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THE FRIDAY LETTER

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER OF DUNANNIE SCHOOL



Dear Parents,

We started the week with our assembly on Being Joyful and we discussed ways we can support one another and how we can look after our environment.

This week's Coffee and Chat was with Year 3 parents – it was a real pleasure to see so many of you there, thank you for coming. Next week's Coffee and Chat is with Nursery and Reception parents on Tuesday 15th March at 8.30am in the Dunnanie Library; I look forward to seeing many of you there.

It's been a busy week as usual in Dunannie with lots of fun and positive learning taking place. Our Tree of Hope was installed in the Library – please do pop in and see it, and read the wishes for the future that your children have made. It really is an inspiring display.

The three schools' concert in the stunning Lupton Hall was a highlight of the week for me. Although children do not take part in the concert until Year 3, I hope all parents will enjoy the photos which will follow in next weeks letter, and for those with children in the younger years, look forward to the time when they too will be part of such a magical event. It was such an exciting event for the Year 3 children to be part of, and was truly inspirational for them to perform alongside pupils from all three schools, ranging right up to our 6:2's. The Dunannie children fully embraced the experience with wonderful singing and enthusiastic actions to match; it was a joy to watch. Thank you so much to Ben Harlen for the numerous rehearsals.



EYFS

We had a wonderful day with Pete Moorhouse starting our journey in woodwork and following in the footsteps of so many children and students who have developed their head, hand and heart skills and creativity at Dunannie, Dunhurst and Bedales.



EYFS

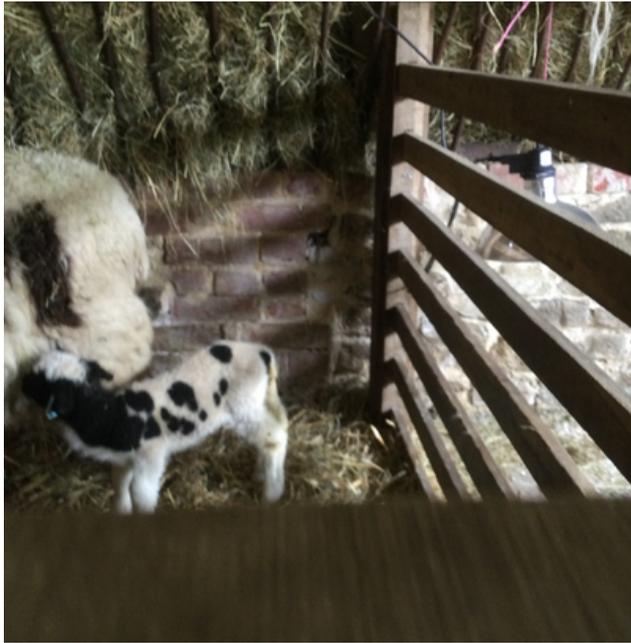


EYFS



RECEPTION

Reception had a wonderful visit to the Bedales farm where we met the newest additions - baby goats and lambs!



