



# Stocksbridge Junior School

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This week in school, we have been raising awareness about children's mental health. The theme this year for Place2Be's Mental Health Week has been 'Know Yourself, Grow Yourself'.

'Know Yourself, Grow Yourself' has put a spotlight on how we can build resilience, grow and develop by understanding who we are and what makes us tick. The more we understand about ourselves, the better we're prepared to tackle life's ups and downs. By helping our children to understand and accept themselves, they start to build self-awareness. This allows them to develop the skills they need to cope with whatever life throws at them.

During Children's Mental Health Week, we have enjoyed celebrating children and young people building resilience, embracing self-awareness and forming strong connections with others. We have also been reminded how much we need others in our lives to help us grow. One very special thing about our SJS pupils is how supportive they are of each other, whatever their strengths or difficulties. How brilliant to have a week to prioritise, children making children's mental health a priority.



## SJS STARS OF THE WEEK

- Y3MR: Olek
- Y3CB: Bridie
- Y4AW: Reggie
- Y4CH: Lillia
- Y4GG: Mair
- Y5CS: Joe
- Y5HK/CG: Kelvin
- Y6RD: Lilly
- Y6LR: Archie

The Hub: Keegan

Cedarwood Yard: Stanley  
Ball Games Yard: Emily

Attendance & Punctuality: Nathaniel  
Dining Hall: Harry

## READING AROUND THE WORLD

### Y3 - MADRID

Sam  
Alice

### Y5 - TOKYO

Noah  
Reece  
Ryan  
Bella

### Y5 - KUALA LUMPUR

Georgia  
Parise  
Joe  
Sophie

Alex  
Marcie  
Marcie  
Henry

Elodie  
George  
Emily  
Sophia

## NEXT WEEK'S PE TIMETABLE

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Y3MR (Maths) Y6RD	Y3CB (Maths) Y5CS	Y4CH Y6LR	Y4AW Y5HK/CG	Y4GG Swimming

## COFFEE MORNING

Join us for a special Valentine's Day Coffee Morning on Friday, 14th February! 🌸

Enjoy a hot drink, have a chat, and take part in some fun craft activities for just £2. It's a great chance for parents and carers to get together while supporting our school. We'd love to see as many of you as possible there to make it a fantastic morning! ☕️❤️

*Join us for  
our Valentine's  
Coffee Morning*

Friday 14th February  
8.30am - 9.15am in the  
school hall

Pre Loved  
Uniform

Valentine's  
Crafts & hot  
drink £2

All Parents &  
Carers  
Welcome

## NEXT WEEK'S MENU

WEEK 3	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>MAIN DISH</b>	Pepperoni Pizza with Wedges	Mince & Onion Pie with Creamy Mash	Sausage, Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Spaghetti Bolognese with Garlic Bread	Fish Fingers with Chips
<b>VEGETARIAN MAIN DISH</b>	Margharita Pizza with Wedges	Quorn Mince and Onion Pie with Creamy Mash	Quorn Sausage, Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Creamy Pasta Bake with Garlic Bread	Cheese Flan with Chips
<b>ACCOMPANIMENTS</b> 5 A DAY	Carrots Peas Salad Bar	Carrots Broccoli Salad Bar	Cauliflower Cabbage Salad Bar	Sweetcorn Salad Bar	Mushy Peas Curry Sauce Salad Bar
<b>DESSERTS</b>	Scone with Jam	Chocolate Brownie	Treacle Sponge & Custard	Ice Cream	Fruit in Jelly
<b>FRESH FRUIT OR YOGHURT</b>	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt
<b>JACKET POTATO AND STREET FOOD</b>	Jacket Potato or Cheese Baguette	Jacket Potato or Cheese Roll	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato, Ham or Cheese Wrap	Jacket Potato

## EVENTS COMING UP...

Feb 10	11	12	13 Spelling Bee: Semi-Finals	14 Coffee Morning  Non-Uniform Day (£1)  Y4GG Swimming
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For events further ahead, please check our [school calendar](#) on our website.



## AFTER-SCHOOL CLUBS

We have a handful of places available to book on the following clubs:

- Monday - Cycling Club (4 places remaining)
- Thursday - Forest School (6 places remaining)
- Thursday Y5/Y6 Football (4 places remaining)

Pottery Club has been incredibly popular and is now full, however, it will be making a return for the Summer Term!

## SPRING TERM 2: AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS



### 1 Monday - Choir 3.15pm - 4.00pm

Choir will continue with Mrs Shaw in the mobile classrooms, we do love to hear those beautiful harmonies!

### 2 Monday - Cycling Club 3.15pm - 4.15pm

Cycling Club will be introduced by Mr Tee. This club is for children who are still learning to ride a bike and would like to build up confidence whilst having fun! Bikes and helmets can be provided or you can bring your own if you prefer.



### 3 Wednesday - Pottery Painting 3.15pm - 4.15pm

Exciting new club alert!!! Local company The Kiln will be joining us every Wednesday to get creative with some pottery painting!

### 4 Thursday - Y5 & Y6 Football 3.15pm - 4.15pm

We will once again be joined by On The Move for our Y5 & Y6 football club. This is always lots of fun, and a great chance to work on those skills with our fully trained coach Lee!



### 5 Thursday - Forest School 3.15pm - 4.15pm

Back by popular demand is Forest School Club, brought to us by local company Foresteers. Explore nature, get creative outdoors, and develop new skills in a hands on environment!

### 6 Information

#### After School Club Pricing:

Choir - Free

Cycling Club - Free (Please note this club is aimed at children who are **not** confident riding a bike)

Pottery Painting - £6.58 per session / £32.91 for 5 week block

Y5 & Y6 Football - £2.53 per session / £12.66 for 5 week block

Forest School - £8.10 per session / £40.51 for 5 week block

- Clubs will be live to book on ParentMail from 6pm on Monday 3rd February on a first come first served basis.
- Choir - Please note Choir is almost full, please email [office@stocksbridgejunior.chorustrust.org](mailto:office@stocksbridgejunior.chorustrust.org) to enquire about a place as this club will not be listed on ParentMail.



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## SJS PUPILS SHINE AT HIGH SCHOOL MULTI-SKILLS EVENT

Our Lower School children had the exciting opportunity this week, to visit the High School to take part in a special multi-skills event, featuring a variety of activities from the Paralympics. The event included fun and inclusive sports such as Boccia, Kurling, Seated Volleyball, and Target Games.

Our children excelled, demonstrating outstanding attitude, teamwork, and positive behaviour throughout the day. It was clear that the children from Stocksbridge were not only enthusiastic but also showed immense respect for one another, embracing the spirit of friendly competition and inclusivity.

A huge well done to all our young participants! Their commitment and sportsmanship made us incredibly proud, and it was wonderful to see everyone enjoying the sessions. Here's to many more events like this in the future!



## ASDA CASHPOT FOR SCHOOLS

We are excited to share that, through the Asda Cashpot for Schools scheme, parents who selected our school have helped raise an amazing £213.95 just by doing their weekly shop! This money will go towards funding 'Team Treat' activities for the houses that earn the most tokens each term. Thank you to everyone who signed up to the scheme – your support is greatly appreciated. We'll keep you updated on any future schemes like this in which you can help to fund extracurricular activities, sports equipment, and more!



## SHEFFIELD EVENTS

For information about events taking place in Sheffield over half term, please visit

<https://content.govdelivery.com/accounts/UKSHEFFIELD/bulletins/3cfb992>

