# Danemill Primary School Newsletter WEEKLY NEWSLETTER www.danemill.com

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22nd May 2015 Primary School Week 73

#### **Head Teacher's Message**

The Year 2 children have been working really hard this week in their SATs tests—really well done to everyone.

On Monday, Year 3 entered the Academy Trust Dance Off and on Tuesday, Year 5 also entered the competition.

They all had a fabulous time and really enjoyed taking part.

The Year 6 pupils have started working with Mike McAllister on their transition to Brockington and this will continue after half term.

Mr Atkinson and Mr Taylor took the Year 6 football team to London on Wednesday to take part in a tournament at White Hart Lane; what a fantastic opportunity for them all. The children were a credit to Danemill, their behaviour and sportsmanship was exemplary and we are very proud of them all. There will be a full sports report after half

Some Year 4 pupils went to Lutterworth College on Thursday to take part in the Formula 1 Challenge Day and one of the teams (The Whizz Kids), won the Regional Final! They were presented with a beautiful Jaguar trophy and will now go on to take part in the National Finals on 23rd June—a huge well done to all who took part and lots of good luck in the final.

We have a brand new school website! The site is much more user friendly and is easy to navigate on mobile phones. The web address is unchanged, so why not take a look?

We said goodbye to Mrs Mackness this week; she starts a new job after half term and we wish her lots of good luck. Finally a big thank you to all parents and carers for your support this term—have a lovely break next week.

Catherine Winterton

## **Diary Dates:**

25th—29th May—Half Term Break

9th June—China Day

10th June—FEDS meeting at Toby Carvery

**15th June**—Phonics Screening Tests—**all** 

week

**18th June**—Film Night for KS2

19th June—FEDS Non Uniform Day

**22nd June**—Sports day

KS2—morning

KS1—afternoon

26th June—FEDS Non Uniform Day

27th June—FEDS Summer Fayre

3rd July—Sports Presentation Evening

# LETTERS SENT THIS WEEK

Year 6 London Trip

> Student Parliament Launch

Year 6—Romeo and Juliet

#### **HEAD LICE**

The School Nurse recommends that if head lice are discovered, the hair should be 'wet combed' over the half term week in order to clear the problem whilst the children are away from school.

### School Uniform

Please could we ask you to ensure the children wear the correct school uniform:

White or red polo shirt, plain shirt or blouse. Grey or black plain trousers, shorts, skirt, pinafore dress or leggings.

Red jumper, fleece or fleece cardigan. Red and white/red school style summer dress, skirt or shorts. Black shoes, preferably not trainers.

All items can be ordered online at Marks and Spencer

## **Traffic Issues**

Please do not park on the zig-zag areas and please do not reverse into the school gateway when the gates are closed. Both of these practices are extremely dangerous for your children.

# NON-UNIFORM DAY—FRIDAY 5TH JUNE CAKE STALL—THURSDAY 11TH JUNE

Hannah in Year 6 is organising a non-uniform day and a cake stall in aid of the victims of the Nepal earthquake.

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CHILDREN'S WHOLE SCHOOL
ATTENDANCE FOR WEEK 11TH MAY TO 15TH
MAY WAS:

THE TARGET IS 95.50%

96.11%

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WEEKLY WINNERS:

Green and Blue Classes both

KS1 and KS2 achieved 96.67%

Class 4B achieved 100%!

PLEASE REMEMBER TO CALL THE SCHOOL TO ADVISE US WHEN YOUR CHILD IS ILL OR HAS AN APPOINTMENT.

We have a Vacancy for a Mid-Day Supervisor Position

5 lunchtimes per week Mondays to Fridays inclusive From 12.20 p.m. until 1.40 p.m. To start as soon as possible Rate of Pay: £6.90 per hour Term Time Only

For an application form please call at the School Office, telephone 0116 2862674 or email office@danemill.leics.sch.uk