



**DODFORD FIRST SCHOOL**  
**NEWSLETTER**  
*Every Day, a Learning Journey*

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## **Mental Health and Wellbeing**

It was lovely to see the children dressed in green today to support World Mental Health Day. As always, we look for any opportunity to remind the children about how important it is to look after their own mental health and wellbeing and those of others.

## **MacMillan Coffee Morning**

We would like to say big thank you for your support at this event this morning. Lots of cakes were sold and cakes will be sold again at break time on Monday as we still have lots left over, so please send your child in with their 50p if they would like to enjoy a cake whilst also giving to a very worthwhile charity.

Can we say a big thank you to those who ran the coffee morning, we really appreciate your support, especially with reduced staffing at this time. A big thank you to Mrs Fairhurst, Ms Gregory, Mrs Currier and Mrs Porter for giving up your time this morning to help us bring the community together.

## **Eco invites**

Mrs Sharples has been talking to the children about our eco Green Team, those that would like to be part of this team have a poster to create for her and we will soon be announcing our Green Team Members!

## **Newspaper Team**

We are pleased to announce that we are running our Newspaper Team again this year. Our team members this year are, Freya B, Isaac, Edie, Annabel and Theo C. Well done and we look forward to reading the Autumn edition!

## **Christmas Cards**

I know, we have mentioned the C word! The children have been sent home today with a letter and card design. This is a fundraising project organised by the Parent's Association and we ask that orders are sent in to school by Tuesday 12th October. You can order a range of items and they will be that bit more special as they have been designed by your child!

## **Upcoming dates for your diary**

12.10.21—Christmas card orders to be in school

18.10.21—Harvest Festival service at Dodford Church (children and staff only)

19.10.21 & 20.10.21—Virtual Parents Evenings

21.10.21—Feel Good Thursday!

21.10.21—Achievement assembly—children only

21.10.21—Children break up for half term break

## **CLUBS THIS HALF TERM AFTER SCHOOL**

Thursday –Multi Skills

Friday - Robins and Owls Football

## **ATTENDANCE**

**Wrens -%**

**Robins (1) -%**

**Robins (2) -%**

**Owls (3) -%**

**Owls (4) -%**



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### **School council**

We held our council elections and we can now announce our school councillors for the year, two children from each year group will take part in meetings and ask their classes about fund-raising projects and improvements around school.

Reception (Wrens) - Maisie and Henry

Year 1 (Robins) - Florence and Philippa

Year 2 (Robins) - Chester and Keziah

Year 3 (Owls) - Freya and Theo

Year 4 (Owls) - Theo and Sonny



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Star Pupils this week are:

Wren— Leila

Robin 1— Nieva

Robin 2— Sennen

Owl 3— Annabel

Owl 4— Isaac

House Points over past week—

Avon—45

Teme—53

Severn—56



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