Weekly Newsletter 32 (22nd May 2023)

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Nursery = RED. Reception = ORANGE. Yr1 = GREEN. Yr2 = BLUE. Nest & Orchard = PURPLE. Whole school / mixed = BLACK.

What's happening in school w/c 15th May?

- Monday 22nd May is the deadline for responding to our invitation to join us for breakfast to celebrate Father's Day in June. Please visit https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/FathersDay23 to let us know that you would like to attend and what sandwich you would to order, if you haven't already done so. Thank you.
- Mrs Taylor is teaching Class 4 on Monday.
- Our Year 2 children who are joining Stocksbridge Junior School in September will be visiting the school for assembly and playtime on Monday morning. If any parents can help us walk the children there (at 9.15am) and back (at 10.30am) please let your child's class teacher or TA know. Thank you.
- Mrs Townsend is available to show parents around school at 1.30-2.30pm on Monday.
- Dance Club after school on Monday, 2.45 4.00pm (R, Yr1 & Yr2).
- Parents/Carers of our Year 2 children are invited to an introductory meeting at Stocksbridge Junior School on Monday evening at 5:30pm.
- There will be no crossing supervisor outside school on Tuesday 23rd May, please be extra careful.
- Mrs Greenwood is teaching Class 3 in the morning and Class 2 in the afternoon on Tuesday.
- We will be celebrating our Golden Stars in assembly on Tuesday at 9.00am.
- Football Club after school on Tuesday, 2.45 4.00pm (Yr1 & Yr2).
- There will be no crossing supervisor outside school on Wednesday 24th May, please be extra careful.
- Mrs. Taylor is teaching Nursery, Mrs Bennett is teaching Class 7 and Mrs. Ollerenshaw is teaching Class 1 on Wednesday.
- Year 2 children have drumming on Wednesday afternoon.
- Multisport after school on Wednesday, 2.45 4.00pm (R, Yr1 & Yr2).





Attendance

Our target is 96%. This week's attendance is 89.2%

Class 1: 97%

Class 2: 99%

Class 3: 91%

Class 4: 95%

Class 5: 90%

Class 6: 94%

Class 7: 91%

The Nest: 78%

The Orchard: 68%

Well done Class 2

Assembly Theme: Kindness.

- Thursday 25th May is a non-uniform day for a £1 donation to school funds. A payment item has been set up on ParentPay for the purpose. We can also accept cash donations on the day.
- There will be no crossing supervisor outside school on Thursday, please be extra careful.
- Chris Standley is in school playing board games with the children on Thursday.
- We will be celebrating our Golden Stars in assembly on Thursday at 9.15am.
- Class 3 have Forest School on Thursday.
- Football Club after school on Thursday, 2.45 4. 00pm (Yr1 & Yr2).
- Friday 26th May is a staff training day and school is closed to all pupils.

Looking ahead to the w.b. 5th June 2023

- The assembly theme will be Our Wonderful World.
- Dance Club after school on Monday, 2.45 4.00pm (R, Yr1 & Yr2).
- Nursery Sports Day is on Tuesday 6th June at 10.00-11.00am.
- Mrs Greenwood is teaching Class 2 in the morning and Class 3 in the afternoon.
- Football Club after school on Tuesday, 2.45 4.00pm (Yr1 & Yr2).
- Mrs. Taylor is teaching Nursery on Wednesday 7th June.
- Classes 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and the Nest have their Sports Day on Wednesday at 10.30 11.30am.
- Our family picnic is at lunchtime on Wednesday at 11.30 1.00pm. Please bring your picnic lunch, blankets or chairs. This, and sports day, will be weather dependent. We won't have the picnic if the weather isn't good enough. We have tried moving it inside previously, on chilly days, but it just doesn't work.
- Our kitchen is able to provide a grab bag lunch for your child, or you can bring food along for them. Please use our online form at if you would like to order a grab bag lunch for your child. Thank you!
- Classes 6, 7 and the Orchard have their Sports Day on Wednesday at 1.15 2.15pm.
- Year 2 children have drumming on Wednesday afternoon.
- Multisport after school on Wednesday, 2.45 4.00pm (R, Yr1 & Yr2).
- The Friends of Stocksbridge Nursery Infants (FOSNI) are hoping to hold a pre-loved uniform sale outside the school office from 2.30pm on Wednesday. They would be very grateful to receive any donations of unwanted school uniform items that you have. Thank you!
- Thursday 8th June is World Oceans Day.
- Chris Standley is in school playing board games with the children on Thursday.
- Mrs Townsend is available to show parents around school at 9 10am on Thursday.
- Nursery Sports Day for our WTF children is on Thursday at 10.00-11.00am.
- Football Club after school on Thursday, 2.45 4. 00pm (Yr1 & Yr2).
- Mrs Tonks is teaching Class 6, Mrs Taylor is teaching Class 4 and Mrs Ollerenshaw is teaching Class 1 on Friday 9th June.
- Class 4 have Forest School on Friday.
- The Nest are going to Alpine Lodge on Friday.
- Multisport after school on Friday, 2.45 4.00pm (R, Yr1 & Yr2).

