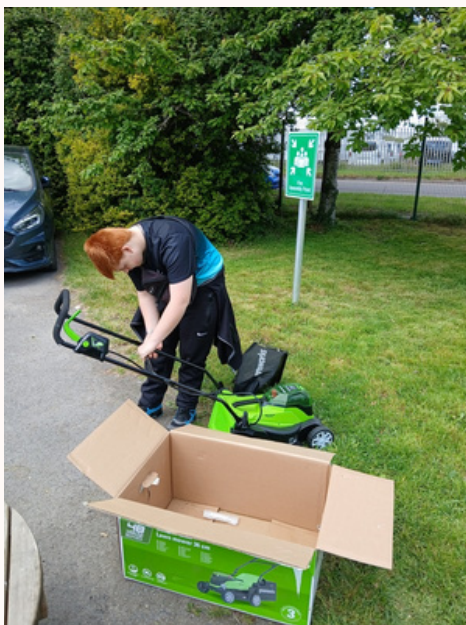
Whole school rounders

One of the highlights of the month was playing whole-school rounders twice! Once during a trip to the sports centre and once up at the White Horse on a lovely day. On both occasions, we managed to get most of our pupils together for fantastic games of rounders. It was wonderful to see students from across the school taking part, working as a team, encouraging one another, and enjoying some healthy competition. The afternoons were filled with fun, laughter, and plenty of sporting talent, making them memorable experiences for everyone involved.



Taking pride in our school

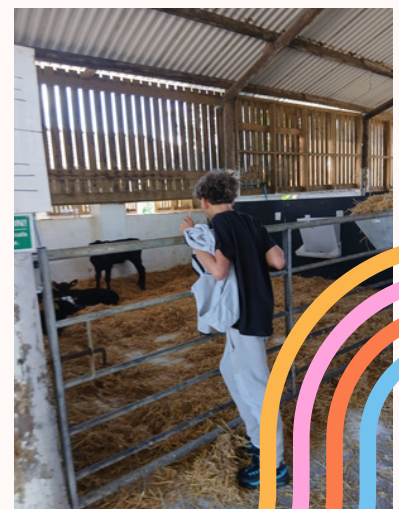
Our students have been taking great pride in our school by helping with a range of practical improvement projects. From measuring up for the new BBQ grill pans and creating a new patio slab ready for our Year 11 Leavers' BBQ and Summer Fete, to unpacking and safely using the electric lawn mower, they have been developing valuable construction, maintenance and practical life skills while making a positive contribution to the school environment.



Pallete and Pasture



Some of our students had a fantastic opportunity to visit Pallet & Pasture as part of their learning about 'How Food Goes from Farm to Fork'. During the visit, they discovered where ice cream comes from, what cows are fed, how cows are milked, and how fresh milk is transformed into delicious ice cream. The students then had the chance to make their own ice cream before enjoying a well-earned taste of their creations. They also enjoyed a tractor ride around the farm, where they met pigs, Highland cows and other farm animals, as well as seeing the crops growing in the fields. To top off a fantastic day, the students brought back a giant tub of freshly made ice cream to school, which they shared with everyone. It was a memorable trip that combined hands-on learning with plenty of fun!



Cat café

A couple of our students enjoyed a visit to Puss in Books Cat Café in Frome. As the café offers a calm, bookable environment, it provided the perfect opportunity for students to build their confidence in a relaxed setting.

During the visit, the students ordered their own drinks and interacted with the staff and other visitors in a polite and courteous manner. They were also respectful of the cats' boundaries, showing kindness and consideration throughout their time at the café.

It was a pleasure to see the students so happy, relaxed and confident, making this a thoroughly enjoyable and rewarding experience for everyone involved.

