



DILTON MARSH C of E PRIMARY SCHOOL

FRIDAY NEWS

Friday 20th April 2018

Contact us:

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Website: www.diltonmarsh.wilts.sch.uk

School Registration times:

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



Dates for your Diary

April

Wed 25th

Oak Class Celebration Assembly

Wed 25th

Chestnut Class Swimming

May

Tue 1st

Deadline for Yr6 London residential final payment

Wed 2nd

Beech Class Celebration Assembly

Fri 4th

Deadline for Scarecrow makers

Mon 7th

Bank Holiday

Wed 9th

Chestnut Class Celebration Assembly

Fri 11th

Deadline for Yr5 Oxenwood residential payment

w/c 14th

KS2 SATS Week

Wed 16th

NO assembly

Tue 22nd

Oxenwood trip meeting for Year 5 at 3.15pm

Tue 22nd

5.30pm Year 6 Parents Meeting at Matravers

Wed 23rd

Willow Class Celebration Assembly

Thu 24th

Film Night

w/c 28th

Holiday

June

Mon 4th

Teacher Training Day

7th & 8th

Yr 5 Oxenwood residential

Fri 8th

Quiz Night

Sat 9th

Village Day/Flower Festival

Sat 16th & Sun 17th

Scarecrow Trail

Mon 25th

Junior Good Citizens for Year 6

Tue 26th

London trip meeting for Year 6 3.15pm

Wed 27th & Thu 28th

Matravers induction days for Yr6

Wed 28th

Matravers Parents Evening for Year 6

July

Mon 2nd – Wed 4th

Kingdown induction days

Tue 3rd

Kingdown Open Day (times to be confirmed)

Fri 6th

Summer Fayre

Thu 12th & Fri 13th

Yr 6 London residential

Wed 25th

Last day of term (12 o'clock finish)



Class Celebration Assembly

Our next Celebration Assembly is on Wednesday 25th April and will be Oak Class.

Please join us at 2.30pm.

House Point Scores

HAWK		151
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MERLIN		187
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FALCON		132
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KESTREL		112
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Last term the winners were Falcon, so £25 is on the way to Cancer Research



Treetops Breakfast Club

Monday-Friday

Open from 7.30am–8.30am

£4 a session

Forms are available on our website or from the office

Community Cohesion

Our Christian value for the month is:

Justice

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 Mr Sutherland from Hidden Woods



Freya, James, Millie & Madison entertained our guest with Beef Hotpot and vegetables followed by Pineapple Upside-Down Pudding & custard

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Westbury and District Cricket Club

Outdoor training will be starting this Friday 20th April at Leighton, 6pm start.

We are really short at the U11 age group (Years 5&6) and would love to see some new faces join us this year.

Games at this age group are on Monday nights and Sunday mornings in the local area.



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

This week:

Attendance: 96.5% Absence: 3.5%

Learning time lost this week: 11 days

Weekly Class Attendance Trophy

This week the winners are Cherry & Beech with 100% attendance

Congratulations



FRIDAY 8TH JUNE

More details next week

Please ensure snacks and packed lunches do not include nuts or nut products as we have a member of staff and a child with severe allergies.

Their allergies are so severe they would need an EpiPen followed by a hospital visit, so please help us prevent this.

Thank you for your co-operation.



Dilton Marsh Neighbourhood Plan – Rural Housing Needs Survey

You will hopefully have heard about the proposed Neighbourhood Plan for Dilton Marsh. The aim of a Neighbourhood Plan is to set out a vision for the village covering issues including housing, transport and environment – and how these aspirations will be achieved.

There were two public meetings in September 2017, which resulted in the formation of the Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group, which has now started work on producing the Plan. It is important to enable all residents to contribute their views and ideas, so there will be regular consultations to ensure that this happens.

The next major consultation is about to take place in the form of a Rural Housing Needs Survey. This questionnaire asks about current housing in the Dilton parish and the need for new houses, including affordable homes. Each household in Dilton Marsh will soon receive the survey through their letterbox. Please take the time to complete it as your views count. Once done, just return the form to Wiltshire Council in the pre-paid envelope supplied. You can also complete the survey online.

The closing date will be 29th May 2018. Wiltshire Council staff will then analyse your responses and produce a report which will be used to inform the Neighbourhood Plan. Members of the Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group – who are all volunteers - will be distributing the questionnaires by hand and will be happy to discuss further with you.

Should you need any help in completing them, please contact:

Kathy Hutt 01373 301656 Kathryn.hutt@live.co.uk

Sonja Harris 01373 464081 sonjakv@sky.com

David Middleton 07963 743215 dgmiddleton@live.co.uk

FODS (Friends of Dilton School)

June

Fri 8th
16th & 17th

Quiz Night
Scarecrow Trail

July

Fri 6th

Summer Fayre

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

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If you would like to make a scarecrow, please
inform the office as soon as possible.

