Dear Parents

I hope you all enjoyed a very restful half term, especially everyone who ran in our Fun Run. The children were phenomenal. There were a record number of children completing the 50 laps (10K) and they certainly deserved a week to recover. I would like to say a huge thank you to everyone who took part a big ‘THANK YOU’ to Karen for organising the event. What a magnificent spectacle it was, our high-energy runners speeding round in their fabulous costumes. We are hoping all of your hard work will help to raise much-needed funds for our two charities, Wish Upon A Star and The King’s Arms. Please remember to bring your sponsorship money into the office before the end of next week and thank you for your support.

A highlight this week for me was Reception’s Class Assembly which was simply brilliant. Their message to us all to share our worries is extremely important and I loved their dancing.

Year 2 have taken part in a mini athletics competition at The Royal School. Every child took part and much fun was enjoyed by all.

On Thursday we held an assembly to commemorate the 75th anniversary of D-Day. Sharon’s husband, Rew, who is currently serving in the Navy, very kindly came in to talk to the children, I am hugely grateful to him.

We have also been visited by Michael Howard, (Bamie and Aggie’s dad) today, he spoke to the children about his ‘You are Awesome’ movement which supports ‘everyday heroes’ working in the emergency services. The movement encourages us to show our support by wearing an ‘I love the emergency services’ badge; spreading the word on social media; maybe writing a letter of support; and even doing something as simple as making the effort to say “thank you” to our servicemen. I hope you encourage the children to support this movement, it is truly awesome! Thank you Michael!

Next week holds plenty in store for us, as we have our ‘whole school photograph’ on Tuesday. Year 3 will be going off on a trip to Chichester Marina to study coastal environments and Year 2 children are performing in their Assembly at 8.40am on Wednesday 12th June. Tea and coffee will of course be available from 8.15am for all parents who are coming to watch.

On Friday 14th June, it is our first ever ‘Significant Lads’ and Fabulous Dads’ Morning’ here at Dunannie. We are looking forward to seeing many dads, uncles and grandpas here from 8.30am that day so please put it in your diaries. We will let you have more information nearer the time.
Final important dates for your diaries are our Sports Days. Reception to Year 3 have theirs on Friday 21st June at 1.30pm on the Mem Pitch (please note, there will not be any clubs after school on this day, including Swallow Club); and Nursery have theirs on Friday 28th June from 11am—12pm.

Lastly, hopefully you will all have managed to read the email from our ICT Department regarding the changes to our data management system which are taking place over the summer. We will be migrating to a new system so the parent portal will be out of action for a couple of weeks during the holidays.

Wishing you all a wonderful weekend.

Kindest regards

Victoria
SPECIAL DUNANNIE MOMENTS

7th June 2019

We built a ramp for the cars in Nursery

Fun with water in Nursery

Reception children learning Spanish with Ruby and Lucy from Bedales.

Year 1 team work to build a shelter to keep dry in a rain shower.
SPECIAL DUNANNIE MOMENTS

7th June 2019

Year 2 took part in a mini Athletics Tournament on Thursday

Some of our Year 3 children took part in a Dunhurst cricket match on Wednesday

Year 3 CB signing their plastic promise with a footprint on the globe.

Year 3 CC Catherine’s maths group working on fractions outside with a giant tablecloth

Year 3 CC making clay tree spirits and finding just the right tree for them in the Orchard
Our Fun Run was amazing—well done to all of you who took part.
NOTICES & ACHIEVEMENTS

7th June 2019

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GOLD

SILVER

BRONZE

Max x3
Kitty
Sophie P-H x2
Leo P
Lola

DUNANNIE—DATE LIST - SUMMER TERM 2019

Monday 10th June
14.00 Year 2 & 3 Swimming Gala v St Ives (Home)*

Tuesday 11th June
08.30 Dunannie Whole School Photograph
09.30 Year 3 Trip to Chichester Marina

Wednesday 12th June
08.40 Year 2 Class Assembly*
13.30—15.00 Nursery Newcomers Tea Party

Thursday 13th June
14.15 Year 3 Boys & Girls Cricket/Rounders v The Royal (Home)*
Vodka Cocktails and Dinner at the Polish Club – Book Now**

Friday 14th June
08.30 Significant Lads' and Fabulous Dads' Morning*

Tuesday 18th June
09.00 Year 2 Trip to Petersfield Town Centre

Wednesday 19th June
08.40 Year 1 Class Assembly*
13.25 and 15.25 Bikeability

Thursday 20th June
08.30—12.00 Year 3 to Group 1 Newcomers Morning at Dunhurst
19.00-20.30 Year 3 Parents: New Group 1 Parents Reception*
DUNANNIE Moving Up Day

