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THE FRIDAY LETTER

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER OF DUNANNIE SCHOOL



Dear Parents,

Wow, what a busy week we have had at Dunannie.

We began with Monday's assembly introducing Red Nose Day. The children have bounced into school today with all sorts of Red Nose characters!

Thank you to the Nursery and Reception parents who attended the Coffee and Chat morning on Tuesday; it was wonderful to see you all here. The next one is for Year 1 parents and will be in the Dunannie library on Tuesday 22nd March at 8:30am.

On Tuesday, Year 3 had a truly fantastic day at Twickenham Rugby Stadium, learning about the importance of exercise and keeping fit. They also learned that the England Team's values include Respect, Teamwork and Enjoyment, and are very similar to our Be Values at Dunannie. The day included a tag rugby training session, a tour of the stadium and even a visit to the Royal Box!

Year 2 parents were put through their paces in a high energy workout assembly hosted by their children on Wednesday. It was brilliant to watch parents, children and staff alike having such fun whilst learning important lessons on nutrition and health. Their hard work was rewarded with a delicious, healthy granola and fruit juice, all homemade and served by the pupils.

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The school was buzzing with excitement on Thursday as the much anticipated Movie Night took place. After a cinema themed dinner, the children settled down in onesies and pyjamas to watch the most voted for movie – SING! Thank you so much to all the parents who came and helped - we raised a staggering £650 total for the FoD charities and school community. The photo below is of our special guest in the office – Woody!

We have finished off the week with a Red Nose Day filled with colour, cake and comedy! Laughter could be heard throughout the school as the children told their funniest jokes. We raised a fantastic amount of £180.50

The list of next term's after school activities was sent out on Wednesday this week. Please reply at your earliest convenience and no later than Monday 21 March, which will allow us time to ensure everyone gets at least one club of their choice.

Just a reminder that there will be no late Swallow club next Friday as we break up for the Easter holidays at 16.30.

Please also see the calendar at the end of the newsletter for dates for your diary for next term.

Have a lovely weekend,

Fiona



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NURSERY



We loved watching the reaction as the ink dropped onto our special icing sugar wash!



NURSERY



The Nursery have made their own seed paper, tearing paper before soaking it and using the blender to turn it into pulp. Then we added seeds and put it into moulds to dry.

RECEPTION

Its been a busy week in Reception!
We've been enjoying some spring sunshine, chitting potatoes, planting seeds, learning about cherry blossom, painting daffodils and even having a go at Japanese writing.

