

## **School Newsletter**

#### **Dear Parents**

There has been great excitement on the Infant site this week. Year 1 and 2 have made bug hotels and are eagerly awaiting various insects to come and live inside them. Eggs, in an incubator, have arrived in Foundation and there is much speculation about what the chicks are going to be like!

On the Junior site we had a Girls Only football day which was a great success, the pictures are on twitter. The Junior choir went to Aylesbury Methodist Church for their first mass rehearsal: the Echoes Concert at the Royal Albert Hall is only a few weeks away. Mrs Reed is delighted as our Morrisons 'Gardening Kit' for school that has arrived, so hopefully we'll start gardening club again soon.

We hope you found the Open Sessions helpful. We will arrange for this to happen in Foundation and year 4 before Easter.

Thank you to those parents who attended the Junior Family Service on Thursday. It was good to refocus on what is important to all of us - family and forgiveness.

I completely agreed with Rev Phil, the children have been amazing this week. Despite six members of staff being off and numerous children absent, they have coped very well. Not only do we have more cases of COVID, but chickenpox, sickness, and colds as well.

A number of Junior children have asked to do something to raise money for the children in Ukraine. Please look out for a parent mail early next week with their ideas.

Thank you to F4CADs for organising the school Disco last Friday. The children had a great time dancing, playing, and running around with their friends.

And finally - only at Cuddington and Dinton would you have a member of staff announce 'There's a pig in the carpark!' Thankfully it followed Mrs Carr back to its home. (See the school twitter)

Mrs Price

## Secondary School allocation

The year 6 children have had confirmation of their Secondary schools. They are going to Mandeville, Princes Risborough, Aylesbury High, Aylesbury Grammar, St Michaels, Waddesdon and Lord Williams.

## **Sports Matches**

Netball - two matches have been played since the last newsletter. We won against Greenridge last Friday 10:2. They only had 5 players and Blake stepped up and played for the other team.

Yesterday we played against Bedgrove and won 11:2; thank you to Freya for playing at the last minute.

#### **Uniform Sale**

F4CADs will be hosting a second-hand uniform sale on the Infant site on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> April. Hopefully you will be able to buy your summer uniform.

#### Easter Trail

F4CADs are hoping to organise an Easter trail in Dinton. This will take place over the Easter holidays. Please complete the survey monkey form if you are able to place a word/letter in your window (and live in Dinton).

## Reminder

If you child in Foundation/ Year 1 class has been selected to participate in the PHE National Dental check, please ensure you complete and return the parental consent form to the office before Wednesday (16th March) next week.

## **Important Dates -**

17th March – Infant Family Service

17th March - Gymnastics competition

18th March – Red Nose Day

23rd March - Juniors swimming Gala

29th March – Echoes Choir Concert at the Royal Albert Hall

1st April - F4CADS Second-hand uniform sale on infant site

7th April – Whole School Easter Service

8th April - Finish half day for Easter Holidays

#### Payments Open -

Morning and Night Owls Bookings Donations 2021 (Junior site food contributions) Year 6 Derby 2022 Residential Trip



#### **Stars**

Little Owls - Freddie and William

Yr 1 - Sophie and Louis

Yr 2 - Alice G and Imogen

Yr 3 - Ethan and Thea

Yr 4 - Bella and Ned

Yr 5 - Dillon and Ewan

Yr 6 - Archie Di and Jessica

## **Sports Stars**

Yr 5 - Genevieve

Yr 6 - Gabriel, Emma, Blake and Ross

#### **Science Stars**

Yr 1 - Henry

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