



## DILTON MARSH C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL

### Newsletter 5 Term 5 - Friday 21<sup>st</sup> May 2021

Dear parents and carers

It was great this week to be able to take a group of children to a sporting event at Fairfield College. Twelve children from year 2 to year 6 worked with the Fairfield Sports Leaders who were introducing cricketing skills to the children. The leaders had been trained by a coach from the Cricket Association and were supported by their teaching staff. The children were throwing, catching and batting at the different work stations. Our children listened carefully and participated well in the activities despite the distractions of the Llamas, goats and pigs! I think the chickens were a bit shocked when Oliver managed to hit a ball over the fence into their enclosure! We look forward to working with the Sports Leaders again over the next term.

Jill Hibbs  
Headteacher



#### Face masks - revised guidance

Parents no longer need to wear face coverings when dropping off or collecting children providing social distancing of 2 metres can be maintained. Any parents or visitors entering the school building must still wear a face covering. Staff will continue to wear masks at drop off and collection times and parents should do the same if they wish to talk to a member of staff. Thank you for your support with this.

#### Fundraising efforts

Indie from Ash Class receives the local Charlotte Bolwell memorial trophy for her compassion and fundraising efforts for Cancer Research.



#### SEND Clinic - reminder

Dear Parents and Carers,

My name is Sue Fulbrook and I am Head of SEND for Acorn Education Trust. I would like to offer you the opportunity to meet with me to discuss any concerns you may have relating to your child's SEND and the provision in place at Dilton Marsh. I will be running some clinics for parents and carers to make appointments.



An initial session will be on Wednesday 9th June between 9.15 and 11.15. If you wish to make an appointment, please contact Heather Taylor (Senior SEND Administrator) on [hrt@acorneducationtrust.com](mailto:hrt@acorneducationtrust.com) and she will gladly book you in. Equally, if there is something positive that you would like to pass on, I'd love to hear from you too. You can email me on [fb@acorneducationtrust.com](mailto:fb@acorneducationtrust.com). I look forward to hearing from you.

#### School lunches - book now for after half term

The lunch menus on Wisepay have now been extended to include next term. If you would like your child to have hot lunches when we return on 7th June then please remember to **book by 9am on Thursday 27th May next week**. Thank you.

## Let's celebrate!



### Headteacher's awards

- \* Leona (Willow Class) for always being polite.
- \* Logan and Jess (Willow Class), Evie & Eliza (Chestnut Class), Alex and Sebastian (Beech Class), Lyra and Mia B (Oak Class) for representing the school so positively in pupil interviews about their writing and reading.
- \* Esme and Ava (Ash Class) for their listening skills during their drama.

### Stars of the week:



<b>Lime Class</b>	Sammy for amazing writing this week.
<b>Cherry Class</b>	Sophia for being so kind and helpful. Well done to all of Cherry Class who have continued to work so hard whilst Mrs Lazar has been recovering.
<b>Ash Class</b>	Vincent for great acting skills representing conflict in PSHE.
<b>Willow Class</b>	Felicity for reading every day this week - keep it up!
<b>Chestnut Class</b>	Cameron for really pushing himself with his learning and sharing some excellent ideas.
<b>Beech Class</b>	Sebastian for great reading.
<b>Oak Class</b>	Jasmine for amazing story telling.

### Dilton's Maths Magicians:



<b>Lime Class</b>	Topsy for trying really hard with counting on back from a given number.
<b>Cherry Class</b>	Robyn for being precise when halving cup cakes.
<b>Ash Class</b>	Orla for showing resilience in missing number problems.
<b>Willow Class</b>	Kallum for terrific time work.
<b>Chestnut Class</b>	Poppy for great explanations when learning about time.
<b>Beech Class</b>	Solomon for always giving 200% effort.
<b>Oak Class</b>	Coco for being able to explain her methods.



Congratulations to Tallulah and Carys in Willow Class who have achieved their pen licence.

### Dates for your diary:

Monday 24th May 2021	Walk Safe practical outdoor session for Year 3
Monday 31st May - Friday 4th June 2021	Half Term
Monday 7th June 2021	Start of Term 6
Friday 11th June 2021	Class photos (COVID & weather dependent)
Friday 25th June 2021	Rags2Riches4Schools donations
Monday 5th & Tuesday 6th July	Matravers Year 6 transition days
Tuesday 6th & Wednesday 7th July 2021	Year 6 Sailing in Westbury (further details to follow)
Tuesday 13th July 2021	Year 6 Cinderella Rockerfella Performance 1 (further details to follow)
Wednesday 14th July 2021	Year 6 Cinderella Rockerfella Performance 2 (further details to follow)
Thursday 15th & Friday 16th July 2021	Year 6 Camping / Activities trip
Wednesday 21st July 2021	Leavers' Service (COVID dependent) End of Term 6 for the summer holidays ( <b>FINISH 12pm</b> )