

Dundry Days

Friday 20th January 2012

Topic Fun

It's been another busy week for our children as they delve deeper into their topics for this term.

Rowan class are busy exploring the world of toys, finding out how they work. We've been doing a lot of work on our phonics to make sure we remember all those sounds which help us to read and write.

Willow class, meanwhile, are working hard on their local history topic. Miss Colby and Mrs Warren are busy organising a fantastic trip based on local inventors - keep your eyes out for more details soon. As part of their topic, the class are becoming inventors themselves, taking apart torches to learn how they work so they can design their own.

Elder class have been basing their work on the Wind in the Willows, exploring the world of Ratty, Toad and Mole. They've been writing their own characterisations and dialogue between the main characters.

A quick reminder that you are invited to the Winter Olympics at Dundry Village Hall on Sunday between 12 and 4pm. There are lots of free events, so do come along and enjoy a family fun day. The leaflet coming out with Dundry Days has more information.

I wish you a wonderful weekend,

Best wishes,
Rhiannon Price
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Diary of Events

Tues 24 th Jan	Swimming for Willow Class. Dance & Board Games clubs.
Weds 25 th Jan	Willow Class to Merchants Academy for tennis coaching. Guitar, keyboard & recorder lessons. Film club
Thur 26 th Jan	Warburtons Dough Workshop-Rowan Class
Fri 27 th Jan	Warburtons Dough Workshop- Willow Class
Tues 31 st Jan	Willow Class to Merchants Academy for tennis coaching
Thurs 2 nd Feb	Tea Time Mix
Tues 7 th Feb	Parent/teacher consultations
Weds 8 th Feb	Chew Valley Dance Festival
Thurs 9 th Feb	Parent/teacher consultations
Fri 10 th Feb	Last day of term 3

STAFF INSET DAYS FOR 2011/12 ACADEMIC YEAR

The school will be closed to pupils for staff training on the following days
18th July 2012 19th July 2012

Play Leader Award

Corrie, Faith D & Katie

Film Club

Film Club returns on Wednesday 25th January 3:30pm - 5pm. Please bear with us if the film runs over a little!
Remaining dates are: 1st, 22nd, 29th Feb, 21st and 28th March.

Noticeboard

Playground consultation

There is a consultation questionnaire about the playground in this week's Dundry Days. Please take the time to complete and return the questionnaire as your views count!

Parent Pay

A Quick reminder that the school will be introducing Parent Pay from Term 4 (after February half term). This is a cashless system for making payments to school for things like dinner money and contributions to trips.

We've visited other schools to see it in action and have been very impressed at how much easier it is for parents than our current system. As we get to grips with the new system this term, we'll send out more information to you.

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FODS

A huge thank you to FODS who raised a great deal of money for the school last term.

Christmas cards for schools
£92.48

Secret Sale
£198.36

Performance bar
£119.62

Christmas Raffle
£355.11

Car Park

Please can I remind parents to come into school to collect their children and accompany them to the car. The car park is very busy at the end of the day and unaccompanied children are not always aware of other vehicles as they make a beeline for their car. Please also park considerately, filling spaces from the back to enable as many people as possible to park.

JULIE'S NOTES

Dundry Playground Winter Games Event

Miss Price has made mention of the games event at the village hall this Sunday but as well as lots of free entertainment and food, at 2pm a bench will be dedicated to the late Chris Glover who was a hugely valued member of our school community. Chris' widow Annie will be there and would love to see old friends.

Winford Village Pre-school Nearly New Sale

Winford Village Pre-school are holding a nearly new sale of baby and children's clothing, equipment and toys on Saturday 3rd March 2012 between 10 am - 1 pm at Winford School. Tables: £5.00, Admission: 50p, refreshments will be available throughout the morning. To book at table or for more information please contact Michelle on 07511 602503.

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Golden Certificates

- Rowan Class** - Bayliee for always doing her best & including others.
Brad for his fantastic attitude to his learning.
- Willow Class** - Grace for excellent rapid recall of her number bonds.
Marshall for excellent explanation in literacy.
- Elder Class** - Taylor for an amazing piece of writing from Wind in the Willows.
Callum for having a real 'on fire' maths day on Tuesday.



House Cup

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