

Weekly Newsletter

Message from Mrs Wilde

Dear Parents and Carers,

I would like to encourage you to join us for the F4CADS annual Summer Party on Saturday, 17th May. This evening of fun entertainment is a great opportunity to celebrate our successful school, build our school community and raise funds to support your child's education.

Miss Webb hosted a <u>Phonics Screening parent get-together</u> this week where she shared hints and tips to support your child's phonological development and explained details about the upcoming Year 1 Phonics Check. The PowerPoint is shared on the website for those unable to attend.

The <u>Reading for Pleasure awards</u> were awarded today, with the winning photos going to Amayiah (YR) and Rosie (Y4). Congratulations to all the children who took part; pupils who completed a record of the books they read have been awarded certificates.

After half term, our PSHE units are covering topics within RSE (Relationships and Sex Education). Only our Year 6 children will receive sex education, with our younger children covering relationships and puberty education. If you would like to learn more about this, <u>please visit our</u> <u>PSHE page</u> where you will find our PSHE overview, our Relationships Policy and Sex Education Policy.

We are really looking forward to entering the Spirited Arts competition again this year! The children will be having an RE lesson where they learn about our topic for this year's competition which is 'Sacred Spaces'. They will then create a piece of art based on this theme during the arts day on Monday 19th May. Children may bring in any materials for collages or any other art materials if they would like to. The art will be exhibited in school after half term.

Good luck to our Year 6 pupils who are sitting the national SAT tests next week. The next time they sit public examinations will be their GCSE exams! Next week, we politely request that all junior children are at school on time as any late entrances will not be allowed into school until after 11.30am each day. All forgotten lunchboxes or PE kits are asked to be left in reception. We appreciate your understanding.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs Wilde Headteacher

School Uniform

We are somewhat concerned about several children not adhering to our school uniform policy. This may stem from growth spurts or misplacements. However, please ensure that all students are wearing the correct uniform and footwear, including plain black or white trainers for PE only. Thank you for your cooperation.

F4CADS

Our annual summer party is happening next weekend (17th May)! Tickets are selling fast so if you have not got yours yet, please log onto School Gateway this week and purchase. Don't feel you need to come in a group or with a partner, there will be lots of friendly faces there from the school community. Furthermore, weather forecasts are predicting a warm, sunny evening so do come and join us! See poster for more details.

Safeguarding

Thames Valley Cyber Protect team are inviting parents and carers to join engaging and informative Cyber Security training presentations. <u>Online Safety for Parents by Police - South</u> <u>East Cyber Crime Unit | Eventbrite</u>

These sessions will share easy-to-implement tips for parents/carers regarding theirs and their family's online behaviours and internet-enabled device usage. Key topics in the sessions include:

- 1. **Emails and mobile phones**: The art of spotting a scam lots of hints and tips to share with your children around phishing and other scams.
- 2. **Social media safety**: The risks around social engineering, disinformation, AI, privacy and hacked accounts.
- 3. **Gaming**: Understand what the risks are to young people when gaming, particularly online, and discover ways to monitor and restrict usage.
- 4. **Password mastery and Two-Factor Authentication (2FA)**: Helping you and your family to secure your accounts following best practice.

Chess Tournament

Princes Risborough Rotary club are holding their annual Chess tournament in June. Please see attached poster for more details.

Message from the Governors

The governors would like to take this opportunity to wish the Year 6 pupils all the best for their SATs. We are very proud of the pupils at Cuddington and Dinton school and we have no doubt the Year 6 pupils will take next week in their stride. We want to thank all the staff for their involvement in each child's learning journey and also to the parents for the support you give your children and the school.

Superstars of the Week

- YR Charlie and Rufus
- Y1 Max and Freya B
- Y2 Ellie and Sebastian
- Y3 Lydia, Vincent and Wilfred
- Y4 Eva and Henry
- Y5 Ava L and Eleri
- Y6 Jasper and Katie

• Values Leaf - Griff (Y2) and Ava L, Billie and Bonham (Y5)

House Points update

<u>Infants</u>

Hughenden: 126 Chequers: 152 Claydon: 132 Blenheim: 193

<u>Juniors</u>

Hughenden: 63 Chequers: 45 Claydon: 40 Blenheim: 59

Link to the School Calendar



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