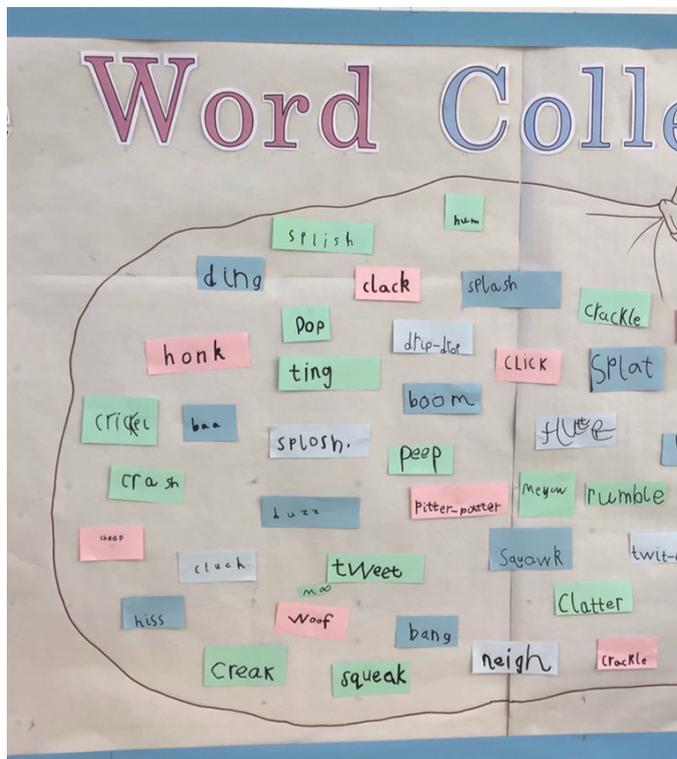


RECEPTION



YEAR 1

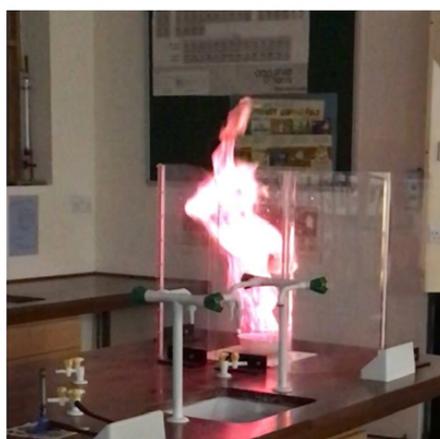
Year 1 have continued to gather sound words for their sound poems this week. Using sounds collected from the chemistry lab at Bedales, the swimming pool, the music room and the farm, the children created poems in the style of Roger McGough's *The Sound Collector*. They have really focused on what they can hear and how best to describe the sounds.



YEAR 1



Whilst at the chemistry lab, the children also learned how to take part in experiments safely and about chiral molecules! Thank you, Liz and the volunteer 6th formers for creating a unforgettable experience.



YEAR 2



Year 2 proved to be the best fitness teachers in the world. They rose our heart rates and brought big smiles to our faces. The posters were incredibly informative, I for sure will be eating lots more vegetable and fruit. This was followed by the most delicious and healthy breakfast.



YEAR 2



YEAR 3



This week Year 3 were lucky enough to visit Twickenham Rugby Stadium. The children had a training session at the Harlequin Stoop, followed by a tour of Twickenham stadium. Children learned about the history of the stadium, were able to explore the grounds and changing rooms, visited the Presidents room and even the royal box. Twickenham's values; Teamwork, Respect, Enjoyment, Discipline and Sportsmanship echo our Dunannie Be Values and we learned how their values ensure that players work together well as a team.





THREE SCHOOLS CONCERT



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ACHIEVEMENTS



G O L D S I L V E R B R O N Z E

CALENDAR & EVENTS

Start Date	Start Time	End Time	Description	Location
22-Mar-22	08:30	09:15	Yr1 coffee and chat Dunannie Library	Dunannie Library
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	
19-Apr-22	08:30		Dunannie Term Starts	
19-Apr-22	08:30	09:15	Yr2 coffee and chat Dunannie Library	Dunannie Library
25-Apr-22			Earth Day	
29-Apr-22	15:30		May Bank Holiday Leave	
03-May-22	08:30	09:15	Yr3 coffee and chat Dunannie Library	Dunannie Library
10-May-22	08:30	09:15	Nursery and Reception coffee and chat Sam Banks Pavilion	Sam Banks Pavilion
10-May-22	09:00	10:00	Dunannie Group/Class Photographs	
10-May-22	15:45	16:15	Dunannie Performers' Platform	Library - DUE (R001)
12-May-22			Arts Day	
14-May-22	10:00	12:00	Dunhurst and Dunannie Open Morning	
16-May-22	14:30		U8 Athletics V St Ives	Bedales

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17-May-22	08:30	09:15	Yr1 coffee and chat Dunannie Library	Dunannie Library
24-May-22	08:30	09:15	Yr2 coffee and chat Dunannie Library	Dunannie Library
27-May-22	13:30		Dunannie Whole School Fun Run Nursery to Year 3	
27-May-22	14:30		Dunannie Half Term Starts	
05-Jun-22			World Environment Day	
06-Jun-22	08:30		Dunannie Half Term ends - Term Starts	
07-Jun-22	08:30	09:15	Year 3 coffee and chat Dunannie Library	Dunannie Library
08-Jun-22			World Ocean Day	
10-Jun-22	14:30		U8 Cricket v St Hilarys	Bedales
12-Jun-22	08:00	17:30	Healthy Eating Week	
14-Jun-22	08:30	09:15	Nursery and Reception coffee and chat Duannie Library	Dunannie Library
16-Jun-22	14:30		U8 Athletics v The Royal	Bedales
19-Jun-22	08:00	17:30	Father's Day	
21-Jun-22	08:30	09:15	Yr1 coffee and chat Dunannie Library	Dunannie Library
28-Jun-22	08:30	09:15	Yr2 coffee and chat Dunannie Library	Dunannie Library
01-Jul-22	15:30		Dunannie Term Ends	

DUNANNIE MENUS



DUNANNIE LUNCH MENU - Week One

W/C 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

W/C 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 – 21/03/22 – 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