

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Transition process...

From Monday 6th June, we are going to alter the entrance format for KS2 children (Willow, Chestnut, Beech & Oak) – whilst we are very proud to have an ‘open door’ policy, we feel the older children will benefit from becoming more independent.

With this in mind, we would like you to drop your KS2 child/children at the main door (even if they have younger siblings), so they can enter their classroom by themselves. This will allow the children to prepare themselves for the day and be ready for prompt registration at 8.45am.

However, this new format does not mean you are unable to speak to your child’s teacher, it just means an appointment for a brief telephone call or meeting needs to be made through the office.

If your child is in Lime, Cherry or Ash class you are still very welcome to take your child to their class, but please remember the teachers need to be able to register the children at 8.55am.

We look forward to seeing the children enjoy and embrace their new responsibilities and independence.

Jo Ronxin

NO FOOTBALL CLUB NEXT WEEK

Please check you have placed
your dinner orders on



Dilton Marsh Scarecrow Trail
Saturday 21st May–Sunday 22nd May



We have 36 scarecrows this year!
Join the fun and test your Nursery Rhyme knowledge.

Trail sheets are still available for £3 from
Fairfield Farm Shop, Crowning Glory & the Church.

Don’t forget to put the name of your favourite scarecrow
along with your name and contact details on your answer
form before returning it to school before the 9th June.

Can you help?

FODS are currently finalising the Summer Fayre, but
would like a ‘star prize’ for the raffle – do you know anyone
who could donate something? We are very willing to put a
thank you with the company details on the newsletter for
advertising.

Quiz & Chips

A big thank you to Mike & Martin for organising an
entertaining evening!

Great fun was had by all, and we raised £105





Dates for your Diary



May

Sat 21st Big Breakfast at The Memorial Hall
8.30am – 11am
Sat 21st Scarecrow Trail
Sun 22nd Scarecrow Trail
w/c 23rd Arts Week
Mon 23rd Year 6 'Walk Safely'
w/c 30th HOLIDAY

June

Mon 6th Return to school
Thu 9th Cherry Class trip to Carymoor
Fri 10th Class Photos
Sat 11th Village Day & School Fayre
11am – 2pm
Wed 15th Kwik Cricket Comp - Warminster
Wed 15th Ash Class Celebration Assembly
Fri 17th Lime & Ash trip to Carymoor
w/c 20th Sports Week
Wed 22nd Oak Class to Junior Good Citizens
Thu 23rd Bikeability (Group 1)
Fri 24th Bingo at the Social Club
Tue 28th Chestnut & Beech trip to Marwell Zoo
Wed 29th Yr 6 Taster Day at Matravers
Wed 29th NO ASSEMBLY
Thu 30th Bikeability (Group 1, part 2)

July

Mon 4th- Wed 6th Yr 6 Induction at Kingdown
Tue 5th Kingdown Open Day for parents
Tue 5th Fizzpop Science assembly
Wed 6th Lime Class Celebration Assembly
Wed 6th FODS meeting 7pm at school
Thu 7th Bikeability (Group 2)
Fri 8th Yr 6 Leavers to Salisbury Cathedral
Mon 11th-Wed 13th Yr 6 Wye Valley Residential
Thu 14th Bikeability (Group 2, part 2)
Thu 21st Leavers Assembly (Yr 6 families only)
Thu 21st Last day of term
Fri 22nd Teacher Training Day

September

Thu 1st Teacher Training Day
Fri 2nd Teacher Training Day
Mon 5th Return to School

October

w/c 24th Holiday

December

Fri 16th Last day of term

January

Tue 3rd Teacher Training Day
Wed 4th Return to school

Weekly Class Attendance Trophy



Last week the winners were Lime Class
Congratulations

Attendance

Week Ending 12/05/16

Attendance	Absences
95.7 %	4.3 %

Learning time lost: Last week = 29.5 days

Reporting Absence

Please notify the office of absence and the reason for it before
9.00am each day.

Tel: 01373 822902 or e-mail
office@diltonmarsh.wilts.sch.uk

School Registration times:

KS2-8.45am

(Willow, Chestnut, Beech, Oak)

KS1- 8.55am

(Lime, Cherry & Ash)

Birthdays

Maddy F (8) Logan(10)
Sam(11) Darcie(8)



Christian value for the month is:

Truthfulness

Each month we will have a focus on an important value in our school which will be high profile in class and feature in Assemblies

Catering Assistant – 2 hours per day – 12 to 2.00 pm each day - term time only - Hourly rate £7.00

Extra hours will be offered to cover staff illness etc

We require a Catering Assistant to join our busy catering team, providing meals for our children. General Kitchen duties will include;

Some food preparation, washing up (we do have a dish washer), tidying and cleaning the kitchen to meet our 5 star Environmental Standard, clearing away the tables and chairs in the hall ready for the afternoon.

A level 2 food hygiene certificate would be an advantage but not essential as we can arrange for you to sit this in school.

