



DILTON MARSH C of E PRIMARY SCHOOL

FRIDAY NEWS

Friday 23rd February 2018

Contact us:

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School Registration times:

KS2-8.45am (Willow, Chestnut, Beech, Oak) **KS1- 8.55am** (Lime, Cherry, Ash)



Dates for your Diary

February

w/c 26th **NO CLUBS ON MONDAY, TUESDAY OR WEDNESDAY** & Waste Challenge Week
 Mon 26th 3.15pm Reception & Year 1 talks
 Tues 27th 3.15pm Year 2 talks & FODS Meeting 7pm at school
 Wed 28th Willow Class Celebration Assembly

March

Thu 1st 3.15pm KS2 talks
 Fri 2nd Dress-up as a book character Day & Book Swap
 Tue 6th 2pm Yr6 Parents Meeting at Kingdown
 6th -12th Scholastic Book Fayre 3-3.30pm
 Wed 7th Ash Class Cricket Workshop
 Wed 7th Ash Class Celebration Assembly
 Thu 8th 6pm Parents Meeting at Kingdown
 Fri 9th 3pm FODS Cake Sale
 Sun 11th Mother's Day
 Wed 14th Cherry Class Celebration Assembly
 Wed 21st Lime Class Celebration Assembly
 Thu 22nd Lions Club Concert at Matravers
 Mon 26th Tag-Rugby at Trowbridge RFC
 w/c 26th NO CLUBS
 26th & 27th Parents Evenings
 Wed 28th Easter Service in the Church followed by the Easter Egg Hunt

Thu 29th Teacher Training Day

30th March -15th April Easter Holiday

April

Mon 16th Return to school
 Tue 24th FODS Meeting 7pm at school

NEXT WEEK:

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Monday 26th February 3.15 pm Cherry Class (Year 1) - Phonics Testing Talk
Tuesday 27th February 3.15 pm Ash Class (Year 2) - KS1 SATS Talk
Thursday 1st March 3.15 pm Willow (Year 3), Chestnut (Year 4) - Assessment Process & Beech (Year 5)

Dress up as your favourite book character on Friday.

Please ensure no football kits and sensible shoes are worn along with enough layers for break time as the forecast is for bitterly cold weather

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.

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This week:

Attendance: 96.3% Absence: 3.7%
Learning time lost this week: 26 1/2 days



Weekly Class Attendance Trophy

This week the winners are Cherry and Chestnut who both lost 2 days this week

Congratulations



House Point Scores

HAWK		87
MERLIN		90
FALCON		104
KESTREL		86

Community Cohesion

Our Christian value for the month is:

FRIENDSHIP

Each month 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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Lunch Guests

This week we welcomed Paul Lovatt from Frome Rugby Club



Lewis, Amelia, Chloe & Madison entertained our guest with Creamy Ham & Mushroom Pasta Bake followed by Pineapple Upside-Down Pudding & Custard.

Class Celebration Assembly

Our next Celebration Assembly is on Wednesday 28th February and will be Willow Class

Please join us at 2.30pm.

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Piano Assembly - Tuesday 27th February'18, if your child is playing you will have already been invited to watch. There will be another Piano assembly on 13th March for the other pianists, notes will be sent home next week.

F.O.D.S ARE PLEASED TO OFFER
DISCOUNTED DAY PASS TICKETS TO

Butlin's
MINEHEAD

ON SATURDAY 19TH MAY 2018

TICKETS ARE PRICED AT:

£14.50 FOR AN ADULT (A SAVING OF £9.50)
£8.50 FOR A CHILD (A SAVING OF £3.50)

TICKETS CAN BE BOOKED AT THE SCHOOL OFFICE
PLEASE BOOK EARLY TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT.



