

Stoke Row CE School News

17/06/2022



'Shine Like Stars'

HEADTEACHER UPDATE

It has been lovely to see so many of you again over the past couple of weeks and I am really enjoying being back with our wonderful children and staff. We have been busy in school focusing on our value of 'Truthfulness' and planning all of the exciting events we have coming up in this final term of the school year. Our whole school cross country this morning was a wonderful example of our school family working together to shine and be the very best we can be. I look forward to seeing many of you next weekend at the summer fair.

Clubs

Breakfast club is available on Monday and Wednesday from 8am at £5 per session. To book your sessions please email the school: office.3206@stoke-row.oxon.sch.uk

Rapa club (afterschool club) is available Monday to Thursday. Please contact Tracy Westall-Reece (rapa.round.care@gmail.com) or the office for further details.

The school day

Please could we remind you of the timings for the start and end of the school day.

Please arrive from 8.40am for registration promptly at 8.50am at which time the main gate is locked. Access after 8.50am is via the visitor gate and your child will be marked as late.

Arriving late is disruptive to both the office staff and the class as lessons will have begun.

Pick up at the end of the day is 3.15pm so please collect your child promptly and if you have been held up please let us know so that we can reassure your child.

Music Lessons

Our wonderful piano teacher, Hazel Carter, has some vacancies for lessons on a Wednesday morning. Please contact the office if your child would like to have a trial lesson.

Our School Value this term is TRUTHFULNESS

'Then you will know the truth and the truth will set you free'

John 8:32

SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

The children in Raindrop class have been making healthy sandwiches as part of their work on balanced diets.



Ocean class have begun up cycling their old clothes as part of their topic on sustainability. What a wonderful start! Who would have thought of making a cushion from a dressing gown! Thank you to everyone who came in to help the children with their sewing- we appreciate it very much.



Upcoming Events...

- 25th June - Summer Fair & Stars at the Well
- 4th & 5th July - 'Move Up' mornings
- 8th July - Sports Day at the recreation ground
- 12th July - 1.30pm 'Pirates of the Curry Bean'
- 13th July - 6pm 'Pirates of the Curry Bean'
- 19th July - 2pm Bubble Class Graduation
- 21st July - 1pm Leavers' Service

SPORTING NEWS

Cricket

Some of our year 6 children enjoyed their morning playing cricket at the Henley cricket ground. Thank you #performancecricket for inviting us it was a lovely morning!



Shining Star of the week!

In Raindrop class this week, they have been writing poems. Our 'Shining Star of the week' went to Nathan for his amazing and moving poem about space. Well done Nathan! We want to share Nathan's poem with you below:

**Space is a secret story
Space is deserted and cruel
It is deadly silence; like a
beautiful shining star,
It shines brighter than ever in
the gloomy dark.**

**Even through the darkness, it
light blows the darkness and
lights pulls away again,
Life is reborn and flowers
bloom.
It is the beginning.
Life starts.**

Nathan Connolly (Year 2)

Whole School Cross Country

We had a wonderful morning this morning at our final whole school cross country of the year! All the children who ran did a fantastic job and really shone like stars! It was brilliant to see all of the classes cheering one another on and inspiring and supporting their friends! Thank you to Laura and Chris for organising and to everyone who volunteered to walk the children down or marshal.



FOSRS UPDATE

Thank you to everyone who donated to our preloved sale and Bag2School collection, and to those who helped out at the sale. We raised a brilliant total of £350 and it was lovely to see the children in Ocean Class so engaged with the sale and the environmental benefits.

We've also now confirmed profit from our Colour Run which was £931!

Coming up we have our Summer Fair on Saturday 25th June and the Big Summer Raffle. Please look out for the sign-up sheets at school for helpers or contact your class rep if you are able to help on the day. If you would like to donate a cake to the cake sale you can let us know in the same way. We'll be collecting pre loved toys next Friday ready to sell at the fair- please only good quality items that you think will sell.

Finally, we've sadly had to say farewell to some FOSRS members and are now 'recruiting' for a new treasurer. If you are interested in this role then please speak to Emma, Karen or Robyn and we can give you some more information about what is involved (basically fun with some accounting!).

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Kindness ♦ Respect ♦ Perseverance ♦ Excellence ♦ Courage



Stoke Row is a very safe and harmonious place for pupils to learn and flourish. Pupils' behaviour is exemplary. They are kind, respectful and welcoming and contribute fully to the positive learning environment throughout the school.
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