Application forms are available from our website www.diltonmarsh.wilts.sch.uk or by contacting the School Officer Tel 01373 822902 or email admin@diltonmarsh.wilts.sch.uk

Dilton Marsh CofE Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. All applicants will be subject to a full Disclosure And Barring Service check before appointment is confirmed.

COMMUNITY COHESION



Lunch Guests

This week we welcomed Nicola Wright from Sevington School



Mia, William, Jada & Joe entertained our guest with Cheese & Potato Pie with Vegetables followed by Eton Mess

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Please bring in your Sainsbury's tokens
Thank you

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There are currently places at Dilton Marsh Pre School.
Please tel.01373-826693 or visit – Visitors always welcome

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Join us in finding the cure for Type 1 Diabetes!

www.jdrf.org.uk

Joint raffle JDRF and The Pony Club
£1 per strip available from the office.

Many, many prizes (see posters)

Will be drawn on 12th June'16

Events at Trowbridge Museum:

Wednesday 1st June: Picture Perfect

Join us for a bit of painting and drawing as we create pictures reflecting the summer season. This workshop is suitable for ages 5+ and tickets will be issued from 10am for sessions starting at 10.30, 11.10 and 11.50 and from 1pm for 1.30, 2.10 and 2.50 sessions.

Wednesday 1st June – 5.30 – 8.30: Flower Art Workshop

In this relaxed art session for adults you'll be creating flower-themed artworks using a range of materials and techniques. Places are limited and cost £10 per person (£8 Friends of Trowbridge Museum). To reserve a place come into the museum (£5 deposit required) or book via Ticketsource.

Thursday 2nd June: Picture Perfect

Come along and have a go at creating flower-themed artworks using a variety of materials and techniques. These workshops are suitable for ages 12 plus and cost £3 per person and should be booked in advance as places are limited. Sessions at 10.30 – 12.30 and 1.30 – 3.30. Book in the museum or via Ticketsource.

Friday 3rd June: Decorate-a-Bag

Come along and join in the cutting, sticking and sewing as we decorate small tote bags. Suitable for ages 4+. Tickets will be issued from 10am for sessions starting at 10.30, 11.10 and 11.50 and from 1pm for 1.30, 2.10 and 2.50 sessions. This is a free workshop but a donation would be appreciated.



E-Safety Competition

Create an animation, app, game, video or poster to deliver an e-safety message and promote positive uses of Digital Technology

Help celebrate great uses of the Internet and mobile technology, and promote tips for keeping safe online and in using mobile devices by creating an app/game or animation/video to help children and young people better understand about the positives of sharing online but also the dangers of inappropriate sharing, as well as how to avoid making hurtful comments online



Who can enter?

All children from Westbury cluster schools, between the ages of 5 and 11 years

A range of exciting prizes for the winning entries including an iPad, and iPad mini and a Samsung Galaxy Tablet!

Closing date: Monday 27th June 2016

How to enter

What's most important is the message and not the medium. Entries can be in whatever form is easiest for you. The entry can be sent if that is possible or hosted elsewhere and the link sent as the entry. Note that images in any entry must not infringe any copyright.

Send your entry (or a link to your entry if stored online elsewhere) via email to Nicky Newbury (AHT) nnewbury@westburyleigh.wilts.sch.uk. This may be a link to the created /animation video hosted elsewhere (such as YouTube). Make sure you include details of the names of who created the song or rap, the age category, and where you're from (either school name in the cluster area).

How your entry will be judged

After the deadline the judging panel will select a winner in each category and all entrants will be advised of the outcome of the judging process.

There are two categories: 5-7 years and 8-11 years

How your entry will be shared after the deadline

All entries which meet the criteria of promoting positive uses of the Internet and delivering an e-safety message may be shared in a public online space and will include the names of the writers and their school or geographical area. There will be a presentation event at Westbury Leigh CE Primary School on Thursday 7th July 2016 at 2pm.

Terms and conditions

1. All entries must be received no later than the closing date of 27 June 2016.
2. All entrants must be living in the Westbury area or from schools within Westbury cluster.
3. Material submitted must be the original work of the children or young people entering the competition, should not have been previously entered in any competition and should not infringe any copyrights or any other rights of third parties.
4. Entries must include the names of all those who created the entry, the category in which they are entering, and the name of their school (or location area).
5. Winning entries will be posted online following the outcome of the judging process. All entries which meet the criteria of promoting positive uses of the Internet and delivering an e-safety message may be shared in a public online space and will include the names of the writers and their school/geographical area.
6. Entrants should keep a copy of their entries as entered material will not be returned.
7. By entering the competition entrants accept the terms and conditions and agree that entries may be used by the Westbury cluster for promotional purposes at no cost, which will include placing them online and promoting via various avenues. The rights and ownership of the entries will remain with the creators.

GOOD LUCK! We look forward to receiving all your great ideas!