



Notice Board

24th May 2018



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The week ahead:

- Thursday 24th, 8pm FOSS end of term social at Rivo in Chippenham
- Friday 25th 2.30pm Praise Assembly, parents invited 2.30pm
- Friday 25th—end of Term 5
- Monday 4th June—Children return to school
- Thursday 7th June—Y5 Hardenhuish visit
- Thursday 7th June—Slime! 3.30—4.30pm
- Friday 8th June—Y6 Cheltenham Science Festival



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What a busy week we have had!

Last week finished with our Football and Netball Teams taking part in the Small Schools Tournament at Seagry School. Both teams played amazingly well and reports from the teachers and coaches supporting the children were that everyone played with in the true spirit of 'sportsplayership', Playing by the ethics of the tournament, trying their hardest and supporting each other. Well done everyone.

This was followed by a visit from Ofsted on Tuesday. Thank you to all who completed the online surveys and to those parents who were able to meet with the Lead Inspector at drop off. The report is in the process of being written and Quality Assured with a view to being published towards the end of June. Whilst this may seem a long time away, this delay is due to half term next week.

Tuesday was definitely a busy day—our choir performed at the Olympiad on Tuesday Evening as part of the Chippenham Schools Music Cluster and sang beautifully and with enthusiasm even though it was a very warm afternoon/evening!

Today as I write this Newsletter, our Rugby team is taking part in the County Finals at Devizes; and Darling Class and Nile Class are at the Cotswold Wildlife Park which is supporting their topic learning.

Tomorrow we break up for half term. School will finish at the usual times 3.00pm/3.05pm and we return on Monday 4th June. I am hoping that the weather will be kind and that you all have a good and restful break. The children are excited about half term and I have heard that many are away for exciting adventures of camping and day trips out.

We will be reminding all children to be taking PE kits and lunchboxes home tomorrow, but if you are expecting one and it doesn't come out at the end of the day, please send your child back to the cloakroom for it!

Karen Winterburn

CLUBS UPDATE

Reminder Cricket Sessions and Club switch to a Friday in Term 6.

Netball and Football Clubs have now finished for the season and will start back in the new academic year.

KS1 Multi sports club will begin on Thursday 7th June.

Lego club has finished

Cheerleading will continue until July 12th

FOSS update:



We look forward to meeting you for our end of term drinks tonight, 8pm at Rivo in Chippenham. Everyone is welcome, just come along if you can!

Best wishes

Yvonne and the FOSS Team

BAGS TO SCHOOL COLLECTION IS 21ST JUNE 2018

We are still hoping for volunteer help for the School Fete on Saturday 7th July. Please see Mrs Druce in the office to sign up and take part. Thank you



Race for Life
Many of our children and members of staff took part in the Race For Life last weekend.

Many thanks to all who supported them in this worthy cause.

PSHE Update

As PSHE coordinator, I thought I would give you an update on PSHE at Stanton School.

Firstly, thank you to all the parents who attended our Key Stage 2 relationship and sex education sessions at school. I hope that you found them useful and informative as to the way we teach RSE at Stanton. Most of the classes have now finished their RSE lessons and your children might want to talk to you about the topics discussed.

If you were unable to attend the sessions or would like any advice on discussing the more sensitive topics, please see your child's class teacher. We greatly value these sessions, as they not only empower children to understand their own bodies and feelings, but also contribute to safeguarding them now and in the future.

In the next week, I will be surveying the children as to what they think of PSHE at Stanton, as well as Geography and Religious Education.

Susan Todd, PSHE, Geography and RE Coordinator

Staffing update.

We have some staffing changes from September 2018 as follows:

Darling Class - Miss Verity Thorne and Mrs Janet Boddington

Amazon Class – Miss Alice Bubb

We will be saying farewell and thank you to Mrs Knapton as she has come to the end of her fixed term contract with us. We will also be wishing Mrs Todd all the best as she begins her maternity leave from 22nd June and saying good bye to Mr Walker from our After School club who is off to University in September.