



# D'EYNCOURT

PRIMARY SCHOOL

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# Newsletter

Friday 28th June 2024

## Class Dojo



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

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Well done to these classes!

## Attendance

The winning class last week was **3/4C** with **96.7%**

The winning class this week was **Rec C** with **98.3%**

Well done!

## Celebrating Success

Noah F, Elijah S - Karate

Royshun - Tutoring award

Josh D - Taekwondo

Kian D - Swimming

## Tidy Classroom

3/4RB and 1/2M

I can't quite believe that July begins next week although it has been lovely to feel a bit warmer this week with summer arriving just in time for Sports Day! This time of year is always busy in school but we have lots to look forward to the next few weeks with many exciting things happening - transition days, productions, reception graduation and, of course, our end of year celebrations. We also had class photographs today which you will be able to purchase. We will let you know when they are available for order.

Our Sports Days this week were a huge success - the weather although hot was beautiful and it was so nice to see so many parents and carers coming along to support these events. Thank you for supporting our policy of not taking photographs. We have a number of children in school whose pictures cannot be seen in the public domain and we have to respect their privacy at all times and safeguard them when in school.

At this time of year, the heat can make things uncomfortable in school. Please ensure that you do the following for your children: Provide a full water bottle each day. They will be able to refill this in school as often as they need. Apply sun cream before they attend school. Provide a named sunhat or cap to protect them from the sun. Thank you for your support



Mrs D Darby, Headteacher

## Dates for your diary

### July 2024

**1st - 5th** - Year 6 Transition days at new Secondary schools

**3rd** - Whole school transition day in new classes

**4th** - General Election Polling Day - School closed to pupils - Remote learning

**5th** - Year 6 Leavers' party - D'EynFest - 3.30-5.30pm

**10th** - Year 5/6 Production 9.30am and 1.30pm

**11th** - Year 5 visit to Heath Park to watch their Showcase (more details to follow)

**12th** - Bastille Day - Activities in school

**15th** - Reports out to parents/carers via Class Dojo

**16th** - Reception Graduation am - More information to follow

**16th** - End of year discos - KS1 1.30-2.30pm KS2 3.10-4.30pm

**17th** - Rock Steady Concert 2pm - More information to follow

**18th** - Year 6 Leavers' Assembly 9.30am - More information to follow

**19th** - Last day of the year - children break up at 1pm (No Afterschool Club)

**22nd** - INSET day - school closed for pupils



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### Year 5 Trip to Cosford

Year 5 thoroughly enjoyed their visit to Cosford yesterday. The children enjoyed visiting the museum and expanded their knowledge of WWII by seeing planes that were involved in the Battle of Britain on both sides. They also had the opportunity to explore how the Cold War affected Britain and how military technology advanced during this period. The staff at Cosford praised year 5 for their polite behaviour whilst on site. Well done everyone!



### Beauty and the Beast

It's not long now until years 5 and 6 are ready to perform 'Beauty and the Beast' as their end-of-year production! They have been rehearsing, ready to astound you with a mix of acting, singing and dancing and it is sounding amazing!

To ensure everyone is safely accommodated, we are putting on two showings on Wednesday 10th July, once at 9:30am and again at 1:45pm. The capacity of the hall is 90 people for each showing so we are allocating 2 tickets per child, which can be used at either the morning or afternoon performance or 1 at each if you wish! We will also be recording the event and putting it on our home learning portal for you to watch again and again!

*To reserve your place at either performance please call the office to request which performance you require and we will send tickets home.*

### Staff leaving

We are very sad to let you know that we have one staff member retiring at the end of the year. Mrs Simmonds, who works as a lunchtime supervisor and in our care club, will be leaving D'Eyncourt to enjoy her retirement. Although we will miss her, we wish her well.

### Ice Lolly sale!

Thank you for your incredible support for the ice lolly sale that we held yesterday. We raised over £200 for school funds which is amazing! **We will be holding another sale on Monday 1st July straight after school.**

### Remote Learning Day - Polling Day

Thursday 4th July is polling day and school will be closed as it is being used as a polling station. Remote learning will be available on Class Dojo.



### Sports Days

This week, we have seen the whole school compete in their Sports days! We enjoyed some glorious weather and it was very useful to have the marquees which protected the children as much as possible. We enjoyed two fabulous days of sport though- it was brilliant to see so many parents and carers at school supporting these events. There is nothing better than seeing the children's faces light up when they see their parents/carers in the crowd. The children performed amazingly and we saw some great races. It was also lovely this year to see so many acts of sportsmanship with children supporting one another and genuinely celebrating their successes. Well done to all of the children for taking part and thank you parents and carers for supporting us!



### Transition

Next week, a number of our year 6 children will be completing their transition days at their new high schools. We hope they enjoy their experience and feel prepared for their journey to secondary education. We will also be holding our in-school transition day next Wednesday, where children will be able to visit their new class and meet their new teacher for the day.

### World Music Day

We had an amazing World Music day this year! The children looked wonderful dressed up in their decade and we were truly blown away by some of the costumes. The musical instrument competition was incredible too! A huge well done to all who made costumes, instruments and dressed to impress!

The musical instrument winners were: Reception- Reuben, KS1- Ivy-Rae, KS2- Piper. The Best Dressed winners were: Reception- Nyla dressed as Cilla Black, KS1- Amelia S dressed as ABBA, KS2- Niall D dressed as

Freddie Mercury

Thank you for your support!



### Eco-Committee Top 5 tips for the week

Here are this week's top 5 tips:

- ◆ Before throwing something away, you could check if it could be mended first, before creating more waste.
- ◆ You could try buying your shopping locally, as this will reduce your carbon footprint.
- ◆ Instead of using single use plastics, you could try using reusable alternatives such as, metal water bottles.
- ◆ Remember, we are working with Terracycle and we accept your hard-to-recycle items, please bring them to school and add them to our bins.
- ◆ If you have got too much food left over in your fridge, instead of throwing it away, why don't see if you can freeze it and eat it another time.