



KEY INFORMATION FOR THE WEEK

I do hope you found our 'Meet the Teacher' meetings useful this week. I was delighted that so many of you were able to attend but for those of you unable to come along, class newsletter setting out among other things areas of the curriculum your child will be tackling will be published on the school website next week.

Information collection forms confirming contact details and medical information for your child should be returned to the school office as soon as possible and, on this note, please do be careful to observe our no nut policy. This week your child has been encouraged to bring a healthy snack for break time so if you could help them to select fruit or vegetables it would be most helpful.

Next week in House Meetings, with House Captains yet to be chosen, our Year 6 children will be campaigning for votes. The outcome of elections will be published in due course. In the meantime, if you have a child in Key Stage Two, they may be interested in putting themselves forward as Eco-Council Rep. Mrs. Brown outlined her plans for setting up an Eco-Council in assembly on Thursday and this has already captured the imagination of many. News about when elections will take place will be published in due course.

Many clubs began this week and next week Mrs. Laraine Brown will be launching Junior and Senior Choir. Both meet before school at 8am, Junior Choir on Tuesday and Senior Choir on Thursday. Please see the attached flyer for more details.

As most of you seem to be aware, handovers once clubs have finished take place from the school reception with the exception of football and rugby club. Children attending these two clubs will be handed over to you at the side gate. Please do ensure you arrive promptly to collect your child. If your child is older and you are willing for them to walk home from school on their own, please do ensure you inform us in writing.

The first swimming session for Year 3 children at the Magnet Leisure Centre went well this week. With the next lesson on Thursday, please do ensure you send your child to school with the correct kit as outlined in the letter you have already received.

I do hope you have seen the letter about Science Week. If you are able to deliver a science based workshop during the week beginning Monday 8th October do speak to Mrs. Cornwell who will be delighted to hear from you.

With the office now cash free the only means of paying for events is using your Scopay account. If you have not yet signed up to this system, please pop into the office where the office staff will be happy to guide you through the process. If you wish to purchase a ticket for the school disco on Friday, please follow the instructions on the flyer that went out advertising it.

Finally let me draw your attention to the next 4th@4 Family Service at Cookham Dean Church. This will be on 23rd September. A flyer is attached for your information.

Anna Smith



Cygnets Class – Sophia Mellors – for settling so well, listening so attentively and showing a keenness to learn

Swan Class – Lyla Elliott – for excellent listening and for always doing her best

Kingfisher Class – Olivia Jarvis – for making every effort to create a brilliant learning atmosphere

Gosling Class – Kyan Kandohla – for rising to the challenge of Year 3 with outstanding focus and effort

Teal Class – Daisy Mizelli – for her dedication to practising her violin which has resulted in her being awarded distinction in her Grade 1 examination

Cormorant Class – India Dickinson – for the determined approach she has shown to learning so far this term

Moorhen Class – Ollie Leaf – for outstanding accuracy in mathematics along with his polite and kind personality

MONTHLY CALENDAR DATES

17th Sept – Rec –First School Photo (Maidenhead Advertiser)

18th Sept – NSPCC assembly and sponsored event

19th Sept – Individual school photos to be taken

21st Sep – All - PTA Children's School Disco

24th-27th Sep – Year 6 – Bikeability Course - POSTPONED

26th Sept – Yr.3 Road Safety presentation

27th Sept – Yr. 5 & 6 Netball Match (home)

28th Sept – MacMillan cake sale

2nd Oct – All - School Harvest Festival service at Holy Trinity Church – details to follow

2nd Oct – PTA – Cheese and Wine AGM (8pm)

5th Oct – Year 5 & 6 trip to the Henley Literary Festival

7th Oct – Holy Trinity Church Sunday Service 10:30am – (children to wear school uniform)

8th to 12th October – Science Week