



Fortnightly newsletter

# Dallington CE Primary School

...be an example to the believers with your words, your actions, your love, your faith and our pure life. (1 Timothy 4:12)

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## Parental lunches

A massive thank you to everyone who was able to come in and support this initiative. We are in the last week – parents from Brightling class are sampling the kitchen's produce! A huge thank you to Lucy and her team who have made this possible! I will send a brief feedback form, via email, just so we have some evidence, and we can also pass any feedback on to Chartwells. It will only take 5 mins to complete.

## Big dance

On Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup>, the children from Brightling class travelled to HCC for the Heathfield Schools Big Dance. The class had been learning a routine to Thriller by Michael Jackson. They then performed the routine, alongside 11 other schools to parents and other adults. They were all amazing



## Upcoming events

### March

- w/b 9<sup>th</sup> Parental lunches – Bri
- 11<sup>th</sup> Big Dance – Brightling class
- 13<sup>th</sup> Bobbi in
- 20<sup>th</sup> Open afternoon 2:30pm
- 20<sup>th</sup> Comic Relief mufti day
- w/b 23<sup>rd</sup> Reports home
- 27<sup>th</sup> Young at Heart
- 27<sup>th</sup> Easter Egg Hunt
- 27<sup>th</sup> Last day of term

### April

- 13<sup>th</sup> Inset day
- 14<sup>th</sup> First day of term 5

## Sensory training

Last week we had two people from the East Sussex sensory needs team come in and work with all the children on recognising and understanding sensory needs. The team worked with each year group – they identified their senses, did some fun activities around senses but also learnt how difficult day to day life can be for children with sensory needs.

## FODS

The ladies of FODS have been on a role recently. On Friday 6th March, FODS held a quiz night. A massive thank you to Gavin for organising the quiz questions and running the event. It was a fun evening of knowledge, laughter and brain scratching! Well done to the eventual winners Quizzy Rascals.

They have organized delicious Mothers day gift boxes- these will be handed out on Friday 13<sup>th</sup>. I have my own pot of clotted cream!

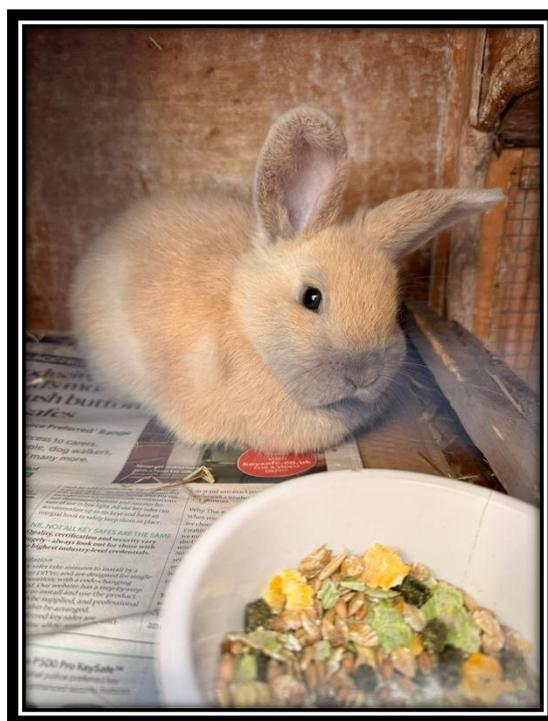
Finally, as we look at new events they are holding an art afternoon. This will be a brilliant opportunity to come along, glue, paint, make and enjoy a wonderful afternoon of art. Permission is given through the Arbor shop. It will be first come first served and will be limited – due to the nature of the activities - to 50 children.



## **Pets**

This little bundle of fluff and joy is called Blossom, she is the newest member of Dallington Class. As a class pet goes she is very cute!

Blossom is very well trained and friendly and will prove to be a wonderful addition to the class and school.



## **Comic relief day**

On Friday 20<sup>th</sup> we have a mufti day to support the wonderful work of Comic Relief – the theme for this years to Red to Toe – dressing in all red! The children can wear red for a donation of £1. If you would like to donate to this wonderful charity through the school please put your donation in an envelope with the amount and Comic Relief written on the front. All of the money raised will go direct to support their work.

## **Library**

Last week we opened our school library. After a year of redecorating, planning and restocking we finally had a grand opening. A massive thank you to Hayley and the other members of FODS who helped sort the books, Mr Thompson for all his woodworking skills, Phyllis for opening the library for us and Mrs Bloom for all of her enthusiasm and drive to get the library open.

## World Book day

Also last week, we held our World Book Day – it was a wonderful celebration of books! Lots happened in school, but the real highlight was all the costumes! The children and costumes were brilliant! Well done to everyone.