Tweak of the Week: Look after property inside and out.



Mrs Townsend's Pupil of the Week

Ollie Shephard. I'm not quite sure what we are going to do without Ollie Shephard next year. He is super helpful in the classroom, in the hall and outside. Nothing is ever too much trouble for Ollie. He's always there to lend a hand and we are very grateful to him.

School Menu Summer Term 2023

| Week 3 | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
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| Main course | Spaghetti Bolognese with penne pasta | Pork hot dog with baked potato wedges | Roast chicken with roast potatoes and gravy | BBQ chicken and vegetable burritos with mixed rice | Cheese and tomato pizza with chips and tomato sauce |
| Vegetarian main course | Bean bake with diced potatoes | Veggie mince pasta bake | Vegetable sausage with roast potatoes and gravy | Macaroni cheese | Cheese and onion flan with chips and tomato sauce |
| Jacket potato and filling | Jacket potato with cheese, baked beans or tuna mayo | Jacket potato with cheese, baked beans or tuna mayo | Jacket potato with cheese, baked beans or tuna mayo | Jacket potato with cheese, baked beans or tuna mayo | Jacket potato with cheese, baked beans or tuna mayo |
| Sandwich option | Egg | Ham | Ham | Ham | Ham |
| | Tuna mayo | Tuna mayo | Tuna mayo | Tuna mayo | Tuna mayo |
| | Cheese | Cheese | Cheese | Cheese | Cheese |
| Vegetables | Mixed vegetables Garden salad | Garden peas Sweetcorn | Cabbage Cauliflower | Green beans Carrots | Baked beans Garden peas |
| Dessert | Chocolate shortbread finger | Fruity flapjack with banana | Oaty crunchy biscuit | Apple sponge and custard | Chocolate crispy crunch |

Yoghurt and fruit is also available each day as an alternative to desert along with a selection of breads, salads and fresh drinking water.

| Stocksbridge Nursery Infant School - Healthy Snack List | | | | | | | |
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| Fresh fruit | Fresh vegetables | Dried Fruit | Hard cheese | Cream crackers | Unaccompanied breadsticks | | |

Assembly Theme: Kindness.







This week's praise board







- Thank you to Flora and Lillia for always following the Golden Rules.
- Hollie Turner has done some amazing, independent diary writing this week.
- Mair Marshall-Gane for showing great listening on the carpet.
- Zachary Pickering for always helping to keep Class 2 tidy.
- Finley Wright for working hard on his writing this week.
- Lola Wall did an amazing, detailed landscape drawing of Stocksbridge.
- Nora Bowden-Lovell and Isabella Tabor for looking after your friends so well at playtime.
- Ella Payne for making Miss Marshall smile with your brilliant questions this week.
- Thank you, Laurence Tibbles, for your lovely manners in the office.
- Reggie Grayson for been so kind to his friend who was feeling a little sad.
- Thank you to Elliot Mills for sharing his knowledge about spiders this week.
- Ada Green has been so brave this week after a fall- nothing stops her in her tracks she is such a
- Dylan Brearley and Sebastian Spriggs have blown Mrs. McGrail away with their writing while labelling spiders- great work boys!
- Shay Millington has been participating a lot more during our carpet time- there's no stopping him now his hand is always up ready to give a fantastic answer!
- Thank you to Helen Eagle for our wonderful pea plants.
- Lavali Lahdiri has such a caring heart and always looks after her friends well done.
- Thank you, Joshua Taylor, for being so kind to Miss Marshall.
- Thank you to Eira Slack for always being so tidy and helpful in and around the classroom.
- Rohan Simmons you have worked really hard with your maths, your counting skills are fantastic.
- Harry Stokes did some fabulous phonics this week, well done.
- Rayne Chambers you've had a great week, keep up the hard work!
- Oscar Bradley and Kamryn Bradley-Dixon for walking calmly and sensibly through school.
- Harry Radford has co-operated really well and played fantastic games
- Phoebe Couldwell tidied all the home corner up by herself and she hadn't even played in there.
- Isaac Cheetham has bounced back to Nursery like he has never been away. It's great to see him.
- Scarlett Appleby-Brown draws the most wonderful pictures and tells us all about them.



Nursery News

We have been "Mad About Minibeasts" this week in Nursery. We enjoyed making ladybirds, counting spots, and learning all about earwigs and centipedes because we didn't really know what they were. Perhaps the biggest treat has been the sunshine and enjoying water play, block building and digging with some warm on our backs at last!

