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"Achievement for All, Learning Together, Learning for Life"

NEWSLETTER 21  
Friday 4<sup>th</sup> March 2016

### Parent's Consultation Evenings

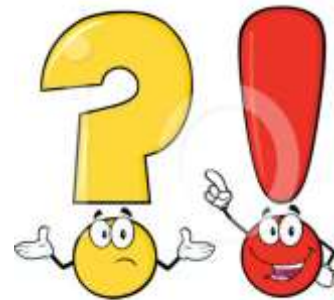
Parent's evenings are scheduled for Monday 14<sup>th</sup> March 4pm to 6pm and Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> March 4pm to 6pm.

Appointment booking forms are on the hatch in the sports hall lobby area. Please sign up for your preferred time slot.

This is an extremely important part of your child's education. If you are unable to attend on either of these two dates, please contact the school office to make a separate appointment.

### Parent Forum

The Parent Forum meeting on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> March will focus on the latest SATs information and a workshop on Grammar and Punctuation teaching and learning.



### Guitar Lessons

If any children are interested in having guitar lessons, please ask for further details in the school office.



### Parent Awareness

A case of scarlet fever has been confirmed in Beech class. The recommendation is that children can return to school 24 hours after starting appropriate antibiotic treatment. If you have any concerns, please consult your GP.

## Book Day

"Yesterday we had a World Book Day at school. We all dressed up as our favourite characters from our favourite books and took part in different activities in our classrooms.

Sycamore and Willow classes enjoyed writing scripts and doing role play based on their characters. Beech Class wrote stories about their characters but pretended they were living a long time ago when the dinosaurs were around! Oak Class enjoyed writing about their characters and sharing their favourite stories.

In the assembly, the teachers dressed up as Harry Potter characters and acted out some role play. Mrs Winchester and Miss Roberts were villains and the other teachers were the professors and teachers. Mr Procter was Professor Dumbledore and led the assembly!

We really enjoyed it and look forward to doing it all again next year!"



*Cruella DeVil, The Gruffalo and Cinderella*



*The Staff and children at 'Hogwarts'*



*Belle, Where's Wally? and Lucius and Draco Malfoy*

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## School Uniform

Please can parents check their child/ren's school uniform regularly to ensure you have not taken another child's uniform home accidentally. If you have, please can items be returned to the lost property box in the PFCS kitchen (in the school hall entrance). Thank you!

## Learning Powers Certificate

On **Friday 11<sup>th</sup> March** in our celebration assembly at 9.25am the following children will be celebrating their achievements. Please come along if you are free.

Oak - Jimmy Tame

Beech - Tommy Tame

Willow - Summer Hallett

Sycamore - Quinn Teague



## Attendance

The National target for attendance is 96.1%. Our school target is 97% and our attendance percentages for this school year to date are:

Present	95.6%
Authorised absences	4.2%
Unauthorised absences	0.2%

## Class Attendance Figures

for this week are:

Oak Class	100%
Beech Class	94.4%
Willow Class	98.5%
Sycamore Class	98.0%

## The attendance award goes to...

Oak class!



## Top Table winner:

### **GREECE (9 points)**

Cassidy Peterson

Megan Sowden

Mason Dain

Molly Purdie

Alfie Karip

Kye Spriggs-Morgan

The runner up this week is Italy  
with 7 points

### Diner of the Week:

Ruby Stonestreet





## Chiddingly Stars of the Week are:



Conner (Oak) - for counting to 100 in 10's and back!

Sienna-Rose (Oak) - for an excellent tally chart and bar chart about vehicles passing the school.

Olivia and Kodie (Oak) - for fabulous writing about their Book Day characters, Cruella DeVil and The Gruffalo.

Harvey and Mason (Beech) - for  $\times$  and  $\div$  using arrays.

Freya (Sycamore) - for writing a fantastic information text about mountains.

William (Sycamore) - for his amazing descriptive writing using a range of punctuation.

Ella (Sycamore) - for great writing of a fantastic script.

Alfie, Allannah and Lottie (Sycamore) - for amazing, descriptive writing.

Well done everyone!



## This Week's House Points:



Big Ben 191



London Eye 271



Buckingham Palace 259

## This week's House Point winner is:

London Eye!

## Dates for your diary 2016

### March

- 11<sup>th</sup> Non Uniform Day  
14<sup>th</sup> Parent Consultation Meetings, 4-6pm  
15<sup>th</sup> *Parent Forum Meeting, 9 - 9.25am*  
16<sup>th</sup> Parent Consultation Meetings, 4-6pm  
18<sup>th</sup> PFCS Easter Fair, 3pm in the School Hall  
22<sup>nd</sup> Willow Class - Football Tournament at Ringmer  
24<sup>th</sup> End of Term 4 Celebration, 2.30pm

### April

- 11<sup>th</sup> Start of Term 5  
20<sup>th</sup> Parent Forum Meeting, 9 - 9.25am  
21<sup>st</sup> Years 4, 5 & 6 Netball Tournament at Firle School  
28<sup>th</sup> Bags2School Collection

### May

- 25<sup>th</sup> Awe & Wonder Celebration, 2.30pm  
26<sup>th</sup> End of Term 5  
27<sup>th</sup> INSET DAY

### June

- 6<sup>th</sup> Start of Term 6  
14<sup>th</sup> Parent Forum Meeting, 9 - 9.25am  
23<sup>rd</sup> Beech Class - Multiskills at Framfield

### July

- 7<sup>th</sup> Sports Day  
8<sup>th</sup> Table Tennis Tournament at East Hoathly  
8<sup>th</sup> School Reports sent out to Parents  
12<sup>th</sup> Parent Consultation Meetings to discuss reports only, 4-6pm

- 14<sup>th</sup> Summer Production, 2pm & 6.30pm  
21<sup>st</sup> Leaver's Service, 2pm and End of Term 6  
22<sup>nd</sup> INSET DAY  
24<sup>th</sup> Ground Force Day, 10am - 2pm



Any amendments or additions to the diary are in *italics*.

## Community Corner

'Clean for the Queen' is a national initiative encouraging all communities to organise litter picking teams in their area. On Saturday morning, 5<sup>th</sup> March, the Chiddingly team will be out in force. Bags, litter-pickers and hi-vis jackets are provided and for more information on how to get involved, please contact Beryl Marchant on 01825 872998 who is Chiddingly's organiser.



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## **Non-Uniform Day**

Next Friday, 11<sup>th</sup> March, children may come to school in their own clothes in exchange for bringing in an Easter egg. The Easter eggs will be prizes for the chocolate tombola at the Easter Fair on 18<sup>th</sup> March so, the more eggs we receive, the more funds we can raise for our school!



## **Easter Bonnet/Hat Competition**

Get creative and decorate an Easter bonnet or hat to be judged at the Easter Fair on 18<sup>th</sup> March. Prizes will be awarded for our favourite bonnet/hat in both KS1 and KS2.

