



DILTON MARSH C of E PRIMARY SCHOOL

FRIDAY NEWS

Friday 7th December 2018



Dates for your Diary

December

Mon 10 th		High 5's Netball Tournament at Kingdown School
Tue 11 th	1.30-2.45pm	Christmas Extravaganza in the church
Wed 12 th		Flu Vaccinations
Wed 12 th	6-7.15pm	Christmas Extravaganza in the church
Fri 14 th		Deadline for writing competition
w/c 17 th		<u>NO CLUBS</u>
Tue 18 th	1.30 & 6pm	Lime & Cherry Nativity
Thu 20 th		Christmas Dinner & Christmas Jumper Day
Fri 21 st	10-11am	Christmas Carol Service at the church
Fri 21st	12noon	Break up for Christmas

January

Mon 7th **Return to school**

February

Thurs 14th Dance Festival at Bath Forum

Reporting Absence

Please notify the office of absence before 9.00am each day. If we do not hear from you, we will phone you to ascertain the nature of absence. *Please note:* a child with sickness or an upset stomach should remain away from school for 48hrs after the last episode of illness.

Tel: [01373 822902](tel:01373822902) or e-mail office@diltonmarsh.wilts.sch.uk

This week:

Attendance: 96.3% Absence: 3.7% Learning time lost this week : 19 days

Weekly Class Attendance Trophy

This week the winners are Ash Class

Congratulations



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Treetops Breakfast Club

Monday-Friday

Open from 7.30am–8.30am

£4 a session

Forms are available on our website
or from the office



Class cover:

Thursday 13th December

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Miss Driscoll

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Mrs Andrews to cover



Carol Service in the Church Friday 21st December 10am – 11am

Please join us

N.B. we then break up
from school at 12 noon



Christmas Dinner Thursday 20th December



Orders **MUST** be placed by Friday
14th December please

Achievements

Ashton was awarded the ‘Man of the Match’ trophy, playing in his football team against a team older than his.

Congratulations





On Monday, two teams will represent us at the Acorn School’s High 5’s Netball Tournament – Good Luck!

Forthcoming events:

- Young Ambassador’s Conference (part 2)
- Gymnastics Festival
- Dance Festival



House Point Scores

HAWK		373
MERLIN		477
FALCON		457
KESTREL		656

Community Cohesion

Our Christian value for the term is:

Kindness

Each term we will have a focus on an important value in our school and within the community which will be high profile in class and feature in assemblies

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Thank you so much to Mole Valley for donating the lovely Christmas tree. It looks really pretty with the children’s decorations on.



After School Annual Pass



Fairwood Lakes have introduced a new pass which gives entry to their soft play from 3pm onwards, Monday to Friday, during term time.

Each pass will cost £10 which is a huge saving as usual admission is £2.50 for 1-3 year olds and £4.75 for children 4+

On top of this already fantastic deal, Fairwood Lakes have chosen to make this a school fundraising opportunity where the **ENTIRE** funds raised will go to school!

Thank you Fairwood Lakes.

If you would like to buy a pass, please speak to the office or buy at the Christmas Fayre next week. (Cash only)

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Henry S (5)
Maddie L (10)
Poppy(7)

Flu Immunisations
Wed 12th Dec

Every week, two children from each class are awarded the 'Shining Star' certificate. This award is given to children that are setting a good example by showing extra effort with their learning, perfect behaviour or generally having a good attitude to every aspect of school. Although this is celebrated in our Friday assembly, we thought the children deserved a special mention:

Lime Class: Theo & Pixie
Cherry Class: Logan & Leona
Ash Class: Khloe & Brinley
Willow Class: Rowan & Morgan
Chestnut Class: William & Thomas
Beech Class: To be announced next week
Oak Class: Baylee & Wilf

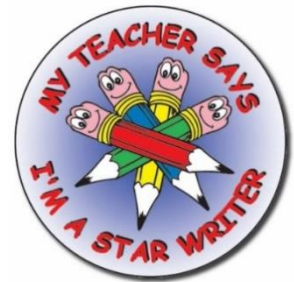


Congratulations to our 'Shining Stars'

Star Writers

We are always impressed with the outstanding quality of the children's writing, and whilst we recognise this in our classes, we thought it would be nice to celebrate these amazing skills with the school community. So, every two weeks, one piece of work from each class will be chosen and hung on our new 'Star Writers' display. The children will also receive a certificate and a special mention here.

Lime Class: Caleb
Cherry Class: Maisy
Ash Class: Ayden
Willow Class: James
Chestnut Class: Chloe G
Beech Class: To be announced next week
Oak Class: Thandoe



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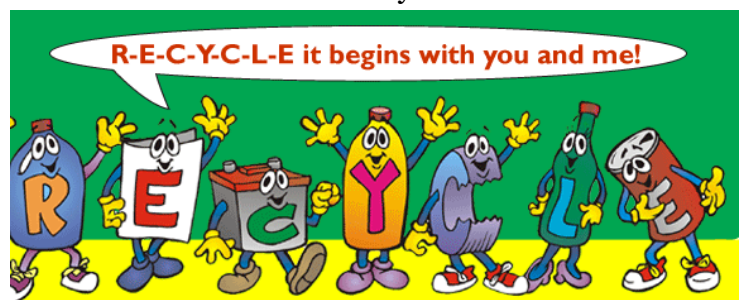
Christmas Card recycling

This year we are joining forces with Center Parcs and Hills Waste to recycle all our old Christmas cards.

From 7th January '19 for two weeks we will have a collection bin at school for you to place your old Christmas and Birthday cards in.

At the end of this time Hills will weigh the amount of card we have recycled and we will receive a certificate.

Please help us to recycle ☺



Christmas Tree decorations

Thank you all for the amazing tree decorations.

There were 85 this year.

This year's winners are listed below, but every child that took part was given a prize.

Lime Class – Bobby S
Cherry Class – Tallulah P
Ash Class – Evie B
Willow Class – Emily W
Chestnut Class – Henry B
Beech Class – Noah S
Oak Class – Oscar F



Christmas Fayre program Competition

The entries were amazing, well done!

Congratulations to Indie & Orla who were joint winners.



Christmas Jumper or Christmas T-Shirt Day

Thursday 20th December

Join the fun & dress for Christmas Dinner!

Please note, this is **not a non-school uniform** day, so school trousers, skirts and shoes etc must be worn as usual

Well done to our School Choir who behaved and performed brilliantly at the Rotary Carol Service on Monday evening. It was a treat for us all!

A special thank you must go to Mrs Lawrence for leading the choir and teaching the children all the lovely songs.

We look forward to hearing more from our choir at the Christmas Extravaganza next week and the Carol Service on Friday 21st December.

