



Deer Park School

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13th July 2018

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School Aims

We aim to nurture confident, responsible, resilient learners who know how to keep safe; and to remain significantly above borough and national averages in attainment.

Upcoming Events

- **PTA Children's Summer Party**—Monday 16th July
- **Kew Gardens Trip (Fawn)** - Tuesday 17th July
- **End of Term Concert**—Wednesday 18th July—2.30pm in the RACC theatre
- **Last Day of Term**—Thursday 19th July (Special Celebration of Achievement Event for pupils)
- **INSET Days**—Monday 3rd and Tuesday 4th September (school closed to pupils)
- **Back to school for Years 1-3**—Wednesday 5th September—
- **Fawn Class start mornings only**—Monday 10th September
- **Fawn Class start full time**—Monday 24th September
- **Prospective Parent Talk/Tour**—9.30am Wednesday 3rd October

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Dear Parents, Carers and Friends,

Well here we are at the end of another academic year—the third in Deer Park School's whirlwind history! As I write this and reflect on our amazing journey, I am feeling quite emotional at the enormous successes; the challenges we've overcome; and the phenomenal progress made by each and every single pupil.

The school has changed so much in three years—from one class of 13, to three classes of 80—and next year we will reach triple figures and see our buildings and grounds grow even further!

Despite all this rapid growth, what I still hold very dear is that as we expand, we continue to protect the community feel of the school and the personalised experience for every single pupil and every one of you.

Oh, and Ofsted I hear you ask! They came. They saw and believed what we live and breathe every single day. They recognised all the fabulous strengths and successes and we can not wait for the report to be made public!

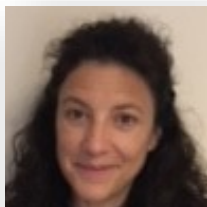
Have a truly wonderful summer break when it comes and thank you all for your unfaltering support for Deer Park School.

Alison Colenso

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New Staff!



Victoria Coward



Esmeralda Caro

We are delighted to be welcoming two new members of staff to the team in September. Victoria Coward joins us as the new class teacher for Year 3. Victoria has a wealth of teaching experience from Key Stage 2 and will be leading this phase of the school as we grow. Victoria says,

"I am so delighted to be teaching at Deer Park School in September. In keeping with the deer theme I have decided to call the class 'Muntjac Class'. My father used to tell a joke about Muntjac deer so it is a lovely way to remember him. Chocolate will be our first topic. We shall learn all about how it is made, where it comes from and delve into the world of Charlie and the Chocolate Factory. I shall spend the summer cycling, swimming and running in preparation for my triathlon in September with Mrs Bracegirdle. I look forward to getting to know the children, staff and parents. Have a super summer."

We will also be welcoming Esmeralda Caro to our administration team and we know Mrs Khurana will be very happy with the extra support.

Scarecrow at RHS Hampton Court

We're still waiting to hear how we fared in the competition—but many thanks to everyone that visited and took photos and most importantly voted for us! Fingers crossed!

Uniform

A gentle reminder that in September we expect all children to return to school in their fabulous full Deer Park uniform.



If the weather is still warm in the first few days we will of course allow children to remove their ties/jumpers etc.

New classrooms

Years 1 and 2 will be occupying the new classrooms in September with Reception staying where they are and Year 3 occupying the upstairs classroom.

Changes

It has come to that time of the year again when we are thinking about the changes that are about to take place – it may be moving house and therefore starting at a new school or moving to the next class at Deer Park. Some of these changes leave us with a whole mixture of different feelings. The children have been talking openly about how they feel and for many it is excitement mixed with feeling a little bit nervous. The important thing is to talk about these feelings and understand that they are all normal and ok.

Mobile Phones

We kindly request that parents don't use their mobile phones within school and to not take photographs of anything without first asking permission from a member of staff as this may put us in breach of the GDPR. Thank you.

Posh Pencils and Bands

TIME FOR
SOMETHING
NEW!