YEAR 1

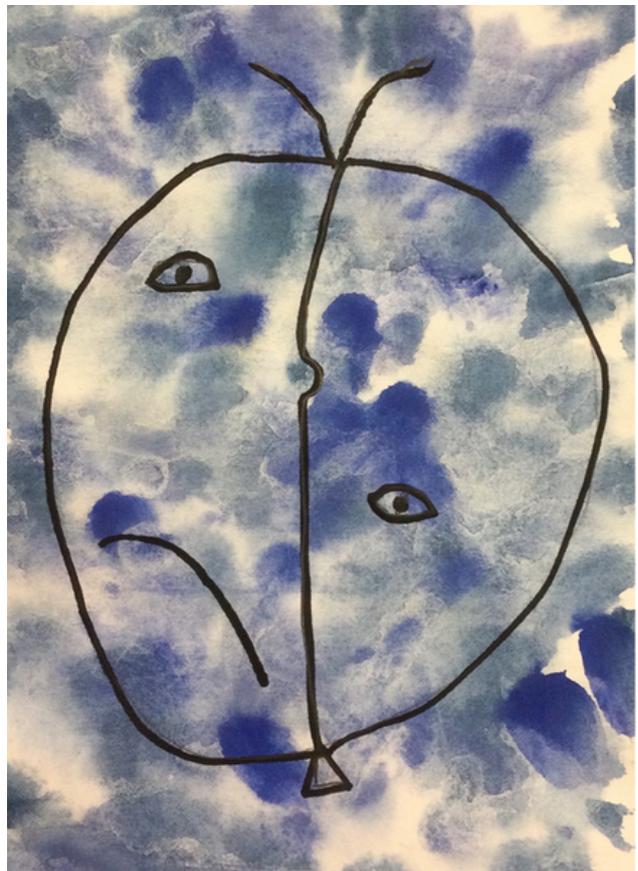
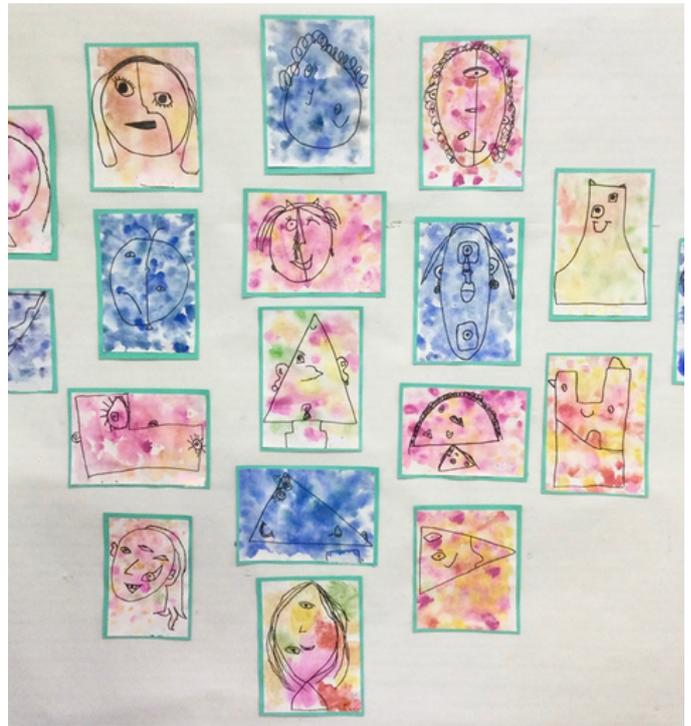
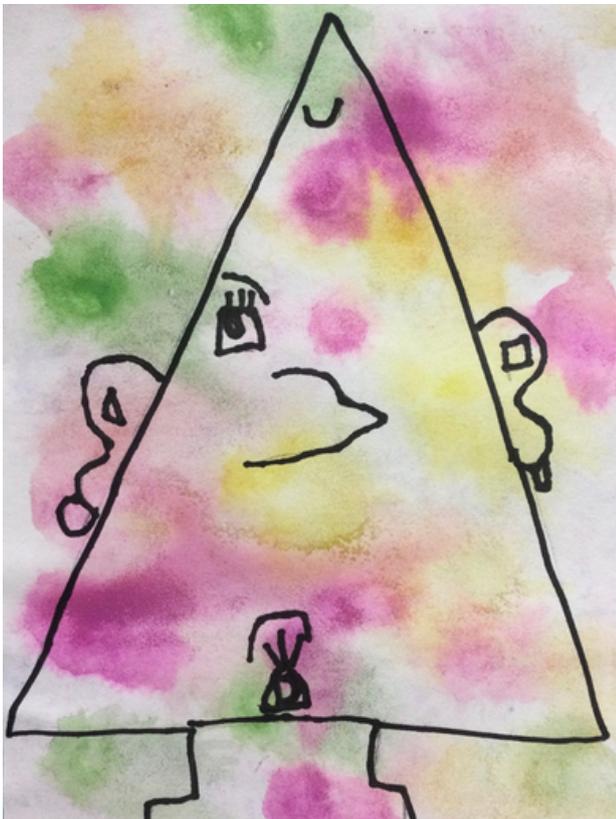


Year 1 have been listening to, reading and reciting poems about sound; identifying rhythm, rhyme and pattern. In preparation for writing poems of their own next week, they have been busy gathering words to describe sounds at the farm, in music and at the swimming pool.



YEAR 1

In Art, the children have been exploring what a self-portrait is. They have looked closely at the portraits of Picasso and how colour can reflect mood. They learned how to stretch paper and create a new colour effect using watercolours.



YEAR 2

Will our little people survive outside in the cold? Will they get wet overnight? The children had to build a shelter for their person with survival pack. Each was built to their own specification. Visit the Orchard and take a look.



