

The Ducky Digest

Summer term Edition | July 2026

Keeping our Duckmanton school community connected



From the Pond

Welcome to the first ever Ducky Digest!

We're delighted to have relaunched the Duckmanton Primary School PFA and have lots of exciting ideas for the coming year. Whether you can volunteer regularly, help occasionally, or simply support our fundraising events, we'd love to have you involved.

Making a Splash!

As another fantastic school year comes to an end, we'd like to say a huge thank you to everyone who has supported the relaunch of the PFA.

From the new members who have come in with fantastic fresh ideas for events and fundraising, to the parents who so generously supported us at Sports Day events spending a whopping £173.70 on refreshments!

We appreciate all your help in making a difference to the school community.

We're excited to build on that support next year with more fun events, new fundraising ideas and even more opportunities to bring our school community together.

Our Plans for Next Year

- ★ Organise fun events for families
- ★ Raise money for exciting projects
- ★ Welcome more volunteers
- ★ Bring our school community together

Every little bit of support creates a ripple. We can't wait to make an even bigger splash together next year!

The Great Smarties Challenge!

Can you help us fill our pond?

Every child will bring home a tube of Smarties and a special summer mission!

Your mission is simple...

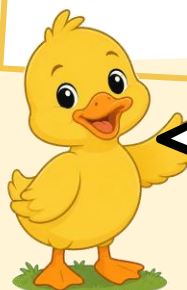
- 1 Eat the Smarties (Alternative dietary requirements will be available).
- 2 Fill the empty tube with as many 20p coins as you can.
- 3 Bring your tube back to school in **September**. We'll remind you when it's time!

Every coin you collect will help the PFA fund exciting opportunities and experiences for all the children at our school.

Bonus Challenge!

Bring your Smarties tube back in September and you'll be entered into a prize draw to win a fantastic **Family Hamper**!

Let's see how much we can raise together... every penny makes a splash!  



Did you know...
a smarties tube can
hold up to £12 in 20p
coins!



What's Quacking off?

We've got lots of exciting plans for the new school year! Keep an eye on Class Dojo in September for more details.

Coming Up

 **September** – Return your **Great Smarties Challenge** tube. We'll let you know when and where to bring it in.

 **Back to School Disco** – A chance to dance, have fun and celebrate the new school year.

 **Christmas Fayre** – Games, stalls, festive treats and lots of Christmas fun!

Meet Your PFA

Debbie Chair	Leonie Deputy Chair	Ellen Secretary	Charley Treasurer	

Liam	Teu	Vicki	Jessica	Leah
Carl	Nicki	Carla	Jemma	Lisa

Come and chat to any of us if you need anything or contact us on
DuckmantonPrimary.PFA@outlook.com

Join the Flock!

Can You Help?

You don't have to join the PFA to make a difference!

Could you...

-  Bake a cake?
-  Donate a raffle prize?
-  Help at an event?
-  Share an idea?
-  Wrap presents?
-  Spare an hour of your time?

Every helping hand, big or small, helps us make a splash for our children. Thank you!

The Duckling £5 Challenge

Watch This Space...

Something exciting is coming this autumn term.

Can you turn £5 into something amazing?

We'll be challenging our Duckmanton children to become young entrepreneurs by using their creativity and great ideas to grow their £5.

The money they raise will be donated back to the PFA to help fund exciting opportunities for everyone at our school.

How far can you make it go?

More details will be shared after the holidays.



Quackers Corner

Who stole the soap?
The robber ducky!

Why did the duck cross the road?
To prove he wasn't a chicken!

What did the duck do after he read all these jokes?
He quacked up!

