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

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Drone Demonstration

Last week Willow Class enjoyed the demonstration by Mr Allan and Mr James of their flying drone camera which gave the children a bird's eye view of the school and playground!





Dance Workshop

The whole school had a dance workshop this morning with Universal Dance. Each class has a session and put together a short routine. We learnt some interesting moves and thoroughly enjoyed the experience!







Paradise Park Trip

Beech class joined the Year 1 and 2 children from East Hoathly to visit Paradise Park in Newhaven. We went to learn about dinosaurs for our topic. We went on a dinosaur safari, learnt lots of facts and looked at fossils. We even had a ride on the miniature train around the park! The staff are very proud of all the children whose excellent behaviour was commented on by other visitors to Paradise Park.









SKiL CIC Young Ambassadors

Springing Kids into Life believe that children should be included in the decisions that happen in school physical activity. These pupils will be the main contact for SKiL in their class and will assist to promote and engage more pupils in the SKiL sessions. The main objective is to get More Kids, More Active, More Often!

The role of the SKiL Ambassador will involve:

- finding out what activities pupils want for clubs
- what activities they would enjoy in a holiday academy
- assisting with the younger year groups to engage and motivate them to enjoy physical activity
- assist with assemblies to promote the clubs and academies
- help motivate their school friends to be more involved in out of school activities
- to communicate these findings to the SKiL teachers at Chiddingly

The pupils chosen to take on this new role have been selected because of their commitment and engagement in SKiL clubs and they are:

Sycamore - Allanah Dowling and Naomi Oakley

Willow - Ria Dowling and Jocelyn Jeary
Beech - Jesse Joss and Violet Searle

Congratulations to you all, this is a fantastic achievement!

Football Club

There are still places available if your child is interested in joining the after school football club. The club runs on Tuesdays for year groups 1 - 6 from 3:30 - 4:30 and costs £24 for 6 weeks.

Please see the flyer attached for further information and booking details.



Italian Inspired Menu

On Thursday 21st January the school menu will be Italian inspired and the choices will be as follows:

Meatball Sub Roll

(Italian style meatballs in a sub roll, served in a rich tomato sauce and grated cheese on the side)

Quornball Sub Roll (v)

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Macaroni Cheese (v)

On the side...
Jacket Wedges
Fresh Vegetable Cous Cous
Diced Tomato and Cucumber Salad

For dessert...

Vanilla Ice Cream served with
an Italian Biscuit



Chiddingly Stars of the Week are:



Conner (Oak) - for amazing independent writing.

Cameron (Oak) - for excellent independent writing using his letter sounds.

Lottie, Jess and Chloe (Beech) - for their detailed drawings of a Pteranodon with great use of shading.

Lacie (Beech) - for being particularly kind and helpful and showing everyone a great example of what Chiddingly pupils do!

Ashleigh (Beech) - for excellent research and writing about dinosaurs and fossils.

Neo (Beech) - for excellent fraction work and for not giving up.

Finley (Willow) - for excellent concentration in Maths.

Violet (Willow) - for her excellent pictograms in Maths.

Kye, Jack, Matty, Jessica, Quinn and Lilian (Sycamore) - for excellent storyboards for 'The Fantastic Flying Books of Mr Morris'.

Haydn, Joshua, Quinn, William and Mia-Rose (Sycamore) - for their excellent Iron Man stories.

Well done everyone!



This Week's House Points:



Big Ben 65



London Eye 146



Buckingham Palace 114

This week's winner is:

London Eye!

Learning Powers Certificate

On <u>Friday 22nd January</u> in our celebration assembly at 9.25am the following children will be celebrating their achievements. Please come along if you are free.

Oak - Conner Smith

Beech - Nicole Parsons

Willow - Amie Simes

Sycamore - Oliver Champion



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	96.0%
Authorised absences	3.9%
Unauthorised absences	0.1%

Class Attendance Figures

for this week are:

Oak Class	100%
Beech Class	98.1%
Willow Class	98.8%
Sycamore Class	95.0%

The attendance award goes to...

Oak class!



Top Table winner:

ITALY (10 points)

Amber Richards-Forsey
Chloe Brown
Callum Ottaway
Jimmy Tame
Michael Winchester

The runners up were Mexico (8 points) and Japan (7 points)

Diner of the Week:

Quinn Teague



Missing Uniform

A brand new adult size school jumper went missing at the end of last term. The jumper was clearly named so please could everyone check their child/ren's school jumpers and return any to the school office which may have been taken home accidentally. Thank you.



Dates for your diary 2016

January

26th Sycamore Class - Benchball Tournament at Alfriston School

February

1st Willow Class - Gym & Dance Workshop at Chiddingly

12th End of Term 3 Celebration, 2.30pm

March

3rd Book Day

4th Years 2, 3 & 4 Hockey Tournament at Blackboys

8th Parent Forum Meeting, 9 - 9.25am

14th Parent Consultation Meetings, 4-6pm

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22nd Willow Class - Football Townsment

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24th End of Term 4 Celebration, 2.30pm

April

20th Parent Forum Meeting, 9 - 9.25am
21st Years 4, 5 & 6 Netball Tournament
at Firle School

<u>May</u>

25th Awe & Wonder Celebration, 2.30pm 27th INSET DAY

<u>June</u>

14th Parent Forum Meeting, 9 - 9.25am

23rd Beech Class - Multiskills at Framfield

July

7th Sports Day

8th Table Tennis Tournament at East Hoathly

8th School Reports sent out to Parents

12th Parent Consultation Meetings to discuss reports only, 4-6pm

14th Summer Production, 2pm & 6.30pm

21st Leaver's Service, 2pm

22nd INSET DAY

24th Ground Force Day, 10am - 2pm



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

Community Corner

Chiddingly Festival proudly present 'Hansel & Gretel the Panto' at Chiddingly Village Hall. Details as follows:

Saturday 23rd January

Matinee 2:30pm (£5 per ticket) Evening 7:30pm (£8 per ticket)

Sunday 24th January
Matinee 3.00pm (£5 per ticket)

Box Office: 01825 872401 www.chiddinglyfestival.co.uk



Open day!

Saturday 6th February 2016 Laughton Village Hall

Play and chat to staff and parents.

See our wonderful garden and IT resources.

Find out if we're the one for your child!

10am -12 noon

www.rlpeandlaughtonpreschool.org.uk Ofsted registered. Charity no: 1048467



After School Clubs - Online Booking Now Live! www.albioninthecommunity.org.uk/schools

Albion in the Community (AITC) have launched a new online booking system and are now accepting bookings for an after school club for all abilities at your school. All sessions are designed to encourage young people to develop skills and have fun in a safe environment.

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After School **Football** Club – Tuesday 05/01, 12/01, 19/01, 26/01, 02/02, 09/02 Years 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6

15-10-10:10 3.30 - 4.30

Cost: £24.00 for 6 weeks

Course includes:

- Basic techniques, drills, fun games and small-sided matches
- · FA qualified coaches
- · Sports equipment provided

Children just need to bring:

- Outdoor PE kit appropriate to weather; sunhat & sunscreen if sunny
- · Trainers / boots
- Plenty to drink

Learn Skills,
Make Friends,



Book Online at www.albioninthecommunity.org.uk/schools

Please note that all bookings must be placed via the website for this course