YEAR 2



YEAR 3SR

Year 3 had a fantastic session led by Matt the Head of Catering at Bedales on Monday. He talked to them about a balanced diet, different food groups and the children all made their own burger using fresh ingredients.

Thank you to Matt.



YEAR 3SR

We have also enjoyed making vegetable soup and in art we practiced our still life drawing skills looking closely at fruit and vegetables.



YEAR 3CC



This week Year 3 CC have been learning all about the three states of matter, using balloons, bubbles, ice and a cornflour mix to observe how the states change.

We have been exploring how colours can be associated with feelings, and made our own tinted glasses to experiment with colours.

The art of using watercolours was taught to us by Susan, and we loved painting Spring scenes, flowers and birds.

Lastly, we had a cookery class with Head Chef Matt.

Well done to Year 3 at the concert in the Lupton Hall this week, and welcome to Jake who joined our class this week.



YEAR 3CC



P.E, GAMES AND SWIMMING

This week in PE children were developing their team skills.

Learning to trust each other and communicate clearly with one another helps to make a great team!



ACHIEVEMENTS



GOLD

SILVER

BRONZE

CALENDAR & EVENTS

14-Mar-22	14:30	15:30	Dunannie Y3 Hockey v Ditcham	Bedales Astro
15-Mar-22	08:30	09:15	Nursery and Reception coffee and chat Dunannie Library	Dunannie Library
15-Mar-22	09:00	16:00	Dunannie Y3 Trip to Twickenham RFU	
17-Mar-22	16:00	18:00	Dunannie Movie Night	Dunannie - Main Building
18-Mar-22			Red nose Day	
24-Mar-22	14:15	15:15	Dunannie - Yr 3 Swim Gala Girls & Boys v The Royal	Bedales
25-Mar-22	15:30		Dunannie Term Ends	

DUNANNIE MENUS

DUNANNIE LUNCH MENU - Week One					
WC 10/01/22 - 31/01/22 - 21/02/22 - 07/03/22 - 28/03/22					
	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Homemade Soup	Tomato & Basil Soup	Broccoli & Stilton Soup	Curried Butternut Squash Soup	Soup of the Day	Chicken Broth
Classic Main	Garlic & Herb Crispy Chicken	Rich Beef Lasagne	Stone Baked Pepperoni Pizza	Roast Topside of Beef with Yorkshire Puddings & Gravy	Battered Cod or Fish Fingers
Vegetarian	Beetroot, Feta & Cherry Tomato Galette	Gluten Free Roasted Squash & Spinach Lasagne	Stone Baked Margarita Pizza	Butternut Squash, Mozzarella & Spinach Wellington	Fishless Fingers
Carbohydrates	Steamed New Potatoes	Garlic Bread	Potato Wedges	Roast Potatoes	French Fries
Vegetable Choice	Broccoli Steamed Leeks	Fine Beans Roasted Squash	Corn on the Cob Garden Peas	Roasted Parsnips Shredded Cabbage	Garden Peas
Dessert	Rhubarb Crumble & Custard	Fresh Fruit Salad & Natural Yoghurt	Chocolate Mousse	Sticky Toffee Pudding & Caramel Sauce	Ice Cream Tubs

A SELECTION OF SALADS AT THE SALAD BAR, CUT FRUITS & COLD DESSERTS AVAILABLE DAILY

SWALLOW SUPPER CLUB - Week One					
Classic Main	Chicken Korma, Onion Bhajis & Naan Bread	Minted Lamb Chops	Homemade Sausage Rolls	Chilli Con Carne	Chicken Burger on a Brioche Bun
Vegetarian	Butternut Squash Korma	Bubble & Squeak with Poached Egg, Hollandaise & Rocket	Vegan Sausage Rolls	Chilli Non Carne	Spicy Bean Burger
Carbohydrates	Pilau Rice	Crushed New Potatoes with Rosemary	Thick Cut Chips	Loaded Nacho Chips	Sweet Potato Fries
Vegetable Choice	Cauliflower	Sliced Carrots Garden Peas	Baked Beans Broccoli	Roasted Peppers & Red Onion	BBQ Beans & Mixed Salad

