



STOKENCHURCH PRIMARY SCHOOL & NURSERY



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THIS TERM'S SCHOOL VALUES ARE TO SPOT OUR CHILDREN WHO ARE:

SUCCESSFUL



THIS WEEK:

BEHAVIOUR LETTER UPDATE
ASH CLASS ASSEMBLY
STORYTELLER
IMPORTANT MESSAGES
DATES FOR YOUR DIARY
AND MUCH MORE...😊

ECO TICKER

Solar Panels
MWh produced = 80.07
CO₂ saved = 45.48 t

GOLDEN RULES

READY
RESPECTFUL
SAFE



😊 THINGS TO CELEBRATE 😊

ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK	ELDER 95.7%		HOLLY 95.6%		ELM 95.5%	
	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
	146	257	215	154	284	189
KITE'S KITCHEN AWARD WINNERS				HOLLY CLASS		



FROM THE HEAD'S CHAIR



BEHAVIOUR AT STOKENCHURCH



I would like to follow up on the letter sent to parents last week regarding our behaviour policy at school and let you know that I will be following up and sharing progress with you regularly during the rest of this term. A reminder that there were two requests for support and the deadline for doing so was today.

Thank you to those of you who have read our behaviour policy and offered feedback. I will be reviewing these responses to inform our next steps from Monday, so if you still have a contribution to make or a suggestion / view, the deadline is being extended until Monday morning. You can read the policy [HERE](#) or find it on our school website. All feedback will be considered and used to inform the changes we make to our school policy. Thank you for your help in this way.

The second was to offer to become a member of our newly created Parent Forum. I will be contacting volunteers early next week, but am still looking for support for the following classes:

ACORNS ALDER ASH BIRCH ELDER ELM LARCH LIME PEAR

If you have a child in one of these classes and are able to offer your support by putting your name forward to join our parent forum, please complete the Google doc [HERE](#). To give you an idea of the time commitment, I intend to have two early evening meetings between now and the end of the summer term followed by a single termly meeting from September. If more than one parent in a class puts their name forward, we will pick names from a hat and keep a second person as a reserve.

Thank you for your support – please do your bit to help and support your child if you can.



children loved recounting the stories they had heard to me and to each other and I know it was a day they really enjoyed. Thank you to Ms Linfield for arranging the day.

STORYTELLER

On Monday this week we welcomed a very special visitor to STOKENCHURCH. We had a storyteller come to school and lead sessions with all the children from Reception to Y6. He brought stories to life through oracy and storytelling, as well as sharing books – all with a host of props and instruments that really brought his stories to life. We took the opportunity of his visit for him to lead staff training after school and he was brilliant at sharing hints and tips to help us all reinforce the joy and importance of sharing and reading stories and poems together. The



ASH CLASS ASSEMBLY




On Thursday, it was Ash Class' turn to share their learning as we invited parents and families to their very first class assembly. A daunting challenge for some (with such a large audience) they shared their learning from the year through a lovely poem. Finishing with a song, they were pretty confident in their delivery in front of a backdrop of images from the year. Thank you to Miss Foster and well done to Ash Class for such a super assembly!



OTHER 'BITS AND PIECES' THIS WEEK...

It was really lovely to see the children looking so smart for their class photos on Friday. I know the photographer from Tempest was impressed by the children and I know you will enjoy the pics when they are sent home. I also really enjoyed seeing a group of children working together on the playground to build an igloo in the construction area. As you can see ... it was pretty impressive!

IMPORTANT MESSAGES

PE KIT DAYS	During swimming season this term, your child might come home in their PE kit on PPA days if they have had a PE lesson. Not changing at the end of the session will increase the learning time that the children have – we will endeavour to ensure all their uniform comes home with them!	
PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT	Please can parents keep their children off the playground equipment (and their scooters) when collecting siblings at the end of the day. The equipment is for the use of the children during the school day when supervised. Many thanks.	
PARENT FORUM	Please don't forget you can sign up to be a member of our new Parent Forum at STOKENCHURCH, to meet with me periodically and inform our school developments. The google form is available above and I am waiting for volunteers from 9 classes so don't be shy, give it a try! Thank you for your support...	

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

The dates below are for the next month or so.
For a full list please see (and link to) our calendar on the school website.

June			
W/B 17 th	Y6 Isle of Wight Residential Trip	Y6	
	Water Safety Week	ALL	
Tue 18 th	PTA Summer Disco	ALL	
Thu 20 th	Hazel Class Assembly @ 9.00am.	ALL	
W/B 24 th	Olympic & Paralympic Week	ALL	
	Swimming Gala	ALL	
Thur 27 th	Birch Class Assembly @ 9.00am.	ALL	
	Elm Class D&T Day Great Marlow School	Y3	
	Y5 Willen Lake Assembly @ 2.45pm.	Y5	

Letter available / to follow	Please join us if you can ☺	Please note change of date / info.
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COMMUNITY PAGE



Summer Disco

Tuesday 18th June 2024

Years F2, 1 & 2 – 5pm-6.15pm
Years 3, 4 & 5 - 6.30-7.45pm




Includes drinks & snacks with a treat to take home!

£4 via parent pay or on the door

No Mobiles or ipods allowed

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HEALTHY COMMUNITIES
AND A GREAT PLACE TO WORK



Buckinghamshire Healthcare
NHS Trust

Is your child up to date with their MMR?

If you think your child is outstanding the MMR Vaccine
Please complete a consent form by visiting;
[MMR Vaccination Consent Form \(buckschildimmunisations.co.uk\)](http://buckschildimmunisations.co.uk)
Please use school code : **EE110342**

For queries, please contact the Immunisation team on 01494 323000

Alternatively, email the Immunisation Team at buc-tr.BucksChildImms@nhs.net



For further information on the vaccinations please visit

[MMR \(measles, mumps and rubella\) vaccine – NHS \(www.nhs.uk\)](http://www.nhs.uk/vaccine/mmr)
[MMR for all: general leaflet – GOV.UK \(www.gov.uk\)](http://www.gov.uk)
<http://www.buckshealthcare.nhs.uk/School-nursing/immunisations.htm>
[Vaccine Knowledge Project – Oxford Vaccine Group Vaccinations – NHS \(www.nhs.uk\)](http://www.vaccine-knowledge-project.org)

The vaccine we use in Bucks does not contain porcine gelatine

Why vaccinate?

- As part of their childhood immunisation programme
- Protection against Measles, Mumps and Rubella.
- 2 Combined doses of MMR after 1st Birthday
- Measles highly contagious
- Mumps is a viral illness can be spread through coughs and sneezes.
- Rubella also known as German Measles.
- Vaccinate to protect them against these diseases.

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