



Photo: Watching the tractors in the fields from the field at lunchtime

Upham CE (Aided) Primary School

Friday 17 October



YR Y1&2 Y3&4 Y5&6

We announced our new school counsellors today in our celebration worship. Squirrels, Hedgehogs and Badgers Classes have all voted in their classrooms. Children who wanted to be considered put forward ideas and then children voted on which ideas they felt were best – rather than voting for people where friendships would dominate. This means that our school council has been elected based on their forward thinking and creativity! Dormice Class was a little different, these children have no experience yet of what school council is about so two representatives were chosen to join. Well done to:

Year R: Lily & Flo

Year 1: Jude & Celia

Year 2: Yvie & Hugo

Year 3: Eve & Phoenix

Year 4: Edward & Florence

Year 5: Zoe & Albert

Year 6: Archie & Emi

We hope to meet for the first time next week.

Dates for your Diary:

- Wed 22 Oct – Parents Evening 4pm-6.30pm
- Mon 27-Fri 31 Oct Half Term
- Mon 3 Nov – INSET Closure Day

Save the Date

A future date for your diary is FUS Christmas Fair, planned for Saturday 6th Dec 2-4pm

Reminder of Road Closure – NEXT WEEK!

The planned road closure will be in place next week. It is unlikely to be all week but until they start it is hard to know when this might be in place. If we get news that it's on or equally it's finished, we'll send parent emails to keep you informed.

Remember, if Upham street is closed you will have to approach the school from the top (ie the church end of Upham) – Stakes Lane is an obvious approach. **You will need to allow more time than usual!**

INSET Days left for 25/26

- Mon 3 Nov
- Mon 5 Jan
- Mon 23 Feb
- Fri 22 May

Check you haven't missed these communications this week:

- Mon – email about school uniform
- Fri – FUS Disco sign-up - slip to be returned a.s.a.p.

FAIR OAK COMMUNITY LIBRARY

CALLING ALL YOUNG WRITERS & ARTISTS

AGE 5-16!



WRITE

A MAX-500 WORD STORY OR POEM.



OR DRAW A PICTURE OR PAINTING

Deadline extended to 1st November

GIFT VOUCHERS AS PRIZES TO THE TOP 3!

SUBMIT TO THE LIBRARY OR EMAIL AT HELLO@FAIROAKCOMMUNITYLIBRARY.ORG

Entries will be included in a book to be published later this year.

Culture Week

Each class will be learning about a different culture next week in culture week. By focussing on a country they will explore the geography, history, stories, religion, peoples and traditions of that country. This lends itself to lots of cookery, music, artwork and exploration so should be a nice, engaging way to close the term. I'll try and add some pictures to next week's Newsletter so you can see some of the things they have explored.

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