



Cuddington Primary School

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Newsletter 1 Friday 8th September 2017

Message from Mrs Mills

Dear Parents and Families,

Welcome back to the new school year where there has been so much going on already. Our new build is surging forward now, with the roofing complete and internal works moving along nicely. I cannot wait for it to be completed and see our children learning in the new spaces.

Our Reception children have been FANTASTIC this week as they have started their educational journey with us. So many smiles and not many tears - a successful start for them all!

Please join me in giving a warm welcome from our Cuddington Community to Miss Knight (Snowy Owls Teacher), Miss Parker (Sparrows Teacher) and Mrs Burrows (Teaching Assistant in Sparrows). They have all settled in to the routines of our school day and are so enthusiastic about working in our school.

During our INSET day, we had training around 'Talk for Writing.' We shared the training with 2 other schools and have now planned how we will use this innovative approach to improve outcomes for children's writing.

During this last week, I have had 2 emails from residents who live behind our school near to where the gate has just been opened at the start and end of the school day.

They have quite rightly pointed out that there is no parking available and they are both extremely worried that there will be an accident. I am keen to work with our closer community, so would urge any parent accessing the gate at the back of school, to park safely away from the path. If dangerous parking continues, Governors and I will take the decision to close this gate to the public at all times. There has also been report of very inconsiderate parking outside resident's houses near to the school on Ash Road. It is not acceptable to block residents drives under any circumstances!

Next week, I am meeting with all class teachers to set targets for the year ahead in Reading, Writing and Maths. Our priorities for the year will be shared with you following this.

I hope to see as many of you as possible on 14th September at the Blue Cap for our first PTA meeting of the year (7.30pm) - please come along and let's help to raise as much as possible for our children. ☺

Monday 11th Sept

Performance Poetry Club-3.15-4.15pm

Electronics Club-4.15pm

Tuesday 12th

Sing-Up Club—4.00pm

Boys Only Choir—lunchtime

Wednesday 13th

Yr6 Chemistry with Cabbages

Tafelmusik lessons (morning)

Y1-Y6 Christian Club—4.15pm

Thursday 14th

Yr4 Violin lessons

Guitar lessons

7.30pm PTA Meeting at the Blue Cap

Friday 7th

Extra Curricular Clubs start next week.

Please visit the School Interview website—there is a link direct from the school website. You will need the code **bqnmh** to book your child's place.

School Library

Our school library is being re-housed! After our new-build has been completed we will have a 'grand opening' of the new place so in the meantime we will not be running the KS1 library sessions on a Thursday afternoon until further notice.

Letters home this week
Year 6 Min-y-don Residential
Parent Readers and Library

School Dinners & Morning Snack.

Next Week is Week 2

The cost is now £2.30 per meal. Year 3 parents please remember that you now have to pay for your child's meals.

An amended menu has been uploaded on to the school website.

Please check your Parent Pay account is in credit by **9.00am on a Monday morning** for dinners and morning snack.

FREE SCHOOL MEALS

If you are in receipt of benefits such as Income Support, Income Based Job Seekers Allowance, Support Allowance, Universal Credit or Child Tax Credit (but are not entitled to a Working Tax Credit) and whose annual income (as assessed by HMRC) does not exceed £16,190, then your child may well be entitled to free school meals. Please register even if your child is in Reception, Y1 or Y2. For more information, or to register, phone:

0300 123 7039.

[Our school benefits financially if you register](#)