

# Spring Term 2018

Diary Dates

## Durley CE Primary School

Newsletter 4

27 February 2018



### MARCH

#### Wednesday 7 March

Year 2 Road Safety Training

#### Friday 9 March

Lunch for women who help us

#### Saturday 10 March

7:30 DSA Murder Mystery Evening

#### Tuesday 13 March

1:30-3:30 Y4/5 Vocal rehearsal at Wildern for Royal Albert Hall

#### Friday 16 March

Red Class trip to Fishbourne Palace

3:45 Messy Church at Durley

#### Wednesday 21 March

6:00-7:30 Spring Disco

#### Thursday 22 March

2:30pm Music Concert for all children having peripatetic music lessons (recorder, piano, brass, woodwind) Everyone welcome

#### Friday 23 March

Red Class topic outcome

1:30 Y1 and Y2 Ukulele concert.

Everyone welcome

#### Thursday 29 March

1:30pm Easter Service in Holy Cross Church. Everyone welcome

3:30pm school ends for the half term break

#### Monday 16 April

8:50am school re-opens for summer term

### MAY

#### Monday 23 April

Royal Albert Hall Year 4/5 singing

#### W/b 14 May

Year 6 SATs week

#### Friday 18 May

3:30 Y6 picnic and rounders

#### w/b 21 May

Walk to School Week

Dear Parents

#### In the event of a school closure.....

The children were very excited to see a few flurries of snow yesterday and anticipating that there might be more to come. We are keeping a close eye on the weather forecast which at the moment is indicating that there may be snow towards the end of this week. I thought it might be helpful to remind you of the procedures should we need to close the school. In the first instance the office staff will contact you by email and text as well as putting a notice on the front page of our school website. We will also contact Hantsnet to inform them that we are closed to enable them to put it on their school closure website. We will do this as early in the morning as possible to prevent you from making an unnecessary journey.

If we start to have heavy snow during the school day we will contact you following the same procedure. If you are unable to collect your child could you please make an arrangement for a friend, relative or neighbour to collect and inform the school office preferably by email—[adminoffice@durley.hants.sch.uk](mailto:adminoffice@durley.hants.sch.uk)

Despite my love of sledging, I am always reluctant to close the school and will take into account the staffing that we have available on site and safety of your children before making the decision to close. Please could you ensure that your contact details are up to date and let the office know immediately if anything has changed.

We are still finding that some children are coming into school without coats or school jumpers. Please could you ensure that in this cold weather that children have warm clothes to wear outside during the playtimes. We are also more than happy for children to bring in leggings or track-suit bottoms to wear for outdoor PE lessons.

#### Lunch for Women Who Help us

Today was officially the final day to book for a lunch on Friday 9 March. If you have missed the deadline please let us know by tomorrow at the latest and we will try to accommodate you.

#### Year 2 Hockey

Congratulations to our Year 2 hockey team who competed against local schools last week at Wyvern College finishing in second place. They won two of their games and drew 0-0 against Fair oak A. We were all impressed with their skill, determination and great team spirit.

#### Invitation to the Hampshire Games

We are very pleased to announce that our Year 3 and 4 swimming team have been invited to compete at the Hampshire Games in June. They came second in their competition against 14 teams in the local area

#### Murder Mystery Evening

We are all looking forward to the Murder Mystery evening on **Saturday 10 March** at 7:30pm. Tickets are available from the school office or the DSA on the school playground.

Finally all information about school events can be found on our school website, and the front page noticeboard is updated weekly.

**Kirstie Baines - Headteacher**