

**Friday 1st July  
2022**



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# Shilbottle newsletter

Dear Parents and carers,  
**Celebrations**

Class	Star	Presentation	Reading
R	Zac M Kaitlin B Stanley S	Oscar R	
1	Joey D	Eric R	
2	Amelie M	Francesca S	
3	Malakai Mc	Anna S	
4	Rhys C	Rowan Mc	
5	Dylan S	Imogen R	
6	Layla P	Christopher B	
Headteacher Awards: Bobby M (1) Lydia B (3)			

## Dates for the future

Date	Year	Event	Notes
<b>2022</b>			
Every Wednesday — Spring term and Summer 2 Term	Y 3	Swimming	Swimming kits
Monday 4th July	All	School closed	Reopens 5th
Tuesday 5th July	All	One Goal—Mental Health Day	
Wednesday 6th July	Y6	Transition Day	Y6 at DCHS
Friday 8th July	All	Sports Day/Summer Fair (new date)	1:00 to 3:15 Old school uniform donations
Monday 11th July (4:30pm—5:30pm)	Y4 New Y5	Parent meet the new teacher	
Tuesday 12th July (4:30pm—5:30pm)	Y5 New Y6	Parent meet the new teacher	
Wednesday 13th July (4:30pm—5:30pm)	Y3 New Y4	Parent meet the new teacher	
Wednesday 13th July (4:30pm—5:30pm)	Y2 New Y3	Parent meet the new teacher	
Thursday 14th July (4:30pm—5:30pm)	R/1 New 1/2	Parent meet the new teacher	
Thursday 21st July	All	Year 6 Leavers Celebration	6:00pm to 7:30pm
Friday 22nd July	All	School closes at 2pm	After school closes at 3:30pm
Tuesday 6th Sept	All	School reopens for 22/23 academic year	Gates open 8:30am

**This week in our school the children have been learning about the following topics:**

Reception: Castles and dragons  
Years 1&2: Science Investigations  
Years 3: Science Plants  
Year 4&5: Science Changes  
Year 6: Science Light/Leavers Performance

**Next week in our school the children will be learning about the following topics:**

Reception: Castles and dragons  
Years 1&2: Famous Scientists  
Years 3: French-Fruit and vegetables  
Year 4&5: French-Buying presents and planets  
Year 6: French/Leavers Performance

*Remember Topic Knowledge Organisers are available on the website to support any home learning activities.*

**Rescheduled Sports Day/ Summer Fair**

We are sorry we had to cancel today's events due the field being unsuitable after all the rain and from past experience we are aware that our field usually takes at least two days to dry out completely.

We aim to hold the even next week (8th) and hopefully the weather will be kinder to us. Please remember to provide your child with a water bottle and apply suncream as the forecast is for a very hot day.

On the plus side this gives us another week to collect any donations toward the raffles etc. We will also be asking if any families have any old (but good condition!) uniform they would be willing to leave on our uniform donation tables. We will mark these by ages and if families wish to collect items ready for September they can do so. Any remaining items will be kept by school and families can contact the office to collect items at another time.

**Meet the new teacher sessions (reminder) - please try to attend if possible**

*Teachers will be sharing ideas on how to support your child with their home learning, including reading and maths strategies. Don't worry parents will be not be tested or asked to answer any questions!*

Please refer to the 'Dates for the Diary' section of the newsletter for the meet the new teacher sessions. I have entered both the current and new year group to ensure you are able to attend the correct session. The purpose of these sessions is to discuss how we can continue to work together to ensure our children are supported both in school and at home.

The new Reception children will have an opportunity to meet their teacher on Wednesday 21st September as this is also allow parents and the teacher to discuss how they have been settling in.

*Regards  
Mr Parnaby  
Headteacher*