Mrs Bracegirdle

Science Fair



Wow! We were overwhelmed by the enthusiasm shown by all your wonderful children for

entries they put together for the science fair. There were so many entries and it was very hard to judge the winners. After much deliberation we are pleased to announce: the Fawn class prize was awarded to Ollie for his prey and predator poster; the Roe class prize went to Zachary, who measured various temperatures and made a poster; the Marsh class prize was given to Aanya, who had made a model about the planets and clearly explained it to us. There was one overall prize awarded and that went to Alex in Roe class for his model of the lungs. All entries were excellent and all of the children should feel very proud of their efforts. Thank you so much for your continued support.

British Values – The

Rule of Law



The children took part in discussions around the reasons why we need laws in the country and rules at school. One child said that without rules at school it would be chaos! During the week they talked about how rules help keep us safe both at school, at home and in Great Britain.

Golden Tie

Last week Bella in Roe Class was awarded the Golden Tie.

Bella has worked quietly and steadily throughout the year and all the staff are delighted to recognise the progress and effort she has made – particularly with her reading. She is kind-hearted and thoughtful and looks after her friends. She is bright and cheerful and always makes sure she says hello in the morning. Bella you deserve the golden tie because of your sheer resilience! Very well done indeed!



This week sees Bella hand over the tie to Bryanna in Fawn Class. Bryanna will be our last golden tie awardee of the year! Bryanna has smiled her way through reception and without a doubt is the happiest person during the 'glad game'. She loves sharing her news with the class and has taught us all how to click! She has been a wonderful friend to everyone in the class and is often the first to comfort someone when they feel sad. She has worked so hard in all areas all year through and often ends up on our challenge board. She tackles every task enthusiastically and often finishes the day with lots of lolly sticks in her envelope!

Well done to Bella and Bryanna and to all our golden tie wearers this year!

Stars of the Week!



Week Commencing	Fawn	Roe	Marsh
02.07.18	Mr Elk, Mrs Woof and Monsieur Baa Baa have loved going on adventures with you all this year, but are now enjoying a little holiday of their own! (They got a term-time deal!)		
09.07.18			

Attendance

Roe Class 100% last week—hooray! This week Marsh Class have achieved an amazing 100%. Well done everyone!

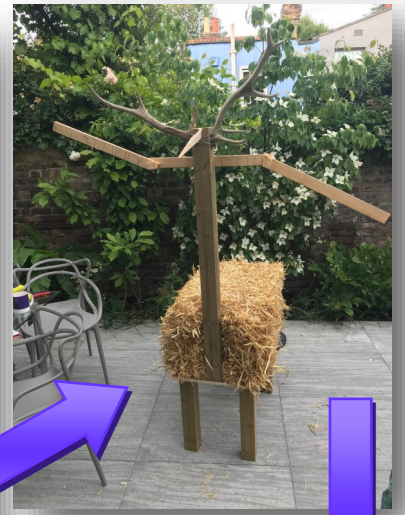


Week Commencing	Fawn	Roe	Marsh
02.07.18	96%	100%	99%
09.07.18	95%	98%	100%

Have a wonderful weekend!

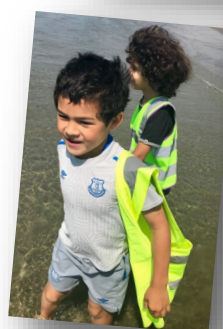
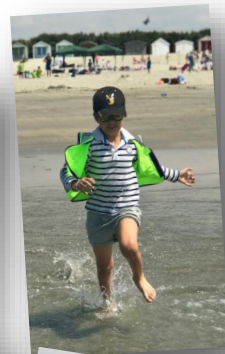
The Deer Park Team

Scarecrow!
'Our fruit and veg
are not DEER!'



West Wittering Beach

11th July 2018





Sports Day 2018



Welcome
to the FIRST
EVER Deer Park School
Science Fair!!!
Please feel free to browse
and explore all of our
fantastic entries!
Well done to all,
Miss Frost 😊