Thank you



Sofia(9) Stefano(9)
Jessica S (5) Mia W(6)
Sophie(10)

On Wednesday, our Year 6 rugby team played
in the Frome Rugby Club Festival



“Everyone played very well indeed but a special mention must go to Chloe who scored 3 tries and was the most outstanding player in my opinion. Also, special thanks to Jacob’s mum who helped out during the day.” *Mark Higginson (Team Manager).*

Thank you very much to Mark Higginson for managing the team and to the family members who took and supported the children.



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

Quote of the month:



Dilton Marsh Memorial Hall

Registered Charity Number 305501 – A member of the Wiltshire Village Halls Association

AGM 2018

The Annual General Meeting of Dilton Marsh Memorial Hall will be held in the Main Hall on
Monday, April 30 at 7.30pm.

All residents of Dilton Marsh and Hall users are invited to attend.

The Annual Report and Accounts for 2017 will be presented and Trustees will be elected. Please come along and hear and express your views on how your village hall is run and see what it can offer.

AGENDA

1. Apologies
2. Minutes of the AGM April 12, 2017
3. Matters arising from the Minutes
4. Acting Chairman's Report
5. Treasurer's Report and Accounts for 2017
6. Election of Trustees
7. Any other business

We look forward to seeing you

Please place your dinner orders on



Achievements:

- James & Anna completed Stage 7 swimming
- Lucia has been awarded Badge 6 for gymnastics
- Madison H completed Dechox (giving up chocolate for a month) and has raised £70 so far

Congratulations to you all



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: Charlie

Cherry Class: Eliza & Hannah

Ash Class: Laurie

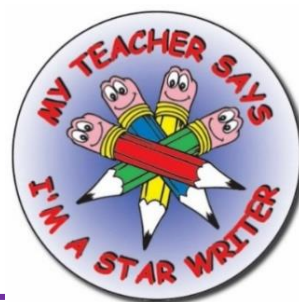
Willow Class: Erin

Chestnut Class: Daniel

Beech Class: Jess

Oak Class: Poppy

Congratulations to our 'Star Writers'



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: Tom & Hannah

Cherry Class: Alfie & Ayden

Ash Class: Oliver & Sebastian

Willow Class: Erin & River

Chestnut Class: Maddie & Grace C

Beech Class: Shannon & Baylee

Oak Class: Madison & Tom

Congratulations to our 'Shining Stars'



FODS Scarecrow Trail for families in the community...

This year the theme will be '**SPORTING EVENTS**' and will run on
Saturday 16th June & Sunday 17th June 2018



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 and the challenge will be to find each Scarecrow and guess the **Sporting Event**.

Please complete the slip below if you would like to make a Scarecrow and return to the school office by Friday 4th May.

(The earlier you reply the more likely you are to have your choice of Sporting Event)

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Please return to: Dilton Marsh Primary School. 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 Sporting Event will be

Contact Number.....

E-mail Address



After School Children's Art Class in
Bradford on Avon

Starts 3.40 -4.40. **BIRDS BIRDS BIRDS,**

Children will be taught how to draw, using line tone shape and form then drawing with inks and then making them out of clay birds and then painting them.

5 Week course £30 for the course.
Wednesdays 16th May, 23rd May, 6th June, 13th June, 20th June

Run by Lisa Metcalfe an experienced Art Teacher with a current DBS.

Contact Lisa on 07934696546 or
lisametcalfe41@gmail.com

katherinebowland@hotmail.co.uk NANCY

jenandsim@me.com EVA

Art Classes for Children



Saturday 5th May 2-4 'Pop Art Painting inspired by Andy Warhol' Children will look at the work of Andy Warhol and produce their own response to a repeat colour pop art painting, they can use images provided or bring their own **£12 Limited spaces**

Sunday 6th May 11-12, 2-3 and 3-4 FREE family mono printing (no booking required children must be with an adult)

Wednesday 9th May 3.30 -4.30 'Colourful Oil Pastels' Children will explore colour shape and pattern inside the shapes of Elephants **FREE Limited spaces**

**Contemporary Art and
Textiles Exhibition**

Huntingdon Gallery
28a Huntingdon Street BA15 1RF

Open from 11-6 everyday 5th May-13th May



**Come and join Lisa Metcalfe and Amanda Meaden
on Sunday 6th May 2-4 for afternoon drinks and nibbles.
You can browse or join in a little bit of printing. FREE ENTRY
Workshops throughout the event
<https://www.facebook.com/BA151RF/>**



**ART FOR TEENAGERS Sunday 10th June 10-1 Paint and print with fabric
paints and make your very own lampshade to take away on the day!**

This is aimed at 11-18 year olds, learn to print with paper cut stencils, found objects and painting techniques. Then use your print to make up your very own lampshade!

Excellent 'exploring materials and realisation' for GCSE coursework and building up your portfolio! Sunday 10th June 10-1 £37 limited spaces (if popular I will run an afternoon session too!)

Contact lisametcalfe41@gmail.com or 07934696546

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