



DILTON MARSH C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL

Term 1 Newsletter 3 - Friday 27th September 2019

Thank you for joining us to watch the children complete the run this morning. Sponsor forms show that there is a commitment in the region of £1500, of which half goes to Julia's House and half goes into school funds to put towards the proposed new play trail. Thank you for all the cake donations for the MacMillan Coffee Morning which has also raised approximately £100.

A great morning of fundraising events.

Headteacher



Safeguarding

In order to Safeguard the children in school, we need to monitor and be aware of who is in the building at all times. If parents are coming into school for an arranged meeting, please can they sign in at the office and wait until a member of staff shows them into school. Parents should not be in the building during the school day for any other reason. Thank you for your co-operation with this.

We have also noticed some of the children are wearing Smart Watches to school. Aside from the expense and risk of losing such a valuable item, the devices have the facility to take videos and photos which also goes against our Safeguarding policy. Please can I ask for your support in ensuring these watches are not worn to school.

Lost Property

We are still receiving lots of enquiries about lost property. Any un-named uniform items or drinks bottles are placed in the plastic boxes outside of Willow Class. Please can you check here for any missing items.

Local permissions forms

We are still missing some completed Local Permissions forms which enables us to take the children out for local visits. Please can you complete and return these to the school office as soon as possible. If you do not wish to give your consent, please can you indicate this and still return the form to us.

Achievements

Well done to Zoe from Oak Class who has successfully passed her Grade 1 Modern Dance exam with a merit.



Lime Class	Isaac
Cherry Class	Leo
Ash Class	Harry
Willow Class	James
Chestnut Class	Ashton
Beech Class	Solomon
Oak Class	Sophia

Congratulations to our 'Shining Stars' this week.

Dilton's Maths Magicians:



Lime Class	Edison
Cherry Class	Oscar
Ash Class	Soren
Willow Class	Cameron
Chestnut Class	Mia
Beech Class	Josh
Oak Class	William

FODS update

Thank you to all those who attended the AGM on Monday and to all those who could not attend but have offered their support.

Sarah Yeadon, Zoe Hills and Lucy Budd confirmed they were standing down as committee members. We want to thank them for all their hard work and support for our school community over the last few years. They have done a wonderful job raising funds for the school, alongside the valuable contributions from staff and families. Over the last year FODS funds have subsidised class trips, bought the new picnic benches, been used for leaver's hoodies and gifts, bought items for the new reception class picnic and also purchased new books for the new reading scheme at school.

New committee members and class representatives have been agreed as outlined below. We look forward to organising events in the year ahead for the children and their families to enjoy. Please do chat to any of us if you have any suggestions or would like to be involved in an event.

Committee positions:

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Vice Chair – Jennifer Johnson

Treasurers – Jo Lambert and Leanne Smith

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Class representatives:

Lime Class – Melissa Stevens and Aimee Derrick

Cherry Class – Zoe Hills and Dani Elliot

Ash Class – Sarah Church and Beccie Durham

Willow Class – Pauline Sloper and Leanne Smith

Chestnut Class – Melissa Long and Phoebe Brazier

Beech Class – Lucy Budd and Jo Lambert

Oak Class – Anita Reeves and Clare Baalham

Upcoming events:

2nd hand uniform sales at Parents' Evening (21st and 22nd October)

Wed 6th Nov – Film Night – Toy Story 4

Fri 29th Dec – Non-uniform Day with donations for the Christmas Fayre

Thu 5th Dec - Christmas Fayre

Next meeting:

Wednesday 16th October at 7:30pm at The Prince of Wales - Everyone welcome!

Next meeting agenda items:

Rota to help at Parents Evenings

Preparations for Film Night

Christmas Fayre

New Year Disco

Key dates for your diary

Wednesday 2 nd October	BEECH Class Sharing Assembly 2.30pm
Monday 7 th October	'Walk Safe' - Road safety training for children in Years 1, 3 & 6
Wednesday 9 th October	Harvest Service at Holy Trinity Church 2pm—all welcome
Friday 11 th October	Classroom visits and coffee morning for KS2 classes—8.30am
Monday 14 th October	KS2 Football Tournament at Kingdown School (teams tbc)
	'Walk Safe' - Road safety training (2) for children in Years 1, 3 & 6
Wednesday 16 th October	CHESTNUT Sharing Assembly 2.30pm
	FODS meeting—Christmas Fayre planning. 7.30pm.
Monday 21 st October	OAK Class Sharing Assembly 2.30pm
	Parents' Evening (timings and booking info tbc)
Tuesday 22 nd October	Parents' Evening (timings and booking info tbc)
	Last day of Term 1
Wednesday 23 rd October	INSET DAY—School closed to pupils
Monday 4 th November	INSET DAY—School closed to pupils
Tuesday 5 th November	Term 2 begins
Wednesday 6 th November	Film Night—organised by FODS—further details to follow
Friday 29 th December	Non-uniform day—donations for Christmas Fayre
Thursday 5 th December	Christmas Fayre
Wednesday 18 th December	Whole school Christmas lunch
Friday 20 th December	Last day of Term 2



Treetops Breakfast Club

Monday-Friday

7.30am–8.30am—£4 a session

Booking forms are available on our website or