



Stocksbridge Junior School



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Sometimes, in Stocksbridge – on the very outskirts of Sheffield – events around the rest of the world can feel extremely far away. However, an enjoyable part of school life is discovering more about the incredible planet that we live on. With modern resources at our fingertips, we can imagine the time of the Pharaohs, travel to the summit of Everest or even imagine life in other galaxies. We journeyed to space in Monday’s assembly about ‘World Space Week’ – it was amazing to learn about this international celebration of science and technology, inspiring our pupils that they too could travel ‘to infinity and beyond’.



Class assemblies continued our travels around the world, zooming in on ‘Black History Month’, which gives everyone the opportunity to share, celebrate and understand the impact of black heritage and culture. It is important that we work together to erase stereotypes, exploring and celebrating our differences.

After all that travelling, it’s no surprise that our children are exhausted by Friday! Who knows where next week will take us?!

SJS STARS OF THE WEEK

- Y3MR: Remy
- Y4CH/JT: Theo
- Y5CS: Emily
- Y6RD: Ben
- Y3CB: Alfie
- Y4GG: Tom
- Y5HK/CG: Henry
- Y6LR: Penny

The Hub: Connor

Cedarwood Yard: Ada
Ball Games Yard: Sonny

Attendance & Punctuality: Evie
Dining Hall: Keegan

MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING



Thank you for joining us for the Macmillan Coffee morning and for the plentiful supply of delicious treats donated. We raised a grand total of £281 for this worthy cause.

CROSS COUNTRY

Last Saturday, we had a fantastic start to the new Cross Country season with many new faces joining our regular runners.

The next race takes place tomorrow (Saturday 5th October) at Bolehills Park, S6 5DG. The first race begins at 10am.



Y6 ROBINWOOD

This week, a form has been sent to Y6 parents via ParentMail inviting parents of Y6 children to express an interest in their child attending the trip. Please complete this form asap if you would like your child to be considered for a place on the trip.

Y6 MACBETH

Letters have been sent home this week about the Young Shakespeare Company coming into school to perform Macbeth for Year 6 pupils. The Young Shakespeare Company are professional actors who travel the country delivering Shakespeare plays in an accessible format for KS2 pupils.

Parents are requested to process their financial contribution via ParentMail.

PARENTS' SESSIONS

Please remember to join us for next week's parents' sessions!

- Year 3 – Monday 7th October, 9:00am - 10:15am
- Year 4 – Tuesday 8th October, 9:00am - 10:15am
- Year 5 – Wednesday 9th October, 9:00am - 10:15am
- Year 6 – Thursday 10th October, 9:00am - 10:15am

Refreshments will be available for parents in the hall from 8:35am whilst the children are being registered.

PARENTS' MEETINGS

This term's Parents' Meetings will take place on Tuesday 15th and Wednesday 16th October. Our booking facility on ParentMail is now live to allow parents to make an appointment with their child's teacher(s).

NEXT WEEK'S PE TIMETABLE

Mondays	Tuesdays	Wednesdays	Thursdays	Fridays
Y6RD	Y6LR	Y5CS	Y3MR Y4GG Y5HK/CG	Y3CB Y4CH/JT Swimming The Hub

EVENTS COMING UP...

Oct 7 Y3 Parent Session	8 Y4 Parent Session	9 Y5 Parent Session	10 Y6 Parent Session	11
Oct 14 Y6 Bikeability until 23 rd	15 Parents' Evening	16 Parents' Evening	17	18 Stocky Fun Run
Oct 21	22	23	24	25 Non-Uniform Day (£1)

For events further ahead, please check our [school calendar](#) on our website.

NEXT WEEK'S MENU

WEEK 3	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAIN DISH	Chicken chow mein	Meatballs in a tomato sauce served with pasta	Roast turkey served with new potatoes, stuffing and gravy	Cottage pie	Fish fingers served with chunky chips and tomato ketchup
VEGETARIAN MAIN DISH	Cheese and vegetable quesadilla Served with wedges	Marinated Quorn in a pitta served with half of a jacket potato	Roast Quorn fillet served with new potatoes, stuffing and gravy	Creamy pasta bake	Cheese and bean bake served with chunky chips and tomato ketchup
ACCOMPANIMENTS 5 A DAY	Carrots and peas Salad Bar	Sweetcorn Salad Bar	Cauliflower Cheese & broccoli Salad Bar	Cabbage & carrots Salad Bar	Garden Peas Baked Beans Salad bar
DESSERTS	Marble cake and custard	Jam and coconut sponge served with custard 5 A DAY	Lemon drizzle cake	Shortbread	Fruit & Jelly 5 A DAY
FRESH FRUIT OR YOGHURT	Fresh fruit or yoghurt	Fresh fruit or yoghurt	Fresh fruit or yoghurt	Fresh fruit or yoghurt	Fresh fruit or yoghurt
JACKET POTATO AND STREET FOOD	Jacket potato	Jacket potato	Jacket potato	Jacket potato Chicken goujons with loaded potato skins	Jacket potato



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SEND Parent Group Meeting

JOIN OUR PARENT GROUP MEETING

ON

TUESDAY 22ND OCTOBER AT 10AM

AT STOCKSBRIDGE NURSERY INFANTS SCHOOL

PARENTS ARE WELCOME TO STAY AFTER DROP-OFF FOR CRAFTS/PLAY WITH THE CHILDREN BEFORE THE MEETING.

The meeting is for parents/carers of children attending both Nursery/Infants and Junior schools.

No diagnosis necessary.

All parents welcome
Come and find out more
Chat to other parents
Share experiences

Find out about SEND services



FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO CONFIRM ATTENDANCE, EMAIL
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Stocky Fun Run

Friday 18th October 2024

at Stocksbridge Junior School

We are hoping that our fun run will not only help inspire our young people to be active, but can help raise funds for our School Play Equipment. If you are able, any funds raised would be greatly appreciated.

