



# DILTON MARSH C of E PRIMARY SCHOOL

## FRIDAY NEWS

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2019

Thank you to everyone who came along to the Maths Information Evening on Thursday and to Mr Bullen for leading. It was an opportunity to find out more about how Maths is taught at Dilton School and how our maths curriculum has evolved over the last year. As a result the expectation is for children to be able to explain their reasoning and be more flexible in their thinking. If you are interested in finding out more the PowerPoint presentations are uploaded onto the school website along with detailed curriculum information for each year group. To access either copy the link below or click on the *Parent Information* tab followed by *Curriculum Information Booklets*.

[https://www.diltonmarsh.wilts.sch.uk/website/curriculum\\_information\\_booklets/321464](https://www.diltonmarsh.wilts.sch.uk/website/curriculum_information_booklets/321464)

Don't forget there are Parent Evenings on Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March and Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> April. At the meetings you will be able to collect and discuss your child's Termly report. Most parents have booked their appointments already but if you are struggling to attend please speak to your child's teacher to arrange collection of the report. Thank you.

Jill Hibbs

### Easter Service

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> April

2pm

in the Church



Please join us



### Parents Evenings

Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March

&

Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> April

### FODS

### Committee Meeting

Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> March

7pm

At The Prince of Wales

**Everyone welcome**



### Easter Raffle

FODS are currently organising the Easter Raffle.

Please help them by donating a raffle prize.

Thank you

## Contact Us



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[www.diltonmarsh.wilts.sch.uk](http://www.diltonmarsh.wilts.sch.uk)



## Treetops Breakfast Club

**Monday-Friday**

**Open from 7.30am–8.30am**

**£4 a session**

Forms are available on our website  
or from the office

## Forthcoming events:

- Chestnut Class swimming lessons
- Acorn Schools Athletics Competition



## Achievements

Bella achieved Badge 1 in Gymnastics

Oliver completed Stage 3 swimming


**Congratulations**

**HAPPY  
BIRTHDAY**

Alfie (7)  
Grace C (10)



## House Point Scores

<b>HAWK</b>		<b>1,222</b>
<b>MERLIN</b>		<b>1,200</b>
<b>FALCON</b>		<b>1,148</b>
<b>KESTREL</b>		<b>1,491</b>



## Community Cohesion

Our Christian value for the term is:

**COURAGE**

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

FRIENDS OF DILTON MARSH SCHOOL

**"ONE OF A PAIR"**

**DILTON MARSH  
SCARECROW TRAIL**

**8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2019**

**TRAIL MAPS**

**£3.00**

Available soon from:

Dilton Marsh School

Fairfield Farm

Crowning Glory

The Prince of Wales

All profit to Friends of Dilton Marsh School to help contribute towards classroom enhancements.



## After School Annual Pass

Fairwood Lakes have introduced a new pass which gives entry to their soft play from 3pm onwards, Monday to Friday, during term time.

Each pass will cost £10 which is a huge saving as usual admission is £2.50 for 1-3 year olds and £4.75 for children 4+

On top of this already fantastic deal, Fairwood Lakes have chosen to make this a school fundraising opportunity where the **ENTIRE** funds raised will go to school!

Thank you Fairwood Lakes.

If you would like to buy a pass, please speak to the office  
(Payment: cash only)



### 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.

Tel: 01373 822902 or e-mail [office@diltonmarsh.wilts.sch.uk](mailto:office@diltonmarsh.wilts.sch.uk)



**This week:** Attendance:96% Absence:4%  
Learning time lost this week: 24.5days

### Weekly Class Attendance Trophy

This week the winners are Willow Class with 0 days lost

### **Congratulations**

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: Dylan & Esme  
Cherry Class: Noah & Honor  
Ash Class: Ayden & Eleanor  
Willow Class: Rowan & Sebastian  
Chestnut Class: Reuben & Mia  
Beech Class: Bella & Toby  
Oak Class: Ewan & Charlie O

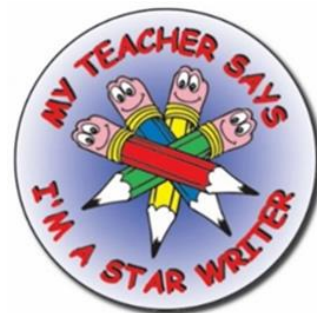


### **Congratulations to our 'Shining Stars'**

### 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, 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: Jack  
Cherry Class: Soren  
Ash Class: Harry  
Willow Class: Oliver  
Chestnut Class: Charlie H  
Beech Class: Immy  
Oak Class: Theo



### **Congratulations to our 'Star Writers'**

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

This week the awards were given to:

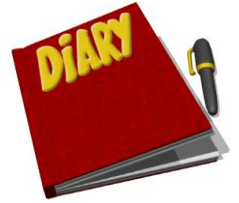
Lime Class: Ava  
Cherry Class: Sam  
Ash Class: Eleanor  
Willow Class: Emma  
Chestnut Class: Mia  
Beech Class: Grace C  
Oak Class: Caprice



