



DILTON MARSH C of E PRIMARY SCHOOL

FRIDAY NEWS

Friday 12th July 2019

At last I can share the results of the statutory assessments which have been reported for the end of KS1 and KS2. These are the results which we are measured upon and the KS2 results will be reported nationally.

In KS1 our results are above the provisional National results in all areas. In Reading we achieved 79% at expected standard or above, 79% in Writing and 86% in Maths. We were also pleased with the percentage of children who achieved at the Higher Standard which were also close to National. In KS1 all the reported results are based on Teacher Assessments. The teacher assessed the children on their everyday independent work alongside the tests, which they completed in small groups throughout May.

At KS2 the results which are reported are the test standardised scores. The children have received their individual scores and these are averaged out to give the school a comparative score. The results also show the percentage of children who are working at the expected level for a Year 6 pupil. In Reading 72% (73%) of pupils achieved expected, 69% (78%) in Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling, 76% (78%) in Writing and 79% (79%) in Maths. (The figures in brackets are the provisional National figures.) Our combined result is based on children who reach the expected standard in Reading and Maths tests plus the Writing teacher Assessment. This was 58% which is an increase on our 2018 results. The percentage of children who are working at greater Depth was also pleasing with 14% in Reading, 41% in Maths and 38% in Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling. Both maths and GPS are above the National figure.

We are pleased with these results as it shows the work that has been undertaken with the children has made a difference. This is a true reflection of the work that is happening across the school to ensure that we provide the very best for the children so they can make the maximum progress from their starting points. A huge thanks to all the staff who have worked with these children, to the children themselves for working so hard and to their parents for supporting the children and the school.

We will continue to concentrate on making sure that every child makes good progress throughout the school to ensure improvements are maintained. Although every cohort of children have their individual strengths and weaknesses we are focussed on ensuring they have the very best chance to succeed. We have already identified, as part of our School Improvement Plan, areas for development over the next few years. These include Reading, particularly response to texts, improving Vocabulary, whilst still continuing our journey in Maths. Alongside this we are developing the rest of the curriculum so that we can build upon previous knowledge. More information about these priorities will be shared in the new academic year.

Sh. Hubbs

PLEASE NOTE:
AFTER SCHOOL
CLUBS HAVE NOW
FINISHED FOR THIS
TERM



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Leavers Assembly

Oak Class Leavers
Assembly:

Wednesday 24th July
at 9.15am.

Please note this is only
for families of our Year
6 children





Year 5 & Year 6 will be taking part in the Acorn Trust Sports Festival on Tuesday 23rd July

Please remember NO nuts or products that contain nuts to be brought in to school due to severe allergies.

Thank you for your co-operation



Achievements

- Olivia R passed Stage 1 of Learn to Swim
- Emma has earned her Green Belt in Tae-Kwon-Do
- Arthur K ran the 5k Race for Life on Sunday for Cancer Research and Lisa's Army. He did really well in the heat and raised over £120.



Congratulations to you all!



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Oliver(8)
Lucia(8)

House Point Scores

HAWK		1,178
MERLIN		1,222
FALCON		1,542
KESTREL		1,362



Community Cohesion

Our Christian value for the term is:

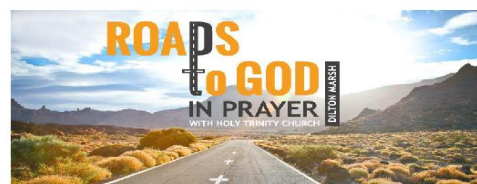
CURIOSITY

Each term 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



Please see the link below for vacancies within the Acorn Education Trust:

<https://acorneducationtrust.com/job-vacancies>



Launching on Pentecost Sunday, 9th June 2019 members of Holy Trinity Church, and other volunteers, will be travelling around the village of Dilton Marsh to personalise a service that is already provided as a church community of the village.

Each month prayers will be said for the residents and workers in specific Roads in the village. To cover the whole village will take a long time. If your road is not on the list for that month please do not feel excluded. You do not need to wait for a card or an invite. Spare cards are available, by the prayer tree, in Holy Trinity's Lady Chapel or by contacting the co-ordinator.

Each month cards will be delivered to the residences in the chosen Roads for the month. Each card shows how to make contact for your individual prayers or needs. Discretion and confidentiality assured.

Each month the 'roads of the month' will be prayed for, en-masse, during all our church services. However, there is also a team of dedicated volunteers that will pray 'together', via an electronic prayer group, and take more time to pray for each road and the personal prayer requests.

If you would like a visit from a member of the Clergy or a Lay Pastoral Assistant this is easy to arrange by completing a card from church or contacting the team vicar, Revd Caroline Husband on caroline@holytrinitychurch.org.uk 01373 596104, The Vicarage, The Hollow, or the RAG co-ordinator and Lay Pastoral Assistant, Sue Stanley, on suestanley.whitministry@gmail.com

Holy Trinity Church, Dilton Marsh on Facebook, White Horse Team Ministry website and 'A Church Near You' website

Our Mission – To serve the village community in Prayer

<http://www.whitministry.org.uk/2page-1622>
<https://www.facebook.com/Holy-Trinity-Church-Dilton-Mars-130830347683499/notifications/>

Reporting Absence

Please notify the office of absence before 9.00 am 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.

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

Attendance

This week: Attendance: 96.3% Absence: 3.7%

Weekly Class Attendance Trophy

This week the winners are Beech Class who lost 0 days
Learning time lost this week 29.5days

Congratulations



We would like to invite you all to join us for our Sports Afternoon which will be on **Thursday 18th July**. As usual, parents are invited to watch the races starting at **1:15 pm**. We would be grateful if you could stay at the side of the track. Please keep the track and the finishing line clear.

