



# Cuddington Primary School

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## Message from Mrs Mills

I am not sure where January has gone - but it has and we have started February with slightly lighter mornings and lighter afternoons! Senior Leaders are currently in the process of monitoring progress in Reading, Writing, Maths and Science through lesson observations, scrutinising children's work books and listening to what the children are saying about their learning. Having dropped into several lessons this week, it is clearly apparent that all our children are working extremely hard with really positive outcomes. What a great team of teachers and children I have!

On Wednesday of this week, all school staff attended Basic Awareness training when safeguarding all children in our care. All our staff engaged so positively in this training, (as it should be) with the safety of our children being the most important priority. The local authority publish the training to follow and I am allowed to deliver it as I am Level 3 trained in Safeguarding. The 4 types of abuse along with Domestic Violence and Bullying, although rare at Cuddington, are still to be taken extremely seriously.

### Northwich Schools Football League

Cuddington has the opportunity to be part of a Northwich Schools Football League, which will finish with a tournament in July. This is aimed at Year 5 and 6 children. **Do we have any parents who are able to take this on for our team?** It would mean coaching a team once a week after school and attending football league matches. This is the one thing I would love to have at Cuddington - a school Football team! **If you are a parent that would be interested in this (or there may be 2 of you) then please could you email me or ring the school office so we can meet and organise to move forward.**

PTA Film Night - please see the separate letter from our fab PTA asking for volunteers at our next film night.

PTA Film Night Thursday 15th Feb, 6pm - 8pm. Films shown will be Captain Underpants, Boss Baby, Despicable Me 3 and Moana. Entry will cost £2/child, payable on the door. Snacks and drinks will be available during the interval for children to buy. If you can volunteer at this event, please contact us by email [cuddingtonprimarypta@gmail.com](mailto:cuddingtonprimarypta@gmail.com), or speak to a committee member in the playground. A letter has gone home today with your child requesting YOUR Help—Thank you!

**The next PTA meeting is Tuesday 6th March  
7.30pm at The Blue Cap.**

Beetle Drive with chippy tea 25.4.18—more details to follow...

### Best Bits of the Week:

- ☺ Reception— Creating our class tiger for the display outside the classroom.
- ☺ Sparrows - beginning our writing about the book 'The Lion Inside.'
- ☺ Blackbirds— starting our new book The Dragon Machine.
- ☺ Skylarks— following all the evidence to track down our new book character.
- ☺ Hummingbirds—Solving multiplication problems using our times tables.
- ☺ Snowy Owls—Finishing our portal stories about Leon and the Place Between.
- ☺ Tawny Owls—Finishing our meeting story—The Seal Surfer.
- ☺ Barn Owls — Finishing writing our meeting stories.
- ☺ Puffins—Making our 'Dig for Victory' campaign posters.
- ☺ Toucans—beginning our warning stories.

### Monday 5th February

Y3/4/5/6 Street Dance lunch Club  
KS2 Choir Club—4.15pm  
Y1/2 Dance Club—4.15pm  
KS2 Cross Country Club—4.15pm  
KS2 German Club—4.15pm

### Tuesday 6th

KS2 Art lunch Club  
Boys Only Choir lunch Club

### Wednesday 7th

Y1 Tennis Tots lessons AM  
Tafelmusik lessons (morning)

### Thursday 8th

Y6/Y4 Cricket PM session  
Guitar lessons (afternoon)  
KS1 Library Session  
KS1 Art/Craft Club—4.15pm  
Y2/3/4 Gymnastics Club—4.20pm

### Friday 9th

PopUp Science with Y6  
Science Ambassadors—lunchtime

Nearly New Sale—  
Thursday 15th February

Please donate any good quality second hand uniform that your child has grown out of—thank you.

### School Dinners & Morning Snack.

Next week is Week 2

The cost is £2.30 per meal. The menu is available on the school website.

**\*\*\*VERY IMPORTANT\*\*\***

**Please check your Parent Pay account is in credit by 9.00am on a Monday morning for dinners and morning snack, or your child will not be able to have their pre-ordered snack or a hot meal.**

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Ages 5-13—Closing date

Thursday 22nd February at 7.00pm