WRISTBANDS WILL NEED TO BE COLLECTED FROM
BUTLINS RECEPTION BETWEEN 9.00AM & 9.30AM ON THE
DAY. DEPARTURE IS 6.00PM

PARKING IS OPPOSITE THE RESORT AT £6.00 FOR THE DAY





Treetops Breakfast Club

Monday-Friday

Open from 7.30am-8.30am

£4 a session

Forms are available on our website or from the office

FODS (Friends of Dilton School)

February

Tue 27th Meeting 7 pm at school – all welcome

March

Fri 9th Cake Sale at 3pm

Wed 28th Easter Egg Hunt 3.15 pm

April

Tue 24th Meeting 7 pm at school

May

Sat 19th Discount tickets for a day pass to Butlins

June

Fri 8th Quiz Night
16th & 17th Scarecrow Trail

July

Fri 6th Summer Fayre

Chair: Sarah Yeadon
Vice-Chair: Amanda Hudd
Secretary: Zoe Hills
Treasurer: Lucy Budd

Keep up to date with what we are up to on our information only Facebook page: FODS-Friends of Dilton School

WEEKLY MATHS CHALLENGE...

The Christingle Collection boxes have been counted, but we don't have a total. Can you work out how much we raised?

Boxes received 121

Denomination	Number
Green Notes	3
£2	2
£1	47
50p	34
20p	293
10p	291
5p	1007
2p	956
1p	1701
Total Coins	4334
Weight	19kg



Spaces available for girls only, age 5 – 7. We meet on Mondays in the village. If you would like more information please contact Jackie Newell on 01373-822050 or 07812-912675 or via email on jackienewell38@yahoo.co.uk

Please place your dinner orders on



Happy Birthday...

Mia W (10)
Emilie (6)
Zoe (9)
Emmanuel (9)



Quote of the month:

**Alone we are smart.
Together we are
brilliant.**



~ Steven Anderson



To celebrate World Book Day we are going to have a **dress-up day**! We would like to invite the children to come to school dressed as their favourite book character on **Friday 2nd March**. All we ask is that you ensure their footwear is suitable for playtime and there are no football kits please. Other than that, the only restriction, is your imagination!
For costume ideas see: www.bookaid.org/worldbookday

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Also on **Friday 2nd March**, we will be celebrating World Book Day by completing our very own book swap. If you've read a book already, bring it in! Your book must be in good condition, ready for someone else to read. Bring your books to the hall in the morning of Friday 2nd March, exchange it for a token, then during the afternoon, each child with a token will be taken to choose a new book from the donations. The maximum number of books you can swap is 3, however, if you want to bring in more, there will be a prize for the child donating the most good quality books donated.

BOOK FAIRS

Book Fair 6th - 13th March 2018

We will also be running a Book Fair, which will be located in the hall. The Book Fair will be open at the end of the school day between 3pm -3:30pm every day after school.
Payment is cash only please.

World Book Day Vouchers will be coming home on Monday evening – they are valid from 26th Feb to 25th March and can be exchanged for one of the World Book Day books or £1 off ANY book or audiobook worth £2.99 or more at our Book Fair. Please note that we will not have any of the free books at the Fair they are only available at selected book shops.

Shining Stars

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: Sam & Tyler
Cherry Class: Brinley & Khloe
Ash Class: Ellie D & Milo
Willow Class: Elsa & Henry
Chestnut Class: Zoe & Arthur H
Beech Class: Joel & Baylee
Oak Class: Adam & Rebekah

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, each week, 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.

Look out for our first 'Star Writers' next week.



Monitoring and Assessment Information meetings

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& Beech (Year 5) Process

In addition to the meetings, we have also created some booklets to guide you on how to help and support your child at home. These booklets look at the key areas of Maths (for each year group), Reading, and Writing (in KS1 and KS2).

The booklets can be accessed on the parent information section of our school website by scrolling down to the curriculum information section.

We look forward to seeing you at these meetings

Achievements

Sebastian passed 1 star skiing and
Tallulah gained all 5 ski badges at Piou
Piou Ski Club

Congratulations

West Ashton Primary School are hosting an ASD
training session on 26th February
from 3.30pm -4.30pm.

If you would like to attend, please e-mail:
admin@westashton.wilts.sch.uk

The lunchtime sport club have enjoyed skipping, targets, badminton, scoops and balls and archery this week...

