



The Friends of Ditcham Park School

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Leaping into Spring!

And **we're back!** We're looking forward to the next few weeks of the Spring term, with Easter only 5 weeks away!

First this week – 2 important reminders.

REMINDER – THE DITCHAM “BAG FOR LIFE” – ORDER NOW!

DEADLINE MONDAY 29TH FEBRUARY

**Just
£5!**

Remember the exciting news we shared in our last newsletter?

Well, the Juniors have been busily working away on their self-portraits, ready to print onto the Ditcham “Bag for Life”

– and from what we've seen, we think it will be an amazing keepsake (and useful too!).



An order form is available at the end of this newsletter. Please send into the School Office, for the attention of Denise Allen FDPS Treasurer without delay! We hope to deliver your bags just ahead of the Easter holiday.

Vicki Harvey (Chair); Lucy Reidy (Vice-Chair) Denise Allen (Treasurer); Nalini Dentten (Secretary)
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REMINDER - COVER COMPETITION TIME !

This year's FDPS May Fayre takes place on Saturday 21st May, and has a Carnival theme!

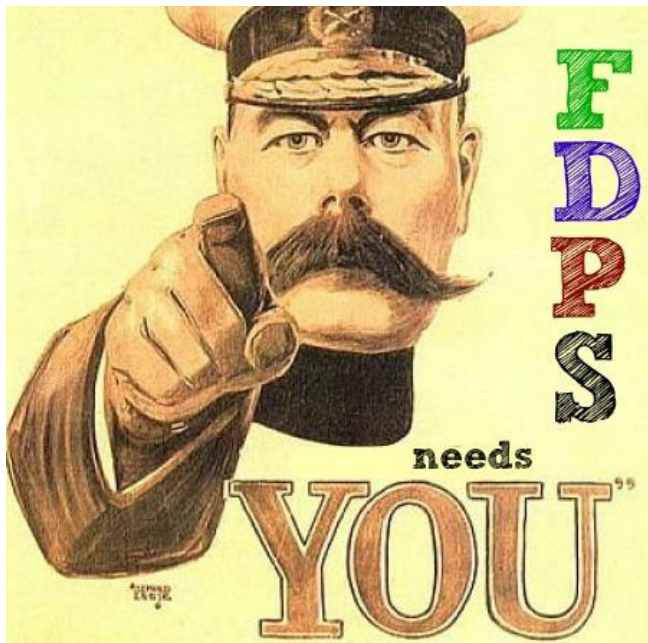
Juniors are invited to design a picture to grace the cover of our Carnival programme... **for the winning design, judged at the next FDPS Committee Meeting (3rd March), there is a prize – a £10 book token and £5 of vouchers to spend at the Fayre!**

Please remember the competition deadline of Monday 29th February!

An entry form for the competition was sent home in book bags prior to Half Term – further copies are available, please contact us via the Friends' email friendsditcham@gmail.com or leave a message via the School Office.



DON'T FORGET - DEADLINE FOR ENTRIES – 29TH FEBRUARY!



VOLUNTEERING OPPORTUNITIES!

Over the next few months we'll be inviting you to help out at a variety of events, including the May Open Morning Café (Saturday 7th May) and the May Fayre (Saturday 21st May). All of us on the FDPS Committee realise that we couldn't achieve half the things we do, without YOU, the Ditcham Park community! If you're interested in any volunteering opportunities, keep an eye out for these regular

newsletters, or contact us via the Friends' email at friendsditcham@gmail.com

First opportunity appears overleaf....!



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Juniors Easter Party Helpers required!

Are you free on the afternoon of Tuesday 22nd March? If so, and you'd like to help at the Juniors Easter Party, then please contact our Vice-Chair, Lucy Reidy, via the Friends email friendsditcham@gmail.com



It will be so much fun, please be part of it!

Yes, finally, there certainly is a feeling that Spring is in the air don't you think? Hurrah!

By the way... we would like to take this opportunity to wish anyone at Ditcham with a Leap Year Birthday "Very Happy Returns" for next Monday 29th February! Enjoy your day ☺

PS: Don't forget to order your copy of the Ditcham print! Just a few remain (only £50)!



Denise Allen, on behalf of

Vicki Harvey (Chair)

Lucy Reidy (Vice-Chair)

and the FDPS Committee



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ORDER FORM FOR THE DITCHAM BAG FOR LIFE

I would like the following DPS Bags for Life:



Qty..... x "Chocolate" design



Qty..... x "Summer" design



Qty..... x "Love" design

Total no:..... @ £5/bag =

Total payment: £.....

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Your name: _____

Child's name: _____ Form: _____

Contact details:

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Please send this order form to Denise Allen (Treasurer) via the School Office, together with your total payment, cheques please made payable to "Friends of Ditcham Park" or "FDPS".... Thank you ☺