



Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2017

## Falconbrook Newsletter for Parents

**We have enjoyed an excellent first half term of the school year here at Falconbrook!**

The term started with the grand opening of our newly refurbished dining room, which was opened by Levi Roots.



New Dining Room Levi Roots cut the ribbon to officially open our dining room and meets pupils.

### Our new after school clubs began this term.

**All club places are now full.**

Currently we have the following weekly clubs in KS1

- Drama Club
- Multisport Club
- Art Club
- Story and Book Club

And the following clubs in KS2

- Hockey Club
- Table Tennis Club
- Year 6 Study Club
- Spanish Club Cross Country & Football Club
- Choir Club (at lunchtimes)
- Multisport Club



**These have been very popular and successful and will continue until the end of term.**

**We hope to be able to offer more clubs in January 2018.**

### Diwali Celebrations at Falconbrook

As part of our whole school Diwali celebrations this week all classes worked with a Diwali dance specialist to learn and then perform a Diwali dance.

**Pictures below are of Early Years and KS1 children learning and performing their Diwali dances.**





**Coming soon to Falconbrook....**

Next half term we have some exciting projects starting at Falconbrook:

**The Falconbrook Pump Art Project.**

A group of children from KS2 will be working with professional artists to design the hoarding that will surround The Falconbrook Pump during their building works. This hoarding will be over 3 metres tall and will be on display for many months!

**The Winstanley and York Gardens History Project.**

Both Brunette and Clemson Class will be working with professional historians / archivists and artists on this project about the history of both estates. The **film** the **book** that the children will be making will be shown at a special event at Battersea Arts Centre ....*more details to follow.*

**Maths and Money Project**

McGinley Class and Alecock Class will be taking part in an exciting maths based project along with Metro Bank.

**Kidz Fit Sessions:** All children will take part in an aerobic exercise lesson on Tuesday **31.10.17**

**As well as this we have exciting themed weeks coming up. Starting on:**

- Thursday **2<sup>nd</sup> November:** The launch of our whole school Black History project. This project will focus on Martin Luther-King's famous "**I have a Dream**" speech.
- Monday **6<sup>th</sup> November - Enterprise Week.** Which class will win the contest and be funded to develop a product to sell at the Falconbrook Christmas Fair? Who will pitch their ideas to the Falconbrook Business Angels?
- Monday **13<sup>th</sup> November. Anti-Bullying Week** at Falconbrook. This week of events will be organised by staff and the School Council to raise awareness of anti-bullying at Falconbrook.
- Monday **20<sup>th</sup> November: Writing Week.** A special and unique writing project will be launched this week. What will it be?

*Updates on all these events will be included in future newsletters.*

**Attendance & Punctuality continues to improve at Falconbrook.**

The classes with the best attendance this week were:

- KS1: Hughes Class with 97.5%
- KS2 Clemson Class with **100%**  
**Keep it up!**

The classes with the best punctuality this week were:

- KS1: Steer Class with 0 lates
- KS2: Golden Class 0 lates.

**CONGRATULATIONS!**



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**A reminder**



Children should not bring their own pencil case, pencil, pens or rubbers to school.

This has been happening in some classes recently.

If your child has any of these items please make sure they leave them at home.

Thank you.

