



Eton Wick C of E First School

NEWSLETTER 3 - 2019/2020

Friday 27th September 2019

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OCTOBER 2019

2nd October: Individual/sibling photographs
2nd October: Meeting for Year 1 parents about Phonics Screening at 2:45pm
3rd October: Harvest Festival Church Service led by Sapphire Class at 9:30am
3rd October: FoEWS AGM at 2.30pm
4th October: Fun Friday Cake Sale led by Year 1
10th October: FoEWS Movie Night 3:30pm – 5:00pm for Reception, Year 1 and 2
11th October: FoEWS Movie Night 3:30pm – 5:00pm for Year 3 and 4
17th October: Express day Year 4 at 2.00pm
21st October: Book Fair Week
24th October: Express day Year 1 at 2.30pm
25th October: Express day Year 2 at 9.30am and Year 3 at 2.30pm

TERM ENDS ON FRIDAY 25th OCTOBER AT 3:15pm

HEADTEACHERS MESSAGE

This week I have enjoyed being in each classroom, looking at books and listen to the children articulate their learning.

We are looking forward to our Cornerstones Express days, when the children will be showcasing their learning to you. Please make a note of the dates, and if you aren't able to make it, other relatives, close family friends are definitely welcome!

Express Days

| | Autumn 1 | Autumn 2 |
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| EYFS | 4 th December at 9:00am | |
| Year 1 | 24 th October at 2:30pm | 18 th December at 2:30pm |
| Year 2 | 25 th October at 9.30am | 17 th December at 2.00pm |
| Year 3 | 25 th October at 2:30pm | 19 th December at 2:30pm |
| Year 4 | 17 th October at 2.00pm | 12 th December 2:15pm |

Miss Waller

FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT

On Monday 23rd September Mr Pitcher chose 9 players to play a football tournament. We played at St George's School. There was a blue group and a red group. We were in red group and we played against Furze Platt, St George's and Oldfield. In the first game Oldfield 0-0 Eton Wick, St George's 0-2 Eton Wick, Furze Platt 0-1 Eton Wick. The final Oldfield 0-2 Eton Wick!

We won the tournament; Jack got most improved player and Zachy got most valuable player.

We all had great fun and we were super happy when we won, and we were really proud of ourselves.

By Phoebe Novell and Jack King

A HUGE well done to the whole team: Oscar Macnamara, Cody Greenwood, Barney Farmer, Jack King, Phoebe Novell, Jasmine Reece, Zachary Smart, Owais Naseem and Alfie Williams



SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS

Tempest the school photographer will be in next week Wednesday 2nd October to take individual/sibling photographs.

FoEWS AGM

FoEWS AGM is being held on Thursday 3rd October at 2:30pm. Please come and hear about the achievements for last year, share new ideas, and vote in our committee for this academic year.

MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING

Thank you to the parents who attended the coffee morning today and for their donations. We will let you know next week the total that has been raised for Macmillan Cancer Nurses.

PAPERWORK!!

Data collection sheets, photographic consent forms, off-site forms (no off-site for Sapphire or Diamond classes) were sent out earlier in the term. Thank you to those parents who have already sent the forms back into school. If you have not done so please fill in the forms and send back into school as soon as possible.

Parents if your mobile number changes please let the front office know as soon as possible as the school do text more to contact parents.



HARVEST FESTIVAL SERVICE

This takes place next Thursday 3rd October at 9.30am in the church and will be presented by Sapphire class. Their parents are invited to join us and we also welcome any other parents and friends. We will be collecting dry goods, tins and jars. Biscuits and packets of cereal are particularly well received. Children may bring in their contributions and hand them to class teachers or they may be brought to the front of the school week commencing 30th September. Please ensure that you check sell-by-dates.



COATS

As the weather is unpredictable, we would ask you to send your child in with a jacket. We do take every opportunity to go outside and a jacket is sometimes needed as it can still be chilly outside.

CAKE SALES DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR

Our new curriculum is topic based, which means that all classes will participate in more trips out of school; this might be a village walk or a trip to a museum. To help facilitate the cost of the smaller trips we are planning to hold class cake sales and a whole school second hand book sale in the week of World Book Day.

Each class will hold one sale this academic year. We hope that parents from the class whose turn it is will bake and/or donate cakes to sell and help to sell the products at the end of the day. The sale will be held at the end of the school day at 3.15pm.

The first one is next Friday 4th October at 3.15pm and will be led by Quartz class.

The rest are scheduled for:

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| Sapphire | Friday 8 th November |
| Diamond | Friday 10 th January |
| Opal | Friday 7 th February |
| Whole School | Friday 6 th March (Second Hand Book Sale) |
| EYFS | Thursday 2 nd April |



ADVANCED WARNING – ROAD CLOSURE

Dorney - Cattle Grid Cattle Grid Replacement Maintenance Works

We have been informed by Bucks County Council that they will be closing the B3026 Common Road for approximately two weeks commencing **Monday 21st October**, for maintenance work on the Bucks Cattle Grid.

The second week of work falls into our half term break, although we are still in school for the first week of the closure.

There will be no access to and from Eton Wick from Dorney during this time which will have a significant impact on our community.

To help get your children into school and allow for your onward journey we will offer an early drop off for parents during this time who normally use this route.

Please contact us if you think you will be affected and need to drop your child off early or if you think you may need a later collection time at the end of the day.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to come and talk to us.

PUPIL OF THE WEEK

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| Quartz: | Bob Cardoe |
| Sapphire: | Austin Wilson |
| | Lily Brench |
| Diamond: | Maliq Vanterpool |
| Opal: | Taylor Marshall |



LUNCHTIME AWARD

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| KS1: | Henry Wallace |
| KS2: | Taylor Marshall |

WINNING HOUSE

ST ANDREW

ATTENDANCE

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| Topaz: | 96.8% |
| Emerald: | 100% |
| Quartz: | 100% |
| Sapphire: | 97% |
| Diamond: | 97.6% |
| Opal: | 98.2% |

GOLDEN BOOK

English: Kiera Siddall, Leo Quantrill-King and AJ Paterson

Science: Alfie Williams and Dante D'Aquisto-Robbins

RE: Cody Greenwood, Eleanor Cardoe, Annabella Jahja, Maya Jablonska, Aami Asif, Oscar Macnamara and Cameron Harris.



PRAYER

Dear God
Thank you for the many ways in which we grow.
Thank you for the people who help us grow.
Amen