



Stonesfield Primary School
Learning together to achieve our best



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NEWSLETTER: Friday 23rd September 2022

Dear parents

Oak Class

We had a fun and enjoyable afternoon on Thursday exploring our Forest school area in the warm sunshine.



Willow Class

We have started learning about the Great Fire of London. Today we found out how the fire started and made a freeze frame to show some of the details. Here is a photo of one of the groups. Can you spot Thomas Farriner asleep and the oven on fire?



Chestnut Class



This week in science, we looked at the effect temperature has on changing the state of matter. To investigate this, we cut two pieces of felt to the same size then placed them in water and wrung them out. We placed one piece in our classroom and the other in the fridge in the staff room and started the stopwatch to see which one dries faster. Next week, we will find out if our predictions were correct and discuss why the rate of evaporation changes with a change in temperature.



Rowan Class

We have been exploring Caribbean foods. We have tried lots of new food's including Guava, Plantain and Yam. We had a mixed response as some of the foods are an acquired taste, but everyone was brave and tried something new.

We look forward to the next week and seeing what wonderful creations the children come up with in cooking.



ECO Council Committee

We are pleased to announce our ECO council committee is Daniel W, Daniel H, Hetty, Eva A, Lowri, Fleur and Freddie.

School Lunch Ordering for Term 2

The deadline for ordering school lunches for next term is **Thursday 13th October 2022**. We will not be taking paper lunch orders so please ensure you respond via Parent mail for your child's lunches for term 2 before the deadline date.

School Lunch Statements

School Lunch invoices have been sent home this week; the balance owing is highlighted in the top right-hand corner. Please can full payment be made via Parent mail as soon as possible. If you wish to pay via cheque, please make it payable to OCC.

Paying for Lunches on Parent mail:

1. Log onto Parent mail
2. Click Message Feed
3. Select "Payments"
4. Select "Go to Shop"
5. Select "Childs School Meal"
6. Choose meal quantity.
7. Select "Pay Now"
8. Click on "Checkout"
9. Choose a payment method.
10. Confirm Payment
11. Input card details
12. Select "Pay Now"
13. A page will say, "Payment Complete". Click "Finish"

Forest School: Autumn term dates

Reception (Oak)	Monday afternoons & Thursday afternoons	3/10,6/10,10/10,13/10,17/10,20/10
Year 1 (Willow)	Tuesday mornings	27/9, 4/10, 11/10, 1/11, 8/11, 15/11, 22/11, 29/11
Year 2 (Willow)	Tuesday afternoons	
Year 3 (Chestnut)	Alternate Wednesday mornings	28/9, 12/10, 9/11, 23/11
Year 4 (Chestnut)	Alternate Wednesday mornings	5/10, 2/11, 16/11, 30/11
Year 5 (Rowan)	Alternate Wednesday afternoons	28/9, 12/10, 9/11, 23/11
Year 6 (Rowan)	Alternate Wednesday afternoons	5/10, 2/11, 16/11, 30/11

After School Clubs – Term 1

Day	Club	Dates	Year groups	Time	Cost
Monday	Dodgeball (Lunchtime) Contact John Andrews andrewactive@outlook.com	12 th Sept to 17 th October	All	12.30 -1pm	£20.00
Monday	French Club Juliet.taylor2@btinternet.com	12 th Sept to 17 th October	3 to 6	3.20 – 3.50pm	£3.50 per session
Monday	Drama Club	19 th September to 17 th October	3 to 6	3.15 – 4.30pm	FULLY BOOKED
Tuesday	Wild Club (Forest School) With Sarah Walker	13 th September to 18 th October	3 to 6	3.15 – 5pm	FULLY BOOKED
Thursday	Woolley Club (craft activities) with Mrs Fenemore	15 th September to 13 th October	3 to 6	3.20pm - 4.30pm	£25.00 2 PLACES LEFT

Dates for your diary

Thursday 13th October	Junior Citizens Trip	Year 6
Monday 17th October	Harvest Festival Assembly 2.15pm in school hall	Parents welcome
Friday 21st October	Last day of term 1	School finishes 3.15pm
Monday 31st October	Start of term 2	Welcome back
Wednesday 2nd November	Parents Evening	3.30pm to 7pm
Thursday 3rd November	Parents Evening	3.30pm to 5pm
Tuesday 8th November	Oxford Story Museum	Rowan class

