

## Ditton Primary Newsletter

#### A Message from the Staff

As we wrap up another fantastic school year, it's safe to say we've ended on a high! This final week has been as busy and exciting as ever, with pupils and staff making the most of every moment before the summer break.

Year 6 took centre stage with their spectacular performance of Shrek, which they've worked incredibly hard to perfect. The whole school gathered to watch the show, and what a treat it was! Everyone sat beautifully and thoroughly enjoyed the performance well done, Year 6!

Year 3 stepped back in time during their trip to Chester, where they experienced a real Roman duel complete with teacher participation! It was a brilliant mix of learning and laughter, and a great way to bring their history topic to life.

Year 6 also had a thrill-filled day at Gulliver's World, enjoying the rides and making lasting memories with friends and teachers alike.

To end the year on a more reflective note, we spent a lovely afternoon together in our classrooms sharing stories, playing games, and enjoying some quality time before we all head off on our summer adventures.

We're already looking forward to welcoming everyone back in September. However, we won't be seeing everyone again, as we say a fond farewell to Miss Banlin, Miss Welsh, Mr Millar, Mrs Nelson, and Mrs Pauls. We thank them for everything they've contributed to our school community and wish them all the very best for the future. Have a wonderful, restful summer holiday we'll see you in September!

Please note that we will be sending out information regarding Autumn after school clubs, upon return to school in September.

A Message from Mrs Pauls

After 14 years, the time has come for me to say goodbye to Ditton. It is with a full heart and deep gratitude that I reflect on my time here – years filled with laughter, growth and so many cherished memories.



To the children, thank you for your curiosity, kindness and the joy you bring to the classroom. Watching you grow in confidence and character has been one of the greatest privileges.

To the families, thank you for your trust and partnership over the years. As I close this chapter, I carry with me the precious memories from Ditton and leave you with the warmest wishes and heartfelt thanks. Mrs Pauls

#### A Message from Mr Millar

"As many of you all know, I am starting a new job in September that will be closer to my family in Staffordshire.

One of the hardest parts of moving away is having to say



goodbye to the wonderful children and staff which have made this job a pleasure from beginning to end. From the corridors of Ditton Primary, to Delamere Forest and then Peru! I have been to many places during my time here, but the greatest blessing has been getting to know you all.

So, as we begin the next chapter of our adventures, I want to wish everyone good luck and to remind you all to keep being your amazing selves, no matter what life throws at you! Many thanks, Mr Millar"

### A Message from Miss Banlin

I just wanted to say thank you to all of the children in Y3AB who have made my 6 months teaching you so memorable.

I will always remember the residential experiences and the school

trip to Chester. I know that you are going to be amazing in Year 4 and I hope you have a lovely and well deserved summer break.

### A Message from Miss Welsh

I want to give a massive thank you to all of the staff and children I've had the honour to work with for the past 3 years at Ditton. I would not be the TA I am today without everyone I've worked with and I am excited to begin my new journey, doing my teacher training. Hopefully, one day in the future, I'll be back to teach a class!





# Achievements outside of school

Last weekend, a group of our incredibly talented students took part in an exciting dance competition, going head-to-head with teams from across the region. The event was packed with energy, talent, and fierce competition, and our students rose to the occasion! We're thrilled to share that they didn't just participate, they shone! Their hard work, dedication, and passion for dance truly paid off as they delivered outstanding performances across multiple categories.

We're incredibly proud to announce that our students brought home multiple awards, impressing both the judges and the audience with their skill and spirit. What a fantastic achievement!

A huge congratulations to all the dancers involved, your commitment and teamwork are an inspiration to us all. Keep dancing and keep dreaming big!







