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Newsletter

Friday 8th October 2021

Hello and welcome to another newsletter - this term seems to be flying by!

There was another return to 'normality' this week as we began KS1 and KS2 assemblies in the hall.

For all of reception and year 1, this was their first experience of assemblies in the hall and we were so proud of them - they sat and listened beautifully! We also returned to eating dinner in the school hall. This has been such an exciting experience for many this week, sitting and eating dinner in the hall and choosing what they can have rather than making the decision in the morning! We are so pleased to be moving back to our normal way of doing things! Miss Ford was certainly happy to be singing in assembly again!

We also had an exciting start to 'Space Week' this week with a visit from the planetarium and a virtual webinar with Konnie Huq! Today we are celebrating all things to do with our mental health with HelloYellow day! Thank you for your support with this! It has been wonderful to get back to the 'normal' way of doing things at D'Eyncourt and we hope it can continue!.



Mrs D Darby, Headteacher

Class Dojo



The winning classes last week were **Rec and 3/4B**

The winning classes this week were **1/2B and 3/4T**

Well done everyone!

Attendance

Last week the winning classes were **5/6H and 1/2H**

This week, the winning class was **3/4C**

Well done to these classes!

Celebrating Success Outside of School

Clifford, Ekam S - Football

Finley A - Rugby medal

Evie J - Gymnast of the week

Amelia C - Swimming

Dates for your diary



October 2021

13th - Year 6 SATs meeting 3.30-4.30pm (more information on reverse)

13th/14th - Year 3/4 trip to Molineux (Letters have gone home)

20th -Year 1/2 Black Country Living Museum Trip (more information to follow)

21st- Year 5/6 Harvest Assembly 9.15am

21st - School photographer in to take individual photographs (See letter on dojo)

22nd- Influenz Spray for children (Nurses in school all day)

22nd- Wear red day- showing racism the red card (more information to follow)

22nd-Reception 'Birthday Party' (more information to follow)

22nd- Break up for half term

November 2021

1st-Return to school

3rd-Year 1 Phonics meeting for parents 3.30 - 4.30pm (more information to follow)



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#HelloYellow - World Mental Health Day

Thank you all for wearing something yellow on our HelloYellow day today. The children participated in some important discussions raising awareness of mental health and sharing the important message that those with mental health are not alone. Through the school, the children spent the afternoon completing activities linked to supporting positive mental health. Remember, there is always someone here to talk to if you need a listening ear. Thank you for your donations!

Gardening Club request

Mr Taylor and the children attending gardening club have been busy clearing the remaining beds of the summer plants ready to plant the winter shrubs next week in the reading garden!

Except... we don't actually have any hardy winter plants or shrubs to put in! Could the kind parents of D'Eyncourt help us out once again? If you have any spare hardy plants or shrubs that will last in an exposed area throughout the winter that you really don't want, the Gardening Club would love any donations!

Harvest Festival Celebrations

On 21st October, Y5 and 6 will be performing their Harvest assembly. Any donations of tinned food or packaged products will be gratefully received from 18th October 2021. Any donations of fresh produce would be graciously received by the 21st October. All donations will be sent to the Good Shepherd Church. Thank you so much in advance.

Secondary School Admissions

The deadline is creeping closer to apply for secondary school admissions. Some schools are offering virtual tours so check out any websites of schools you are considering. Admissions must be completed by 31st October 2021. If you require further details please visit

www.wolverhampton.gov.uk/admissions



World Space Week

OCTOBER 4-10

National Space Week

This week has been National Space Week and on Monday we had an exciting event in school. A planetarium visited and all of the children had the opportunity to experience the wonder of space. Everyone had the chance to explore the solar system from the comfort of our own school hall! The children got to sit back and relax, some even lay down whilst they got to watch clips all about space. They loved learning all about the different planets and seeing what space looks like - it was truly an experience to remember.

We also experienced a live webinar with author and presenter Konnie Huq, which was enjoyed by all. In classes, there have been lots of space activities going on with making rockets, learning about astronauts and looking at the planets themselves. It has been a wonderful way to encourage the children to investigate science.



Beat the Street Winners!

This week, we received our trophy and certificate from the Beat the Street competition that we completed over the summer. We have also won £250 worth of sports vouchers for school which is brilliant! Once again, we just want to say a huge thank you for your support with this initiative and we will keep you updated with any more competitions that run in the local community!

Year 6 SATs Meeting - Wednesday 13th October 3.30pm

This is an opportunity for parents to gain a greater understanding as to the expectations of Year 6 and the process for preparing pupils for the SATs tests. The SATs will take place during week commencing 9th May 2022 and we would ask parents to ensure that no holidays or other leave is booked during this week. We look forward to seeing you all at the meeting.

Year 6 Booster sessions

To support our pupils in Year 6 to prepare for their SATs tests, the Year 6 team will start SATs Booster Groups at 8.00am every Wednesday (Maths) and Thursday (English) mornings. All year 6 pupils are welcome to attend. Pupils should come through the main school reception by the office to gain access. The sessions will start on Wednesday 13th October 2021.

