

Stratford-sub-Castle Church of England VC Primary School

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Life in all its fullness

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Dear All

Welcome back after half term, I hope you all had a good week and were able to enjoy the lovely weather. The next few weeks are going to be extremely busy. I hope they will also be purposeful and fun! It has been lovely to see so many parents/ grandparents at Smiley Face Celebrations recently. We look forward to seeing many more of you in the coming weeks.

BOTTLE WEEK! (MONDAY 12TH JUNE – FRIDAY 16TH JUNE)

Yes folks it is that time of year again! Traditionally we hold bottle week in June, so that we can have a brilliant bottle tombola at the School June Fayre. This has proved to be very successful, thanks to some of you having a real competitive streak!

Points System

50 points = a bottle of spirit

20 points = a bottle of wine/alcohol

10 points = a bottle of lemonade/squash, ketchup, shampoo, bubble bath etc.

5 points = a bottle of water

This is not an exhaustive list and all your ideas/contributions will be welcomed. If a bottle is not on the list then I reserve the right to categorise it and award points. I am the referee and my decision is final!!! I may give bonus points for the most unusual and interesting bottles. The winning class with the most points on **Friday 16th June** will be announced in Smiley Face Celebrations and will be awarded an extra play time (or another prize of their choice which doesn't cost any money and is safe!) to be taken when they decide. **PLEASE BRING YOUR BOTTLES TO THE GATE and PLACE BOTTLES IN THE APPROPRIATE CLASS CRATE. MANY THANKS!**

JUNE SUMMER FAYRE (FRIDAY 30TH JUNE @ 6PM)

Our June Summer Fayre is always a wonderful, fun evening when the whole community comes together Please remember that all the funds raised by the FOSS – that means YOU (THANK YOU!) - go towards enhancing the experiences of each child in school. At the moment we are raising money to subsidize trips, pay for some new play equipment and to improve the track.

Raffle tickets will be sent home, in an envelope, with your children next week. Please return the envelope with any sold raffle ticket stubs and money and/or unsold raffle tickets to school and put in the red raffle ticket bin!

We could not put on these events without your help and support. If you are able to give half an hour to help us by manning a stall on the evening please email friendsofstratfordschool@gmail.com or drop a note via the FOSS Facebook page.

A message from FOSS

We will be running both Children and Adult Tombola's so need donations of good quality items suitable for both adults and children's tombolas. There will also be a lucky dip, so if you have a drawer full of party bag bits, now is your opportunity to clear out the drawer and donate for lucky dip prizes.

Tombola and lucky dip prizes can be donated to the school from the **12th June** and left in the crates outside the school gates.

We will also being having the ever-popular teddy tombola and we need donations for this. Please drop your donations for the teddy tombola week beginning 26th June.

If you have a lot to donate, FOSS can always arrange to collect, email friendsofstratfordschool@gmail.com or drop a note via our Facebook page. Thank you!

SING-UP DAY 2023: WEDNESDAY 28TH JUNE @ 09.15 (in the school hall)



As you probably know, we like a good sing at Stratford-sub-castle Primary School! Sing –Up Day provides families with the chance to come and join in! Mrs Aylett will conduct us in an hour of music and song!

Please let Mrs Munt in the school office know if you wish to attend.

admin@stratford-sub-castle.wilts.sch.uk

SPORTS DAY: THURSDAY 6TH JULY 2023

(Parents, grandparents and families all very welcome)

This is always one of the year's high-lights. I do hope you will be able to join us and cheer all the competitors on. We will be starting as near to 9.30am as possible and finish at about 11.45am.

Please bring a deck chair if you have one, we have run out of chairs in the past.

Refreshments provided by 'THE FOSS' will be available during the morning.

SAFETY RULES FOR SPORTS DAY

- Sit or stand on the side designated for parents- do not approach pupils on their side
- Carry refreshments with care, please do not purchase cakes and drinks for school pupils
- Stay away from the finishing line / zone
- Please do not allow younger siblings to play on the track or equipment
- During the water race please stand as close to the running track as possible

	ALL BACK TO SCHOOL	MONDAY 05.06.23
JUNE 2023	No clubs except Early Birds and Night Owls	w/c Monday 05.06.23
	Multiplication Tables Check (Year 4)	w/c Monday 05.06.23 -
		23.06.23
		(3 week window)
	FOSS Bring A Bottle Week	w/c Monday 12.06.23
	Phonic Screening (Year 1)	w/c Monday 12.06.23
	Clubs commence	w/c Monday 12.06.23
	Butterfly Class Visit to farm	Thursday 15.06.23
	Meeting for Parents of new intake	Thursday 15.06.23
	September 2024	@ 18:00
	Year 1 phonics showcase sessions	Tuesday 20.06.23
		Wednesday 21.06.23
	Induction Session 1: Year R September 2024.	Tuesday 20.06.23
		13:45 - 14:45
	Woodpecker visit to Steam Museum	Wednesday 21.06.23
	Sports Day Practice	Thursday 22.06.23
	Full Governing Body Meeting	Monday 26.06.23
		@ 19:15
	Induction Session 2: Year R September 2024.	Tuesday 27.06.23
		13:45 – 14:45
	Robin Class visit Langford Lakes	Tuesday 27.06.23
	Sing Up!	Wednesday 28.06.23 @
		09.15 in hall
	Owl Class visit Fleet Air Arm Museum	Thursday 29.06.23
	Non- Uniform Day for Fayre	Friday 30.06.23
	June Fayre	Friday 30.06.23 @ 18:00
	(No after school clubs except Night Owls)	

MONTH	EVENT	DATE
8	Prayer Space in school	Monday 03.07.23
		Tuesday 04.07.23
	Induction Session 3: Year R September	Tuesday 04.07.23
	2024	13:45 – 14:45
	Sports Day (school field)	Thursday 06.07.23
		@ 09:30
	Reserve Sports Day (school field)	Friday 14.07.23
		@ 09:30
)23	Annual Reports to Parents	w/c Monday 10.07.23
JULY 2023	No Clubs except Early Birds and Night Owls	w/c Monday 10.07.23
	Robin Class Show to their families.	Wednesday 12.07.23
		@ 19:00
	Family Open Evening – Parents and	Monday 17.07.23
	grandparents welcome.	@ 15:30 - 18:00
	Whole School end of year event – in school	Monday 24.07.23
	time.	
	Leavers' Service in St Lawrence Church	Tuesday 25.07.23
		@ 13:30
	BREAK FOR SUMMER HOLIDAYS	TUESDAY 25.07.22
	NO NIGHT OWLS AFTER SCHOOL.	@ 15:00