

Stanton Drew Newsletter

Friday 23rd June 2023



26 June – Delilah 28 June – Hannah



Please remember to apply sun cream to your children before school and wear a sun hat!

Lemurs - Ukulele concert

Children in KS2 will be taking part in a ukulele performance for parents on Monday 26th June at 2.30pm. Please come along to see how well your children play!

Lemurs trip

Last week, children in Lemurs visited Radstock Museum where they took part in a Victorian school lesson, visited a miner's cottage, a replica coal mine and a blacksmith's forge.







Chinchillas

This week we had our final visit of the year to Stanton Court as part of the Archie Project. We read some of our recent writing to the residents and enjoyed being in the sunshine with them. We have really enjoyed being part of this project and our monthly visits to Stanton Court have been a real highlight of the year! I would like to say how proud I am of each and every child for their kindness, respect and patience when visiting the residents. They have truly been brilliant! Miss Everson

The children who are currently in Year 2 and 3, will continue this amazing community work next year, as funding has been kindly agreed by the Chelwood Rotary Club.









Lemurs climbing session

Children in Lemurs class visited Mendip Outdoor Pursuits this week for an introduction to climbing session. They were very brave!







Quad kids

Lemurs class travelled to Chew Valley School last week and took part in 4 different sports activities with other primary schools in the area. They did very well, coming 6th out of 9 schools.





Sports day

All children took part in the annual sports day yesterday on the cricket field where they played football dribble, standing jump, bench balance, shuttle hoop pick up and beanbag throw.

The final scores were: Hedgehogs – 720 points, Deers – 685 points, Foxes – 656 points. Well done everyone!







Lemurs

In Science, children in Lemurs have been dissecting plants to find the parts within, and to label them on a picture in their books.







Wrong Trousers - Friday 30th June

We will be supporting the Wallace and Gromit Wrong Trousers appeal this year to raise money for critically ill children and babies at Bristol Children's Hospital. Please send in a suggested donation of £1 on the day. Children may wear their wacky and wonderful trousers to school!



School Governor

We are looking to recruit a governor to support the work of both schools in the Federation. This could be the parent of a child in the school or another adult living in the local community. For an informal chat to discuss the application process and the role, please contact the Chair of Governors, Dr Phil Gladwin via email pgladwin@bishopsuttonstantondrew.co.uk

Closing date for applications is 5pm Friday 7th July 2023.

Diary dates

Mon 26th June – KS2 Ukulele performance

Tues 27th June - Year 1 tag tails - letter emailed

Thurs 29th June - Reserve sports day

Frid 30th June – Wrong Trousers day

Mon 10th July – Meerkats – Folly Farm

Thurs 20th July – KS2 performance – 2pm and 6pm

Frid 21st July - End of term

Certificates

Well done to the following children who received certificates (for hard work or positive attitude, great behaviour or good manners etc) in the latest celebration assemblies:



Meerkats	Chinchillas	Lemurs	Leaves
Theo	Daisy	Rufus	Wilf
Molly Cl	Ella	Freddie	Monty
Lola	Atia	The whole class!	
Sid	Ellis		

Note: the records are made by Year 6 children, so apologies if there are any omissions/mistakes

Term Dates for the Academic Year	2022-23	
Term 4	Monday 20 February 2023 – Friday 31 March 2023	
Easter Holiday	Monday 03 April 2023 – Friday 14 April 2023	
Term 5	Monday 17 April 2023 – Friday 26 May 2023	
Half Term	Monday 29 May 2023 – Friday 2 June	
Inset Day	Monday 5 June 2023	
Term 6	Tuesday 6 June 2023 – Friday 21 July 2023	

Term Dates for the Academic Year	2023-24
Inset Day	Friday 1st September 2023
Inset Day	Monday 4 th September 2023
Term 1	Tuesday 5 th September 2023 – Thursday 19 th October 2023
Inset Day	Friday 20 th October 2023
Half Term Holiday	Monday 23 rd October 2023– Friday 27 th October 2023
Term 2	Monday 30 th October 2023 – Friday 15 th December 2023
Inset Day	Friday 17 th November 2023
Christmas Holiday	Monday 18 th December 2023 – Monday 1 st January 2024
Term 3	Tuesday 2 nd January 2024 –Friday 9 th February 2024
Half Term Holiday	Monday 12th February 2024 – Friday 16th February 2024
Inset Day	Monday 19th February 2024
Term 4	Tuesday 20th February 2024- Thursday 28th March 2024
Easter Holiday	Friday 29th March 2024 – Friday 12th April 2024
Term 5	Monday 15 th April 2024 – Friday 24 th May 2024
Half Term Holiday	Monday 27 th May 2024 – Friday 31 st May 2024
Inset Day	Monday 3 rd June 2024
Term 6	Tuesday 4 th June 2024 – Tuesday 23 rd July 2024

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Friends update



Summer Fair - Saturday 24th June - 2.00-4.00pm

In preparation for our summer fair we need everyone to lend a hand. This is our big opportunity to fundraise for the school so we want it to be a big success! Check out the list below and help out where you can.....

Volunteer sheet – can you spare an hour or two on the day and volunteer to run a stall? The volunteer sign-up sheet will be available in the school playground for you to pop your name down. If you can't sign up at school then just email: stantondrewfriends@gmail.com and let us know what time you can spare and we'll sign you up.

Items to donate – we need the following items for the stalls:

· Tombola – bottles of wine, candles, small gift sets, homeware, bath items (bubble bath, bath bombs, moisturisers)

- · Chocolotto small chocolate bars (snack/mini size)
- · Bakery corner any cakes or savouries
- · Teddy tombola any teddies that are in good condition
- · Raffle prizes bottles of wine/fizz, gift sets, boxes of chocolates
- Raffle tickets sell as many as you can and return any unsold tickets to the school office so we have a chance to sell them at the fair

Please drop any donations to the school office by Friday 23rd June. For the baked items, please bring them to the village hall on Saturday 24th June, we'll be setting up from 12pm.

Thanks everyone!



Save the date! Watch this space.......

Keep up to date with events and updates by following the **Stanton Drew Primary School Parents & Carers** page and **Stanton Drew Primary School Friend Association** page on Facebook. The Friends post when a new event has been booked so make sure you follow both pages. ©





School Lottery

If you haven't signed up already then please go online, sign up to the lottery and purchase your lottery tickets! Please ask friends, family, neighbours and work colleagues to sign up. Go to: https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/stanton-drew-primary-school

Tickets for the lottery cost just £1 per week. There is a guaranteed cash winner for the school every week and the chance to win the £25,000 jackpot. There is no commitment to stay in the lottery and players can choose to leave at any time.

The draw takes place every Saturday, winners will be notified via email. Match all 6 numbers and you win the JACKPOT! There is also a winner picked at random to win the weekly raffle prize, which means there is a guaranteed winner for the school every week, so far winners have won between £8 and £20. The more people that buy tickets, the bigger the raffle prize winnings pot. All winnings will be paid directly into your bank account.

If you already have an account then please check to see that you have purchased tickets for future draws, we would hate for anyone to miss out. ©

Easy Fundraising

Please sign up to https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/ to get a free donation for the school every time you shop online. It's really quick and also simple to use.



Thank you The Friends

*The next newsletter will be published on Friday 7th July