Please ensure the children have their PE kits in school EVERY day next week – this **MUST include their correct house coloured t-shirts and black shorts**. Please also check daps/trainers fit properly – we have a few children saying theirs are too small.

All children will need a named water bottle in school and a named sun hat. It is advisable if the weather is hot, to apply sun cream before school as the children will spend a large amount time outside.

We will check the weather forecast in the morning on this day and will let you know as soon as possible if we need to cancel.

We look forward to a seeing you all.



Village Coffee Morning

And

Table Top Sale

Holy Trinity Church

Dilton Marsh

SATURDAY 3rd August

10am – Noon

Table Hire FREE

To book a table please ring

Garth 01373 822414

Sue 01373 229618

Voluntary donations for our Charities of the year - Warminster & District Foodbank and Traidcraft Exchange

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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, every two weeks, 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.

Lime Class: Finley

Cherry Class: Hannah

Ash Class: the whole class for amazing story writing

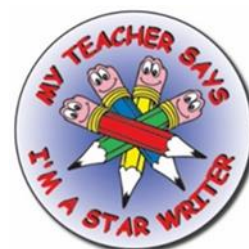
Willow Class: to be confirmed next week

Chestnut Class: Coco

Beech Class: Stefano

Oak Class: to be confirmed next week

Congratulations to our 'Star Writers'



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: Theo & Bobby

Cherry Class: Ben & Tallulah

Ash Class: Finlay-Ray & Finley

Willow Class: to be confirmed next week

Chestnut Class: Jude & Chloe G

Beech Class: Grace T & Harry

Oak Class: Amy & Zak

Congratulations to our 'Shining Stars'



Treetops Breakfast Club

Monday-Friday

Open from 7.30am–8.30am

£4 a session

Forms are available on our website



Willow Class enjoyed a trip to the Roman Baths today.

Thank you to Miss Driscoll and her helpers for making this possible

Each week, our Sports Coach will choose a 'Super Sports Star' from each class.

This week the awards were given to:

Lime Class: Sheldon

Cherry Class: Oliver

Ash Class: Teddy

Willow Class: Mia

Chestnut Class: Chloe S

Beech Class: Arthur K

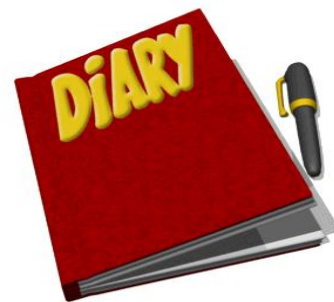
Oak Class: Amy



Congratulations to our 'Super Sports Stars'

<https://www.yourschoolgames.com>

Dates for your Diary



July

w/c 15th

Mon 15th 1.30 & 6pm

Tue 16th

16th & 17th

Thu 18th 1.15pm

Thu 18th

Fri 19th

Fri 19th 2.40pm

w/c 22nd

Mon 22nd

Mon 22nd 3-5pm

Tue 23rd

Wed 24th 9.15am

Wed 24th 12 noon

Thu 25th

NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Oak Class Performances

Yr 5 Taster Day at Matravers

Oak Class Sailing (1/2 class each day)

Sports Afternoon

School Disco

Year 6 Bikeability

Afternoon Tea Party

NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Year 6 Bikeability

Leavers BBQ (for year 6 and their families only)

Acorn Schools Yr 5 & 6 Sports Festival at Kingdown School for

Leavers Assembly (for families of year 6 only)

Break-up for the Summer Holiday

Teacher Training Day

September

2nd & 3rd

Wed 4th

Teacher Training Days

Return to school

October

Wed 23rd

Thu 24th

Teacher Training Day

Holiday begins

Maths Challenge for Key Stage 1

Demi has £5.00 pocket money.

She spends 50p on a drink, £1 on a chocolate bar and £1.50 on a comic.

How much change does she have from her £5.00 pocket money?



TROWBRIDGE Rugby FC MINI'S SECTION would like to invite **girls** and **boys** interested in sport and playing rugby to **FREE** 'Summer Fun' sessions at our ground, Doric Park, Hilperton, Trowbridge, BA14 6JB.

The **FREE** summer sessions run from **Sunday 21st July** to **Sunday 25th August** at **11am** for children aged 4 to 12 years old.

All sessions are free and open to non-members as well as current members. They are led by RFU qualified coaches, who are DBS checked and cleared.

These sessions are fun and based on RFU rugby games, used to encourage children to have a life-long love of the game, whilst teaching them the core skills. All sessions are non-contact. No specialist kit is required for these sessions, just activewear and trainers.

The club runs MINI teams **starting from Reception** (starting Sept 2019) and is actively encouraging new players to join the club. The teams train regularly on Sundays (10am) & play friendly games against lots of other local clubs in the area.

It is an exciting time to join a successful, friendly, fun and sociable club. Just turn up, take part and have fun. Parents are welcome to enjoy the facilities whilst their children take part.

For more information please visit the website:

<http://www.trowbridgerfc.co.uk/>

or contact Rob Ware, Head of Minis:

minis@trowbridgerfc.com / 07715369980.

ANIMAL PARK & CAFÉ
OPEN 7 DAYS A WEEK
SOUTHWICK COUNTRY PARK,
FROME ROAD, TROWBRIDGE, BA14 9QD

ANIMAL PARK
10:00 – 16:00
(LAST ENTRY AT 15:30)

CAFÉ
08:30 – 16:30

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