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Reminders: We will be holding a Healthy Schools Challenge day next Tuesday - all of the children can spend the day in their PE kit to participate in different activities
Letters issued this week: All Years - Newsletter, Uniform Consultation

| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
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| Year 3 Super Hero Day | Healthy Schools Challenge Day | Year 1 trip to "All Things Wild" | Peer Review Day | Inset Day |
| (Parents invited at 2.15pm) | Year 4 Swimming Lesson | Playtime in the Paddock | Lego Club Lunchtime |  |
| KS1 Fitness 3.30-4.30pm | Football Club 3.30-4.45pm | Hand Chimes Club 3pm | Art Club KS1 3.30-4.30pm |  |
|  |  | Textiles Club 3.30-4.30pm | Art Club KS2 3.30-4.30pm |  |
|  |  | Cooking Club 3.30-4.30pm |  |  |
|  |  | Netball Club 3.30pm-4.30pm |  |  |

## News from the Headteacher

Albert Einstein once said, 'If I were not a physicist, I would probably be a musician. I often think in music. I live my daydreams in music. I see my life in terms of music. He would have definitely loved last Friday evening when over 40 different musicians played, sang and performed at our annual music soiree. Miss Bradburn organises this event every year to raise money for charity and for music provision in the school. She asked me at the end what my highlights were. 'All of it' I said. I was overwhelmed by the children's confidence and talents. What amazing musicians we have here at Stratford. A huge thank you to Miss Bradburn, Mrs Fade, Mrs Hill, Mrs Bean and Miss O'Connell who organised it all, prepared the hall, served drinks and supported the children and helped to raise a grand total of $£ 556$.

Congratulations to Year 6 for completing their week of statutory testing. They have persevered and tried their best and that is all we can ask of them. All of Year 6 have smiled their way through the week. They have really enjoyed their toast every morning which has set them up for the day. Thank you to Mrs McCormack and Mrs Euinton who continually teach and support the children so well. Year 6 would also like to say thank you to the rest of the school for being so respectful during their tests by working quietly and calmly so they could concentrate.

FOSPs met this week to start the planning for our summer fayre on Saturday 14th July (keep the date.) We have lots of exciting stalls planned and if you are able to help in any way possible the committee would be very grateful. Watch out for further news.

On Thursday every child had the opportunity to take part in Scootability. Liam the instructor taught the children key skills to ride them safely when they are out and about on the road. We want both scooter users and members of the public to feel safe. It's crucial that everyone is comfortable with the key skills and have an understanding and awareness of other road users and pedestrians. Liam taught them a few tricks that they can also use in a safe environment such as a skate park. Many of our children now ride scooters to and from school and we want them to be safe and happy.

As part of our ongoing development of homework we would like to form a working party of parents, children, staff and governors. If you would like to put your name forward to be part of this group then please email the office. Names will be put in a hat and selected at random if there is a significant amount of volunteers.

The Senior Leadership Team have been completing a work scrutiny over the past 2 weeks of all books in school, particularly looking at presentation of work, handwriting policy and marking. We are focussed on ensuring that high expectations are set for all children and regularly monitor teaching and learning in our school.

We have a busy week ahead of us next week. It is Dementia Awareness week and some of our children will be visiting VASA day care to spend time with some of the older people who enjoy a wide range of activities at Elizabeth House. We will be holding a Healthy Schools Challenge day next Tuesday - all of the children can spend the day in their PE kit to participate in different activities. It is also our Peer Review next Thursday when members of the trust will be coming in and evaluating. Lots of things as usual.

I hope you enjoy celebrating the royal wedding this weekend.
'Love recognises no barriers. It jumps hurdles, leaps fences, penetrates walls to arrive at its destination full of hope.' Maya Angelou

Mrs Humphriss - Headteacher



## Music Tuition Fees 2018-19

Pupils wishing to continue / start / cancel Music tuition in September should have already returned forms to the school office; if forms haven't been returned please could they be returned to the school office as a matter of urgency.


## A Big Thank you to...

.Positive about Young People in Warwick who kindly donated an array of PE equipment to the school.

## Sporting Achievements at Stratford Primary

Jun played some fantastic table tennis on Saturday and was crowned the winner in the beginner's group of the Lillington Free church club tournament where he is a member.

In the competition, he beat off three strong opponents in the group stage, before going through to win the quarter finals, semifinals and eventually the final; against some very strong and older players. Jun won a total of six straight matches, which is a great achievement, coming only weeks after winning the Warwickshire boys under 11 championship.

Jun is extremely happy with his win (his second trophy) and he felt he wanted to share the good news with all of you.


On Sunday, Frankie and Leo from Year 4 went to West Bromwich Albion football stadium to play for the Stratford Town team.
"We won our first three games with the scores being 1-0, 3-0 and $5-1$. Our fourth game we drew 1-1 and Leo scored a free kick from 28 yards, in the final game it went to penalties, we scored all our penalties and Frankie saved the first penalty from the other team. We ended up winning and received this massive cup!"


## Safeguarding - Scootability 18th May





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Prevent: Workshop to Raise Awareness of Prevent (WRAP)

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Awareness raising training open to all: community members, frontline staff, parents, those working with families, children, young people and staff from community venues

This free two-hour session will run on
Tuesday 3rd JULY 9.30am - 11:30am

Tyler House, Tyler Street, Strattord

Book your place via www. warwickshire.learningpool.com


