

## *This term's school value is determination*

Welcome to this week's newsletter, there's lots to read!

### Celebrations

Well done to the following children for their certificates this week:

Reading: Jaicob, Callie, Layla, Scarlet, Morgan & Lucy

Dojos: Lily, Ellis, Sophie, Charlie, Daniel, Serin, Tabitha & Georgio.

Achievement: Riley, Olivia, Lexie, Bartie, Marley, Millie, Harry, Carlos

Pro-Stars of the week: Lily and Leo.

Congratulations to Scarlet who has achieved her sleepover badge at Brownies by attending PGL last weekend. Well done to Ellyn who has been awarded her Rookie Lifeguard Bronze Stage 1 certificate.



### 100 Club

100 Club is a school fund raising initiative that is open to everyone. You are allocated a number and if that number is the one chosen at random you get a prize of £5. The money raised from this is used to benefit all the children in the school. This term the money is being used to fund a pantomime visit at Christmas for everyone. If you would like to join please contact the office and they will be happy to help.

### Macmillian Coffee Morning

Thank you so much to everyone who came to support our fundraising coffee morning. There were lots of kind donations of cakes and biscuits.

Mrs Matthews and Mrs Davis, who

were running the event, were helped by some of the Brownies who



were working towards their cooking badge. They really showed that they were brilliant hostesses and looked after our guests well. We're so pleased that with your support we've managed to raise £211 for this very worthwhile cause. Thankyou!



### **Term Dates:**

#### Term 1

5th Sept to 21st Oct

#### Term 2

31st Oct to 16th Dec

#### Term 3

3rd Jan to 17th Feb

#### Term 4

27th Feb to 31st March

#### Term 5

17th April to 26th May

#### Term 6

5th June to 25th July

### **Inset Days:**

5th Sept

21st Oct

3rd Jan

24th and 25th July

**Other dates: See next page**

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## Other Dates:

26th Sept  
Reading Challenge starts

11th October  
Visitor: Y3/4 Black History  
Month Play

12th and 19th October  
Parents Evenings

11th November Flu  
immunisation - reception  
year 6 children

8th December  
Visitor: Harold the Giraffe-  
Life Education

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## Class News

Little Dormice have been talking about Autumn colours and Harvest. Dormice children have been subatising to 4 and working on their phonics. Fallow Deer children have been sorting materials according to their properties and uses in Science. Woodpecker children have enjoyed printing leaves in different colours. Red Squirrel class have enjoyed the In the Net play on internet safety and reading about the sinking of the Titanic.

## 100 Club

For all children wishing to take part in our school's fundraising 100 Club **pay-ment is now due please £3.50**. A weekly number will be drawn out the winner receiving £5.00.

**CONGRATULATIONS to Lily who is this week's winner!**

## Who to contact:

A query about...	What to do/who to contact
Dates and club information	Check on the weekly newsletter
Uniform, Parent Pay, pre-school places, free school meal queries etc.	Phone or email school office (details at top of newsletter)
Benefits, emotional support for your child etc	Contact the school office for family support work
Class based queries	Contact your child's class teacher informally or phone the office to make an appointment.
Curriculum information	There is a lot of curriculum information on our website. Little Dormice and Dormice; make sure you have signed up to Tapestry where we post information about your child's achievements.
Special Needs	Contact the school office to speak to Mrs Jeavons, our Special Needs Co-ordinator
An unresolved concern	We hope that any concerns can be resolved through discussion with your child's teacher. But please contact Mrs Cotterell if needed. If an issue is still unresolved, Mrs Fawkes can be contacted and will support with the use of the Complaints Policy.
<p><b>We expect all communication with all members of staff to be respectful and in partnership. Thank you</b></p>	

Although term time leave request forms are available from the office, this does not mean that holidays are authorised or the request will be granted.

Parents should be aware that the law does not grant parents an automatic right to take their child out of school during term time. The Department for Education allows a Head teacher the discretion to consider authorizing a leave of absence in term time only in "exceptional circumstances".

In the case of an unauthorised leave of absence the Head teacher may request that the Local Authority issue a Fixed Penalty Notice without further warning to the parent. Please note that such a penalty is issued to each parent for each child taken out of school.