

Dudley House School

Newsletter – 19th June 2024



Dear Parents,

What's Been Happening

Tennis Tournament – Thursday 13th June

Well done to the children who represented the school in the tennis tournament last week. They showed excellent sportsmanship, determination and perseverance. The boys did particularly well, winning many of their matches. Well done to all those represented the school.

Arts Week

The children have immersed themselves in art, drama and music activities for Sky Arts week. What a lot of creative children we have!

Art Exhibition – Wednesday 19th June

We hope that you enjoyed taking part in all the various art activities and seeing all the wonderful work that the children created. It was lovely to see how proud the children were when they showed you around, but also the enjoyment of people being creative together.

Thank you very much for your support and a big thank you to all the children and staff who worked so hard to produce an amazing art exhibition. We were delighted that so many of you could come, as well as friends and families, governors and members of our community who also enjoyed the exhibition.

Future Events

Rounders Tournament – Thursday 20th June

Tomorrow, the children in Class 3 and 4 will be taking part in a rounder's tournament at school.

Music Day – Friday 21st June

To finish off our arts week the children will be listening to, composing and using instruments to create their own music.

Trip to Belton – Monday 24th June

Just a reminder that children need to be at school by 8:30 on Monday ready to walk to the bus station. They will need just their packed lunch and drink of water with them.

As the weather is forecast to be warmer and sunny on Monday, children can either come to school in their blue school tracksuit for the trip to Belton, or their PE kit (navy shorts and white DHS t-shirt – this will be sent home on Thursday so that it can be washed). They will also need to bring their blue tracksuit top as well and a sunhat.

Please can sun cream be applied before the children come to school.

Class 1 Seaside Day – Tuesday 2nd July (provisionally depending on the weather)

Mrs Eason is planning a 'Seaside Day', where children can come dressed in beachwear (shorts and t-shirts) and take part in different summer crafts, fun games and activities as well as a sandcastle competition. More details to follow.

Sports Day – Thursday 4th July at 1:45pm

Our school sports day is scheduled for Thursday 4th July at 1:45pm, where the children will take part in a variety of races.

Parents are welcome to watch. We will open the side gate for you at 1:40pm. Please make your way up to the field at the rear of the school, where seats will be provided. If you arrive after the side gate has been closed, please come through the main front door.

Children can be collected from their external classroom doors after the sports activities are finished.

Family Fun Day – Sunday 7th July

We are running a stall in Dysart Park to promote the school and raise funds from 11am to 4pm. Your help is needed. If you are able to help in any way, please let us know.

Summer Performance – Wednesday 17th July

All the children have started learning songs for our end of term production. Make sure that you save the date, as well as inviting family and friends to our summer performance in the church at 6pm.

Celebration Assembly - Friday 19th July at 8.50am

All parents and families are invited to attend this special service, to celebrate the achievements that have been made by all our pupils this academic year. This will be held in the school hall.

Information

Names in clothes

Please ensure that all your child's clothes are clearly labelled with their name so that we can ensure they can be reunited with the rightful owner.

Staff Changes

Mrs Eason will be moving house in the summer to be near her family in Essex and so will sadly be leaving us at the end of term. We will be really sorry to see her go as she is a valued member of our school family, but wish her and her family all the very best.

Mrs Camm, an experienced EYs and KS1 teacher will be joining us in September and will be spending the day with the children in class 1 next week to start to get to know them.

Leaving Gift

During our celebration assembly, we will be thanking Mrs Eason for her service to the school. If you would like to contribute to her leaving gifts, please give any contributions to the school office. Thank you.

Online Safety

The UK Safer Internet Centre has published a blog post about online chats in games, highlighting some of the risks to children and young people. The blog provides practical suggestions for keeping children safe when using online chats. It can be found here- [My child is gaming with strangers – what should I do? - UK Safer Internet Centre](#)

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Thursday 20 th June	- Rounders Tournament – Class 3 & 4
Friday 21 st June	- Music Day
Monday 24 th June	- Trip to Belton
Thursday 27 th June	- Fire Safety Talk
Tuesday 2 nd July	- Class 1 Seaside Day
Thursday 4 rd July	- School Sports Day ~ 1:45pm
Sunday 7 th July	- Dysart Park Family Fun Day
Wednesday 10 th July	- Bastille Day pm
Wednesday 17 th July	- Summer Production ~ 6pm
Friday 19 th July	- Celebration Assembly ~ 8:50am
Friday 19 th July	- End of Term - No Friday Club