



DILTON MARSH C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL

Newsletter 1 Term 5 - Friday 29th April 2022

Dear parents and carers

Welcome back to Term 5. This term will fly by as it is only 5 weeks and next Monday is a bank holiday. We do have a lot to fit into it though. In the week beginning the 9th May the year 6 children will be taking their End of KS2 Assessments (SATs). They will sit papers in Reading, Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar and Maths. These have to be sat following a timetable mapped out by the Standards and Testing Agency. The year 6 children have had lots of practice and have worked really hard so I have no doubt that they will do brilliantly. Also during May the year 2 children will be assessed for their End of Key Stage 1 assessments. These are more flexible so Mrs Broad will timetable these throughout May.

Alongside the newsletter this week you will have been sent some information about Personal Development at Dilton Marsh, detailing how we deliver and support this area. This was just one of the aspects which came out of the Parent Questionnaire which we will address over the term. Please let me know if you would like more information.

Dates for your diary

Monday 2nd May 2022	Bank Holiday - school closed
Monday 9th—Thursday 12th May 2022	Year 6 SATs
Thursday 12th May 2022	FODS Discos (further details to follow)
Monday 16th—Friday 20th May 2022	Year 2 SATs
Friday 27th May 2022	Jubilee Day
Monday 30th May 2022—Friday 3rd June 2022	Half Term Holiday
Monday 6th June 2022	Start of Term 6
Wednesday 15th June 2022	Class Photos
Monday 20th June 2022	Ash Class visiting STEAM Museum, Swindon
Thursday 23rd June 2022	Year 2 Dance Festival (details to follow)
Monday 27th June 2022—Wednesday 29th June 2022	Year 6 Residential to Tile Barn
Thursday 30th June 2022	RAGS2RICHES collection
Friday 1st July 2022	Inset Day - school closed to children
Tuesday 5th July 2022	Provisional Sports Day
Monday 11th—Friday 15th July 2022	Careers Week
Monday 11th / Tuesday 12th July 2022	Kingdown Year 6 Transition Day
Friday 22nd July 2022	School finishes at 12pm
Monday 25th July 2022	Inset Day - school closed to children
	Last day of term / academic year

Let's celebrate!



Stars of the week:

- Lime Class** Chasie for learning all of his Phase 3 sounds.
- Cherry Class** Riley for showing such enthusiasm for his learning this week and showing respect by using his listening ears all week.
- Ash Class** Ezra for his great work with plants during Science this week.
- Willow Class** George for perseverance with fractions.
- Chestnut Class** Honor for her excellent deep thinking in English.
- Beech Class** James for making a huge improvement in his learning since coming back from Easter.
- Oak Class** Mia for her focus in maths this week leading to great improvement.



Dilton's Star Writer:

- Lime Class** Iris for always creating lots of wonderful pieces of writing independently.
- Cherry Class** Luca for working so hard in his handwriting this week making sure that all of his capital letters are the formed correctly.
- Ash Class** Alfie for adding adjectives to his writing.
- Willow Class** Kai for perseverance with his independent writing.
- Chestnut Class** Noah for great predictions about our class book.
- Beech Class** Brinley for an amazing opener in his adventure story.
- Oak Class** Ollie for perseverance.

House Points

Hawk	Kestrel	Falcon	Merlin
54	50	54	53

Children from Falcon and Hawk have earned a non uniform day next Friday 6th May 2022.

Congratulations to the following children for their achievements outside of school:

Well done Ava and Olivia in Ash Class for gaining distinction in their Grade 1 Ballet exam.

Well done to Mia in Oak Class who passed her grading in taekwondo and is now a white belt green stripe.

Hollie and Archie in Beech Class are now Junior Blue Belts - well done to both of you.





Dilton Marsh School and FODS present the

Scarecrow Trail

Saturday 4th and
Sunday 5th June

9am - 6pm

This Years theme is 'ROYALTY' and the Scarecrow Trail will take place over the Queen's Jubilee Weekend!

- Kings and Queens • Monarchy • Fictional Characters
- Or anything with a royal title eg. King Charles Spaniel, Gipsy Kings (the band)

SCARECROWS NEEDED!

If you would like to enter a scarecrow in this years village Scarecrow Trail, please email

fods@diltonmarsh.wilts.sch.uk

or call/text Jennifer on 07799 620 658
by Monday 16th May.



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