Star of the Week

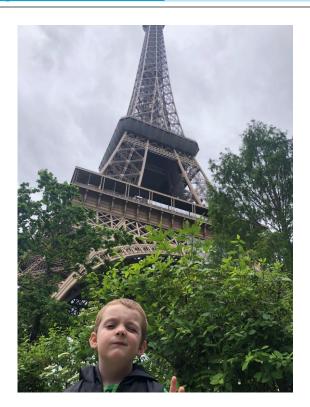
Ronnie Waters has made us smile no end this week. He has been kind to friends, listened carefully, played enthusiastically and never stopped chatting. What a smashing little man.

Tweak of the Week: Look after property inside and out.

The children's out of school achievements this week. Keep them coming. What they do and learn out of school is as important as what they do here. Email items for the newsletter to Newsletter@stocksbridge-nur.sheffield.sch.uk



Feeding time for Jeff...that's the lamb's name 🕲



It's "Ello, ello, ello!" from this young man.



Congratulations to this young lady and her family on the marriage of her parents.

Assembly Theme: Kindness.

Food supplement vouchers for Spring Bank Term (All school inc Nursery)

The Government Household Support Grant has been extended to assist with rising food and energy costs. A £15 food supplement voucher will be sent to the following groups to help over the half-term holidays:

- Families who claim income-based Free School Meals (FSM).
- Families who get income-assessed Early Years Support (2–4-Year-Olds).
- Young people leaving their care setting (Care Leavers).

Edenred have been chosen again as the supplier of the vouchers. Eligible families should receive their voucher letters by w/c Monday 22nd May 2023. The letter will include the website link for Edenred and clear instructions on how to download the voucher. If you need help with redeeming your voucher please speak to Miss Marshall in the school office, who will be happy to assist.

Sheffield Children's University Passport to Learning (All school inc Nursery)

The Sheffield Children's University Passport to Learning newsletter, which includes details of activities happening across the city during the Spring Bank holidays is now available.

A copy is attached to this newsletter, but here is a link to it too:

https://bit.ly/SCUPassportActivityNewsletterSpring2023

It's packed with fun activities happening during the half term holidays – from gymnastics to music, arts and crafts, bird themed activities at Manor Lodge, storybook forest school, sports and lots of activities at Sheffield Museums, there really is something for EVERYONE! There are also links to Sheffield CU home learning challenges which can be done for no cost at home, and earn children and young people CU credits.

Summer Term 02 after school clubs (FAO Reception, Year 1 and Year 2)

Bookings for our after-school clubs for next half term are now open via ParentPay. Places are allocated on a first come first served basis. Payment must be made at the time of booking. All clubs run from 2.45-4pm as follows:

Mondays - Dance Club FULL

Tuesdays – Football Club (led by SWFC) open to Year 1 and Year 2 children - £2.50 per session **LIMITED SPACES AVAILABLE**

Wednesdays – Multisports Club FULL

Thursdays - Football Club (led by SWFC) open to Year 1 and Year 2 children - £2.50 per session **Fridays** - Multisports Club open to Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 children - £1.50 per session

More details are available in the ParentPay booking for each club. Any questions please contact the school office. Thank you!

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Sports Days and Whole School Family Picnic (main school, not inc Nursery)

On Wednesday 7th June, Classes 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and the Nest have their Sports Day at 10.30 - 11.30am and Classes 6, 7 and the Orchard have their Sports Day at 1.15 - 2.15pm. Nursery have their own Sports Days on Tuesday 6th June and Thursday 8th June.

We are inviting families to come join us for a family picnic in between these events at 11.30 – 1.00pm. **Please bring your picnic lunch, blankets or chairs.** This, and sports day, will be weather dependent. We won't have the picnic if the weather isn't good enough. We have tried moving it inside previously, on chilly days, but it just doesn't work. If we are fortunate with the weather –

- Please do not use the banking to go up and down. We don't allow the children to do this. It's not safe.
- Please do not use your mobile phones whilst on the school site.
- There will be 200+ children playing. If you see anything happen in terms of behavior, please do not deal with it yourself but tell a member of staff.
- Please feel free to use the toilet at the end of the top corridor before the Nursery door, or alternatively, there is a disabled toilet on the bottom corridor.

We will bring children out on to the field for the picnic. At 1.00pm we will blow a whistle to signal the end of the picnic. Parents/grandparents of children from the morning's sports day will be asked to leave by the playground main gate. We will take all the children inside. Our younger children, having their sports day in the afternoon will then register inside and be brought outside to take part in the activities. We ask parents/grandparents to wait outside for us.

Ordering a grab lunch for your child

Our kitchen is able to provide a grab bag lunch for your child, or you can bring food along for them. Please complete our online form at https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/SNISFamilyPicnic by Thursday 25th May 2023, if you would like to order a grab bag lunch for your child. Thank you!

FOSNI Pre Love Uniform Sale (All school inc Nursery)

The Friends of Stocksbridge Nursery Infants (FOSNI) are hoping to hold a pre-loved uniform sale outside the school office from 2.30pm on Wednesday. They would be very grateful to receive any donations of unwanted school uniform items that you have. Please drop them off at the school office for collection before the half term holiday. Thank you!