Friday 21st June
13.30-15.00 Dunannie Sports Day on Mems Pitch (Reception to Y3)*

NB. There will be no Athletics or Tennis Clubs after school today
19.30-22.00 FoDs Midsummer Party at Sam Banks Pavilion*

Tuesday 25th June
10.00-11.00 Summer Concert Rehearsal

Wednesday 26th June
9.00-10.00 Summer Concert in the Well*

Thursday 27th June
09.00-10.00—Nursery Summer Concert*
14.15 Year 3 Boys Cricket v The Royal (Home)*
14.00-15.20 Around the World in 80 Days Block 3&4 Play Rehearsal (Y2&3)
15.30—17.30 Summer Term Parent Evening

Friday 28th June
11.00-12.00 Dunannie Sports Day on Mems Pitch (Nursery)*
15.30—17.30 Summer Term Parent Evening

Wednesday 3rd July
Year 3 Grand Day Out

Thursday 4th July
09.30-12.00 Year 3 Dunhurst Groups Moving Up Morning

Friday 5th July
END OF TERM at 1PM

**SUMMER HOLIDAY – Saturday 6 July-Sunday 1st September**

Monday 2nd September
FIRST DAY back after Summer Holiday

Saturday 14th September
Dunhurst & Dunannie Open Morning

Wednesday 23rd October
LAST DAY finish at 2.30pm

**OCTOBER HALF TERM – Thursday 24th October-Sunday 3rd November**

*Parents are invited to attend

**Vodka Cocktails and Dinner at the Polish Club – Book Now’**

There still places available to join the Vodka Cocktails and Dinner at the Polish Club on Thursday 13 June from 7.30pm. Sample their famous vodka cocktails, including the new Kavka vodka, followed by a relaxed dinner laid on by the Club’s fantastic Ognisko restaurant. Cost: £60. Please do join us for what promises to be a wonderful evening. Please contact Camilla Basharat or email parents@bedales.org.uk to reserve a place.
Dear All

Thanks so much for all the generous contributions to the Fun Run. We’ll let you know how much we raised once we’ve got all the sponsorship money in. It’s looking good. Thanks very much to Karen for organising such a brilliant afternoon.

A reminder that it’s your last chance to order tickets for the Summer Party (£12, 21st June 7.30-10pm Sam Banks Pavilion) – please email your class rep or one of us if you haven’t got your ticket (by Monday latest).

Don’t forget Significant Lads and Fabulous Dads’ Morning on Friday 14th June 8.30-10.00. Please let dunannieadmin@bedales.org.uk know if you can come. Don’t worry if you can’t, there will be lots of friendly faces to look after your child and make sure they have a lovely time.

And if you are interested in the findings and ongoing discussions of the Futures and Innovations meeting email pgoff@bedales.org.uk and sign up for lunch (Friday 14th June up at Bedales).

A plea to all leaving year 3 parents – please do donate any waterproofs you no longer need at the end of the year to our second hand stash. Hand to one of us or the office who will pass it on. Sadly, with the PE kit changes, we won’t be taking any other old uniform.

Have a lovely week end

Tabitha and Sarah

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Next Thursday June 13th the Rural Refugee Network (RRN) is hosting the 33 Art Sale at Bordean House in Langrish (postcode GU32 1EP). RRN is a Petersfield based charity, set up in 2015 in response to the Syrian Refugee crisis. It has found accommodation for 11 families from Syria and other war-torn countries to date, and provides new arrivals with support they need to re-start their lives in the UK.

The 33 Art Sale has over 60 artists exhibiting and local artists feature alongside leading figures in British contemporary art, including Turner Prize nominated artists. Students from both Bedales and Dunhurst are involved via volunteering during the event and showing work themselves. Work on sale ranges from £12 through to £12,000. The funds raised will help RRN bring more families to safety in the UK.

Called 33 Art Sale because 33% of the profits go to charity - RRN has decided for this year’s sale to share the proceeds with another local charity Children on the Edge who work to help children marginalised by society all over the world. One of the projects we hope the proceeds will support is their work setting up schools in refugee camps in Lebanon. If you would like to know more or to receive our ‘Curator’s Choice’ Booklet ahead of the sale, please email Emma at 33artsale@gmail.com. Further work from the show can be viewed at: https://www.instagram.com/33artsale/.

For further information on Rural Refugee Network (we are actively seeking new volunteers) please contact Julia Thistleton-Smith on hello@ruralrefugeenetwork.org or 07971 660 590.