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DRY SANDFORD SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Leading Lifelong Learning; Creating Caring Communities.

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FODSS:

Friends of Dry Sandford School (FODSS) are always looking for new parents to join their fabulous, supportive team. If you have a few spare hours and would like to help organise fundraising events for the school or would be willing to spend some time applying for grant funding, please contact FODSS: <https://www.dry-sandford.oxon.sch.uk/friends-of-dry-sandford/>

PUPIL PREMIUM FUNDING (Free School Meals): Your child may be eligible for extra funding to support their learning and wellbeing at school. Please pop into the school office, give us a call or an email, or take a look at the Pupil Premium section of our website to find out more – we just need a few details to find out if you are entitled.

SUMMER FAIR

Warm thanks to Claire Hughes, FODSS, for all of the effort that has already gone into coordinating the upcoming Summer Fair. Also, a huge thanks to Mike Austin, of **MPA Liquid Screed** (<https://www.mpaliquidscreed.co.uk>), who has kindly offered to sponsor the event.

There's lots going on behind the scenes at school with staff and pupils excitedly making plans for stalls and games. Please continue to spread the news among friends, family and the wider community – all are welcome!

We hope that the children are enjoying creating and filling their decorated jars and look forward to them being brought into school between **Monday 24th June and Thursday 27th June.**

Many thanks to all of the parents who generously donated lots of fabulous items for our raffles and tombolas. We will be holding a second non-uniform day on **Friday 21st June** and asking for a **£1 donation** per child to help us raise funds for resources to help make the fair possible.

If you can offer your time or skills in advance with the planning and organisation, then please speak to Claire or contact the office. We will soon be in touch to ask for your help running the fair on the day.

DRY SANDFORD'S HALL OF FAME

Congratulations to the following pupils who earned certificates in Celebration Assemblies in May:



Learning & Caring Certificates:

Natalie
Abi
Jake
Ky
Evie
Elsa
Mark
Ewan
Amelia
Alex
Isobel
Alina
Ollie
Noahang
Mae
James

Headteacher Awards:

Kai L
Vivan
Niyana
Olivia
Isabel
Uyeng
Daisy
William
Riley
Evelina
Vivan
Ana



What's happening:

Wb. Monday 10th June – Year 1 Phonics Screening and Year 4 Multiplication Assessments taking place throughout the week

Tuesday 11th June - Radley College Orchestra Day (selected children)

Friday 21st June – **Non-uniform day: £1 donation to go towards our Summer Fair preparation.**

Tuesday 25th June – Eagle Owls trip to Science Day at Harwell Campus

Friday 28th June – Vision Screening – Reception children

Monday 1st July – School Reports to go home

Tuesday 2nd July – Transition afternoon for new reception starters

Tuesday 2nd July – 2pm and 6pm: Key Stage 2 Production (in the Hall)

Tuesday 2nd July – 2.30pm: Parents Meeting for new Reception families (in the Teams Room)

Friday 5th July – Police visit for Eagle Owls Class

Monday 8th July – Quiz House Challenge

Tuesday 9th July – Whole school transition morning

Thursday 11th July – Odds Farm School Trip for Owlets and Barn Owls

Thursday 11th July – Year 6 Leavers' Evening

Friday 12th July – 3pm-6pm: School Summer Fete

Monday 15th July – Friday 19th July – Eagle Owls residential trip to Yenworthy

Thursday 18th July – Anglo-Saxon day for the Snowy Owls Class

Monday 22nd July – Sports Morning from 9.15am – parents and families welcome

Wednesday 24th July – Leavers Assembly from 9.15am

Wednesday 24th July – Last day of term. **School ends 3.05/3.10pm**

Thursday 25th July – Friday 30th August – SUMMER HOLIDAYS

Monday 2nd and Tuesday 3rd September – INSET DAYS (school closed to pupils)

Wednesday 4th September – First day of new academic year

FRIDAY 12TH JULY
3 - 6 PM

Friends of Dry Sandford School

JOIN US FOR OUR 2024
SUMMER FAIR

SCHOOL PLAYGROUND

FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY
BOUNCY CASTLE • HOOK A DUCK *
RAFFLE • FOOD STALLS

£1 ADULT & 50P CHILD

ABINGDON VALE
CRICKET CLUB

Join Our Under 11s Softball and Hardball Teams

Have fun and make new friends, all welcome whether you're a pro or just starting we've got awesome coaches to help you learn and enjoy the game. Come play, practice, and be a part of the team.

Training Fridays at 6.15pm – 7.30pm (May – August)

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