



# DILTON MARSH C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL

## Newsletter 2 Term 5 - Friday 6th May 2022

### SPAM - Important please read

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Dear parents and carers

This term we are focusing on our Christian Value of *Hope*. In Collective Worship we have talked about how sometimes things get really tough and we use *Hope* to, "Help achieve our goals" says Mia in Chestnut Class. Year 2 explained that, *Hope* is being focused on trying something new and thinking about what we want to achieve when we're older. We started by looking at the story of 'St George and the Dragon' and how the villagers were in despair but believed in George and had *Hope*.

Next week there is lots of excitement about the school discos! It is great to see that a number of children have earned a free disco ticket by completing their weekly reads - well done! Each week reading diaries are checked so that we can ensure that those who have earned the reward receive it. We will be sending home a disco entry ticket to those children at the beginning of next week.

We are delighted to share the news that Mrs Lazar is expecting a baby in the Autumn. She will continue teaching into the next academic school year.

### FODS Discos

Discos will take place on Thursday 12th May 2022 at the following times:

KS1 3.15 - 4.15pm (Children should bring a change of clothes into school)

KS2 4.30 - 5.30pm

Tickets should be purchased at the door (£2.50).

Please inform us over email if someone different will be picking up your child or if they are permitted to walk home on their own. We will not let them go without this written permission please.

### Archaeological visit in Ash Class

This week Ash Class were treated to a visit from Wessex Archaeology who talked to the children about discoveries from the sea bed following on from their previous learning about the Titanic. Juno was amazed that they found a mammoth bone that had been covered by sand for millions of years. Ezra explained how they had discovered cannon balls, bomb tops and bullets from WW2. All the artefacts that they shared with the children had been found in the seas around the United Kingdom.



## Let's celebrate!



### Stars of the week:

<b>Lime Class</b>	Thomas for answering questions in full sentences.
<b>Cherry Class</b>	Joseph for persevering this week, doing a great job of looking after his bean plant.
<b>Ash Class</b>	Charlie for leading assembly with confidence.
<b>Willow Class</b>	Freddie N for giving 100% to everything he does.
<b>Chestnut Class</b>	Tom for being hugely independent and hard working in all subjects.
<b>Beech Class</b>	Poppy for always being fully engaged in learning.
<b>Oak Class</b>	Solomon for reflection about his learning.

### Dilton's Maths Magicians:



<b>Lime Class</b>	Lowen for learning all his number bonds to 10.
<b>Cherry Class</b>	Elena for doing some amazing work with doubles this week.
<b>Ash Class</b>	Ted for solving problems with fractions.
<b>Willow Class</b>	Zachary for some fantastic work with equivalent fractions.
<b>Chestnut Class</b>	Olly for some great recording when rounding decimals.
<b>Beech Class</b>	Eleanor for consistently picking up new strategies quickly.
<b>Oak Class</b>	Maisie for focus and perseverance.

Congratulations to Ethan in Chestnut Class who has achieved his pen licence.



### House Points

Hawk	Kestrel	Falcon	Merlin
54	50	54	53

### Dates for your diary

Monday 9th—Thursday 12th May 2022	Year 6 SATs
Thursday 12th May 2022	FODS Discos
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