DUNANNIE LUNCH MENU - Week Two					
WC 17/01/22 - 07/02/22 - 28/02/22 - 14/03/22 - 04/04/22					
	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Homemade Soup	Leek & Potato Soup	Pea & Ham Soup	Roasted Pepper & Red Lentil Soup	Soup of the Day	Cream of Mushroom Soup
Classic Main	BBQ Pork Ribs	Sticky Chinese Chicken	Shepherds Pie with a Cheesy Crust	Beef & Pork Meatballs in a Ragu Sauce	Cod Goujons
Vegetarian	Spicy Bean Burgers Topped with Halloumi & Chilli Jam	Noodle Ramen	Vegan Shepherds Pie with a Vegan Cheese Crust	Meatless Balls in a Ragu Sauce	Mozzarella Sticks
Carbohydrates	Leek & Potato Soup	Pea & Ham Soup	Roasted Pepper & Red Lentil Soup	Soup of the Day	Cream of Mushroom Soup
Vegetable Choice	Broccoli Roasted Vegetables	Pak Choi Mange Tout	Fine Beans Sliced Carrots	Roasted Squash Sweetcorn	Mushy Peas Baked Beans
Dessert	Baked Alaska	Chocolate Brownies	Treacle Sponge & Custard	Jam Roly Poly & Custard	Fruit & Seed Granola Bars

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SWALLOW SUPPER CLUB - Week Two					
Classic Main	Mixed Grill Steak	Indulgent Beef Bourguignon	Loaded Cajun Chicken Nachos	Dunhurst Fried Chicken	Beef in Black Bean Sauce
Vegetarian	Vegan Schnitzel	Butterbean & Thyme Cassoulet	Loaded 3 Cheese Nachos	Fried Brie Parcels & Cranberry Sauce	Peppers in Black Bean Sauce
Carbohydrates	Julienne Fries Onion Rings	Creamed Potatoes	Spiced Wedges	Sweet Potato	Special Fried Rice Spring Rolls
Vegetable Choice	Grilled Tomatoes Grilled Garlic Mushrooms Minted Garden Peas	Roasted Root Vegetables	Grilled Peppers & Assorted Salad	Broccoli Baked Beans	Pak Choi Baby Corn

DUNANNIE MENUS

 DUNANNIE LUNCH MENU - Week Three WC 24/01/22 – 14/02/22 – 07/03/22 – 21/03/23 – 11/04/22					
	Carrot & Coriander Soup	Roasted Med Veg Soup	Potato & Horseradish	Soup of the Day	French Onion Soup
Homemade Soup	Chicken & Chorizo Pasta Bake	Steak & Onion Pie	Chicken Katsu Curry	Beef Fajitas with Guacamole, Salsa & Sour Cream	Battered Cod
Classic Main	Tomato, Mozzarella & Basil Pasta Bake	Leek & Mushroom Pie	Cauliflower Fritter Katsu	Vegetable Fajitas with Guacamole, Salsa and Sour Cream	Pea & Goats Cheese Risotto
Vegetarian	Carrot & Coriander Soup	Roasted Med Veg Soup	Potato & Horseradish	Soup of the Day	French Onion Soup
Carbohydrates	Tomato & Rosemary Focaccia	Roasted New Potatoes	Braised Rice	Spiced Wedges & Tortilla Wraps	Thick Cut Chips
Vegetable Choice	Fine Beans Sweetcorn	Roasted Root Vegetables Savoy Cabbage	Broccoli Pak Choi	Corn on the Cob Roasted Cajun Vegetables	Garden Peas Baked Beans
Dessert	Rice Pudding with Strawberry Jam	Mango & Passionfruit Cheesecake	Toffee Apple Upside Down Cake & Custard	Winter Fruit Shortbread	Lemon Meringue Pies
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SWALLOW SUPPER CLUB - Week Three					
Classic Main	Shredded Chicken Curry, Onion Bhajis & Poppadum's	Beef Fajitas with Guacamole, Salsa and Sour Cream	Cod Fish Fingers with Lemon & Tartare Sauce	Chicken Chow Mein with Spring Rolls & Prawn Crackers	Cumberland Sausage Hot Dogs with Caramelised Onions & Relish
Vegetarian	Butternut Squash Tikka Masala, Onion Bhajis and Poppadum's	Vegetable Fajitas with Guacamole, Salsa and Sour Cream	Mozzarella Sticks	Tofu Ramen	Meat Free Hot Dog with Caramelised Onion & Relish
Carbohydrates	Braised Rice	Potato Wedges	Sweet Potato Fries	Spring Rolls & Prawn Crackers	Onion Rings Sautéed Potatoes
Vegetable Choice	Sliced Beans	Steamed Kale	Tender stem	Pak Choi	Mixed Salads