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

HAPPY & VALUED



THIS WEEK:

- LIME ASSEMBLY
- PREFECTS ANNOUNCED
- DISCO
- DT PROJECTS
- IMPORTANT MESSAGES
- DATES FOR YOUR DIARY
- AND MUCH MORE... 😊

ECO TICKER

Solar Panels
MWh produced = 70.62
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GOLDEN RULES

- READY
- RESPECTFUL
- SAFE

😊 WE HAVE OUR MUSIC ROOM BACK ! 😊

😊 THINGS TO CELEBRATE 😊

ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK	Elder - 100%	Hazel - 98.85%	Cherry - 98.67%
HOUSEPOINTS	RALEIGH	NELSON	GRENVILLE
	COMING SOON!		



FROM THE HEAD'S CHAIR



THIS WEEK



Clubs were up and running this week with well over 200 children having taken up club places for football, netball, choir, science, karate, breakfast and much more. These will be reviewed regularly and we will let you know as more clubs become available. Thank you to all the teachers who give up their time to offer clubs to our lucky children.

THANK YOU FOR THE MUSIC!

Our re-vamped music room is proving a real hit with all the children across the school. They are learning to sing



and play as well as musical notation and so much more. Ukelele lessons for Y4 are off to a great start too and I've just come from a Y6 class practicing their song for a class assembly this week. I won't give anything away but I know its going to be pretty special! Thank you to Mrs Brand for taking on your new challenge with such enthusiasm and expertise!

MOVING VEHICLES



Y2 children have started designing and making their moving vehicles as their DT projects get under way. They have been researching different types of vehicle and are learning about axels and chassis as part of the early design phase. I can't wait to share the finished models with everyone!

LIME CLASS ASSEMBLY

This morning we were treated to the first class assembly of the year as Lime Class shared their humanities work. We learned about the different human and physical geographical features of contrasting world locations and the level and vocabulary they have picked up in the first two weeks alone is astounding. Well done Y5 – we are proud of you!



LEAVER'S DISCO

Last night we welcomed back more than 50 of our ex-pupils for their postponed leaver's disco. They were so excited to be back and we were really pleased to see them and hear about all their stories from secondary school. The overwhelming theme was one of missing us and gratitude for the super start and fabulous experiences they enjoyed in their time at STOKENCHURCH. We are proud of every one of you – thank you for coming! Thanks also to the Y6 team and other staff who attended to make it a special evening for the children.



AND JUST BECAUSE....

I wanted to include a pic of the children playing at lunchtime in the sand on the main school playground. It was an idea from one of our lunch ladies and yes, it seems that the bigger children like playing in the sand too. Thank you to Mr Rose for building it for us 😊

SPECIAL DUTIES

I had the pleasure of awarding our Head Boy and Head Girl badges in assembly this morning as well as special ties for our newly chosen school prefects. It is often difficult to narrow down the candidates and this year was especially tough. More opportunities will arise later in the year, but for now congratulations to:

HEAD BOYS		HEAD GIRLS	
Macario	Ayaan	Amelia C	Poppy F

PREFECTS			
Emma	William P	Isabella	Flynn M
Isla	Ismaeel	Sophia	James
Molly	Amelia M	Philippa	Sophie L

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

The dates below are for the next month or so.

For a full list go to edition XXX or see the calendar on the school website.

SEPTEMBER			
30 th	Prunus Class Assembly	Prunus	
OCTOBER 2022			
6 th	Special Menu Day – see poster overleaf	All	
7 th	Holly Class Assembly	Holly	
	Individual Photos	All	
14 th	Harvest Festival	All	
17 th & 18 th	PTA Pumpkin Competition drop off	All	
19 th	Art Curriculum Day	All	
20 th	Y5 Astronomy Roadshow	Y5	
	PTA Disco	Y1-6	
	Yrs 1, 2 & 3 5pm-6.15 Yrs 4, 5 & 6 6.30-7.45		
21 st	PTA Halloween MUFTI	All	
	End of term 1 – usual finish times		
24 th – 28 th	HALF TERM – CHILDREN DO NOT ATTEND	All	
31 st	INSET DAY – CHILDREN DO NOT ATTEND	All	
Letter available / to follow		Please join us if you can 😊	
		Please note change of date / info.	

IMPORTANT MESSAGES

AMAZON WISH LIST

We have updated our Amazon Wishlist – a way you can directly support the school for free! Please click the link below to find out more. £1000+ raised so far 😊

Updated Amazon Wishlist: <https://amzn.eu/aw5up8c>



HOT SCHOOL MEALS

Special lunch menu - On Thursday 6th October

We are having a special lunch menu! To order your child's lunch for this day, please complete the following google form by Tuesday 27th September - <https://forms.gle/y7GC1ztKn3n6WGu6>. Please note that all previous lunches ordered on this day will be cancelled

Lunch reminder

If did not complete the lunch form to order a lunch for your child for the next 3 weeks please remember to send them to school with a packed lunch



Stokenchurch Fried Chicken Day

Thursday 6th October

On the menu

Mains	Sides
Chicken nuggets	Baked Beans
Vegetable nuggets	Corn on the cob
Curly fries	Coleslaw & Salad
Pudding	
Chocolate Ice-Cream pots	
Fruit Salad pots	

PTA NEWS

We look forward to seeing as many parents as possible for a quick meet & greet next Tuesday 27th September. Join us if you can at the school. We are a friendly group of mums & dads whose main aim is to generate funds to enhance the children's learning.



If you can spare a little of your time to join our committee to help in a small or a larger capacity we'd love to see you, so pop along and find out what we have planned for the coming year. Thank you.

PTA committee

COMMUNITY PAGE

@HW Music Centre
Millbrook School
Millend Road
HP12 4BA

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8-9 OCTOBER '22

Have a free taster music lesson here in October!

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Registered UK charity no 1095371

HW Music Centre

Saturday 8th October
Musikids session 4-8 year olds 9.30-10.30am
Have a go sessions for all 11-12.30pm
email hwmusic@bucksmusic.org to book



PRINCES RISBOROUGH SCHOOL

Aspire & Achieve

Open Events

For all our Open events please call reception on 01844-345496 to book a place.

Open Morning - Headteacher's speech and one tour of the school starting at 9:00 am	26th, 27th, 30th September and 5th, 7th, 17th, 18th October 2022	9:00 - 10:30 am
Open Evening - Headteacher's speeches, 3 tours of the school, an opportunity to talk to our teachers and visit our SEND department	28th September 2022	5:00 - 8:00 pm
Sixth Form Open Evening	3rd November 2022	5:00 - 8:00 pm

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We have been contacted as below:

I currently have 7 older PCs (without Hard drives) and monitors which my business is getting rid of, they are older machines but still perfectly usable for MS Office and Internet etc. I would like to donate them to be repurposed for local Stokenchurch residents. Please contact: mark@gsarecruitment.co.uk Mobile 07956-380074