

Stratford-upon-Avon Primary 'News'



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Reminders: Please could children bring in a named water bottle into school everyday

Letters issued this week: All Years - Newsletter, Y2 Picnic Lunch

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Year 5 & 6 play tickets go on sale today YR 2018 Stay & Play 3.45pm	Road Safety Y3 7 Y6 Year 2 & 3 Mindfulness Session Year 4 Swimming Lesson Football Club 3.30-4.45pm	Playtime in the Paddock Textiles Club 3.30-4.30pm Cooking Club 3.30-4.30pm Science Club 3.30pm-4.30pm Tennis Club 3.30pm-4.30pm YR 2018 Stay & Play 3.45pm	Rock Steady Music Academy Art Club KS1 3.30-4.30pm Art Club KS2 3.30-4.30pm	Inset Day School closed to pupils

News from the Headteacher

It has been a super busy week here at Stratford; lots of things happening across the school. We sang our way through Monday when we welcomed Rebecca from Singing Playgrounds. She taught each class different songs and rhymes to sing in the playground or when they are relaxed. Song leaders were appointed from lower KS2 and they learnt how they could lead singing games outside. Nicola one of our lunchtime supervisors is leading on this exciting initiative. At the end of the day we welcomed many of you to a parent workshop. We hoped you enjoyed dancing, singing and learning new things. We are looking forward to hearing songs and seeing children join in group games.

Year One children have been busy with phonics this week. It is statutory phonic screening week and the children have been very excited. They love sharing the phonics they have learnt and we have been really impressed with their progress. Well done Year One for your focussed learning.

Year 5 and 6 have been busy rehearsing for their play 'Ali Baba and the Bongo bandits.' The upper KS2 team have been busy sorting out props, music, costumes and nurturing our budding actors. It should be another brilliant extravaganza. Tickets have gone out on sale and can be purchased from the school office. We can't wait to be transported to the bazaar and ancient Arabia.

Miss Gill and myself welcomed our new Reception parents on Tuesday evening. This was opportunity for us to share lots of things about their child's time at Stratford and for them to meet each other and ask plenty of questions. It was a lovely evening and great to meet all our new parents. We are really looking forward to meeting our new children next week when they come in for 'stay and play' sessions.

We have celebrated maths this week and on Wednesday held a maths day. All of the school were exploring maths across the curriculum. We began the day with a super mover session learning our 10x table and then asked the question 'How big is a million?' Year 5 then completed a stock take of the PE cupboard and decided to sort out PE equipment using their place value knowledge. So a ball was worth one, a hockey stick 10, a net 100 etc. Year One made giant 3D shapes and impressed me with their knowledge of tetrahedrons. It was a really fun day and our message to everyone is maths is everywhere, it is part of our everyday lives. You can't function without it. I always tell the children if I didn't know maths and how to calculate figures the teachers wouldn't get paid; if I couldn't tell the time I'd be late into school every day; if I couldn't calculate speed I would drive too fast in my car. Maths can be fun.

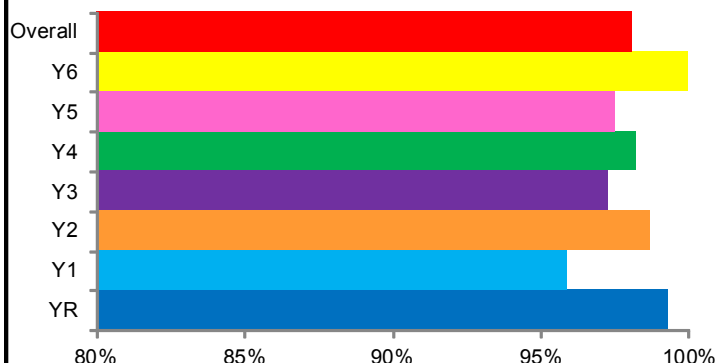
Malcolm from Severn Trent Water came in to deliver a fab assembly. He taught us how the water from rivers gets to our house and then through the sewerage system (that bit wasn't so fab!) We played a fun game on how to save water. Your child should have brought home a promise card so that you as a family can work out how much water you might waste and how you can save it. Very important as the hot dry days continue.

"For the things of this world cannot be made known without the knowledge of mathematics! Roger Bacon

Give someone a great big smile this weekend.

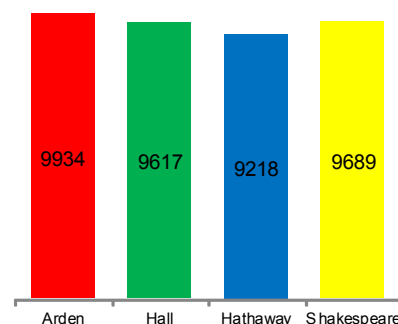
Mrs Humphriss - Headteacher

Weekly Attendance by Class



This week's winners of a visit from Desmond the Dragon are Year 6 with 100%, Well Done!

House Points - Year to date



Congratulations
Hall

you are this week's
House Cup winners



This Weeks Certificates

Achievement Certificates

Reception - Finn Mo
Year 1 - Louis B & Stanley B
Year 2 - Oscar B & Maia C
Year 3 - Harvey A
Year 4 - Jacob C, Harry H & Oscar W
Year 6 - Chloe C, May L, Oliver P

House Captain Respect

Arden - Ify M Y3
Hall - Thomas J Y3
Hathaway - Maya C Y3
Shakespeare - Alf S Y3

Singing Playgrounds Day



Maths Day



Severn Trent Water Assembly



Netball Tournament at Stratford-upon- Avon School



Unnamed Lost Property

Since the beginning of this week **28 unnamed** items of lost property have been collected.

Please could you ensure that all items of clothing and belongings are clearly labelled and regularly checked in case labels become loose and names become too faint to read.

All labelled items are returned to their owner, items which are unnamed will be kept in school for a limited time before being donated to charity.

The lost property box is held in the school office. If you have lost an **unnamed** item then please visit the school office or email admin2042@welearn365.com, stating the item, brand and size.

Y5 & Y6 Play Tickets

Performances on Wed 27th June & Thurs 28th June

Tickets go on sale for the Year 5 & 6 Play on Monday 18th June. Tickets cost £2.00 each and can be purchased from the School Office.

Please note that tickets are initially limited to 6 per family.

School Closing at 2.15pm on Friday 20th July

Stratford Primary will be closing at 2.15pm on Friday 20th July, pupils will not be returning to school after the church service at Holy Trinity. If you are not able to join us for the service your child will need to be collected from Holy Trinity at 2.15pm. If you are unable to collect your child please could you arrange for someone else to collect your child from church and ensure that the school office is aware of who is collecting.

Pupils who normally go to Cygnets after school on a Friday can be brought back from church by staff and will be taken straight to Cygnets if required. Mrs Allison has kindly offered to have the children an hour earlier, from 2.30pm, which will be charged at their normal hourly rate. Again please ensure that the school office and Cygnets know if you want your child taken there.

Non-Uniform Friday

All children are invited to join in a uniform-free day on

Friday 6th July

in exchange for donations for our Summer Fair.

If your child would like to take part please donate the following:

Reception, Years 1, 2 & 3

Sweets of any kind, packets or bags (NO CHOCOLATE)

Years 4, 5 & 6

Bottles anything ranging from wine, spirits, beer, kitchen or bathroom products