### **Congratulations to our 'Super Sports Stars'**

<https://www.yourschoolgames.com>

## Dates for your Diary



### **March**

Mon 25 <sup>th</sup>		Acorn schools Athletics Competition
Tue 26 <sup>th</sup>	7pm	FODS Meeting at The Prince of Wales
Wed 27 <sup>th</sup>		Parents Evening
Wed 27 <sup>th</sup>		Art Club will run as normal
Thu 28 <sup>th</sup>		Chestnut Class Swimming (final week)

### **April**

Tue 2 <sup>nd</sup>		Lime & Cherry trip to Peipards Farm
Wed 3 <sup>rd</sup>		Parents Evening
Wed 3 <sup>rd</sup>		<b>NO ART CLUB</b> due to Parents Evening
Thu 4 <sup>th</sup>	2pm	Easter Service in the church
Thu 4 <sup>th</sup>	3pm	Easter Egg trail
Thu 4 <sup>th</sup>		<b>NO CLUBS</b>

### **Fri 5<sup>th</sup>**

**Teacher Training Day**

### **w/c 8<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup>**

**Easter Holiday**

### **Mon 22<sup>nd</sup>**

**Bank Holiday**

### **Tue 23<sup>rd</sup>**

Return to school

### **Mon 29<sup>th</sup>**

Chestnut trip to Hidden Woods

### **May**

### **Wed 1<sup>st</sup>**

Beech Class Celebration Assembly

### **Fri 3<sup>rd</sup>**

Deadline for anyone wishing to make a scarecrow

### **Mon 6<sup>th</sup>**

**Bank Holiday**

### **Wed 8<sup>th</sup>**

Chestnut Class Celebration Assembly

### **Wed 15<sup>th</sup>**

Willow Class Celebration Assembly

### **Wed 22<sup>nd</sup>**

Cherry Class Celebration Assembly

### **w/c 27<sup>th</sup>**

**Holiday**

## **FODS**

This terms representatives are:

Lime: Zoe Hills

Cherry: Sarah Church & Rebecca Durham

Ash: Leanne Smith

Willow: Phoebe Brazier

Chestnut: Sarah Yeadon & Lucy Budd

Beech: Anita Reeves

Oak: Jo Lambert

Our very kind representatives will keep you informed of forthcoming events, will sell tickets when required eg. Easter Egg & Scarecrow Trails and will always be grateful for offers of help as well as willing to hear about any fundraising ideas you may have. Please support them, they do a fantastic job helping FODS raise money to enhance every child's school life.

### **Forthcoming FODS events:**

Thu 4<sup>th</sup> April – Easter Egg Trail

Wed 22<sup>nd</sup> May – Film Night

8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> June – Scarecrow Trail

Sun 9<sup>th</sup> June – Cream Teas

Thu 18<sup>th</sup> July – Disco

Fri 5<sup>th</sup> July – Summer Fayre

## **FRIENDS OF DILTON SCHOOL**



# **EGG TRAIL**

**THURSDAY 4 APRIL**

**3.15pm – 4.00pm**

**ON THE SCHOOL FIELD**

**£2.00 PER CHILD**

**COLLECT THE CLUES TO SOLVE THE  
PUZZLE TO WIN AN EASTER TREAT!**

**\* CAKE SALE \* \* RAFFLE \***

# FODS Scarecrow Trail for families in the community...

This year the theme will be **‘PAIRS’** and will run on  
**Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> June & Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June 2019**

The idea is that you make one part of the pair, and people guess who/what the pair is Eg. you make a fish because the pair is Fish & Chips or you make a cat for the cat and the fiddle.

If you would like to make a scarecrow to stand somewhere in the village - this could be outside your house or looking out of a window please let us know. (If you don't live in Dilton we can organise a home for your scarecrow somewhere in the village.)

Scarecrow Trail sheets will be sold nearer the event.

Please complete the slip below if you would like to make a Scarecrow  
and return to the school office by Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May.  
(The earlier you reply the more likely you are to have your choice)

*Bill & Ben*

*Beauty & the Beast*

*Jack & the Beanstalk*

*Knife & Fork*

*Salt & Pepper*

*Tom & Jerry*

*Postman Pat & Jess*

*Romeo & Juliet*

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***Please return to:*** Dilton Marsh Primary School,  
High Street, Dilton Marsh, Westbury, Wiltshire  
Tel: 01373-822902  
[office@diltonmarsh.wilts.sch.uk](mailto:office@diltonmarsh.wilts.sch.uk)

**I will be making a Scarecrow ..... (Your name)**

**I will display it in .....(Street name) / I live outside Dilton.....**

**The pair will be .....**

**Contact Number.....**

**E-mail Address .....**