



Stanton Drew Newsletter

Wednesday 16th June 2021



26th June

Delilah



The art installation is to celebrate Earth Week, and bringing attention to environmental and recycling issues. The children used plastic bottles to create flowers, by cutting and shaping the top of the bottle into petals. They then painted these plastic flowers using acrylic paints. Some of them even created extra plastic stems to stick inside the petals. Then, we used the remainder of the bottles to create the trunk of the tree, which they then painted differing shades of brown. We used garden wire to attach the flowers and the trunk to the chicken wire, which was then attached to the school fence. The children worked enormously hard and the rainbow contrast between the different colour hues for each different year group makes the tree look fantastic. We are considering making some more, seeing as they look so colourful and beautiful.



When it just gets too hot why not take the lesson outside!

Mr Marriott took the Chinchillas out to the field to read "Woof" in the shade of the tree.

Parking

Please could we ask that we all take extra care when parking around the school especially during morning drop off and afternoon pick up. There are still people parking on the white lines, which need to be kept clear to keep the children safe so please could we ask you not to park there. We appreciate that there is not much space and unfortunately, one of houses nearby is having a lot of building work carried out at the moment, which has drastically increased the number of cars and trade vans along the road leading to less spaces for parking. To help with the amount of time you need to be parked up we do have staff on both gates in the morning and at the end of the day to help get the children in and out of school as quickly and as safely as possible.

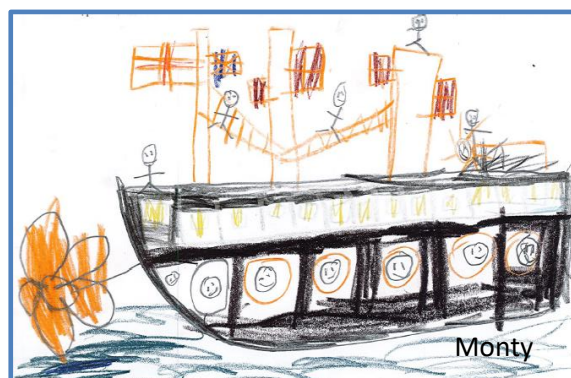
Meerkats Trip to SS Great Britain



Daisy



Winnie



Meerkats Thank you Letters

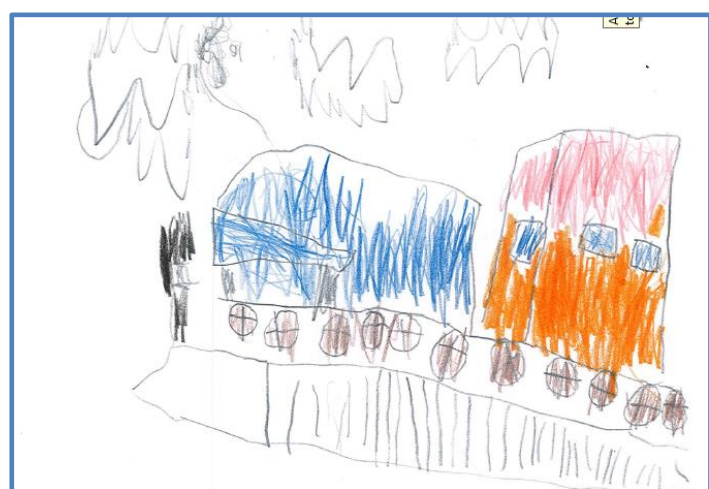
Meerkats wrote thank you letters to The Friends for their new equipment and toys. Here are some of them ..



Dear Friends,

Thank you for the toys.

Love from Lucas



Dear Friends,

Thank you for the train set.

From Wilf



Dear Friends,

Thank you for raising lots of money for Meerkats. Thank you for giving money so we can go and have an amazing time at SS Great Britain. Thank you for giving even more money so we can buy more school equipment. I love the fun mobile, trains and the colourful number mat.

Love from Poppy

Friends update for School Newsletter – 16 June 2021

Spring Raffle – 28th May

Thank you to EVERYONE that got involved and purchased raffle tickets. We managed to raise £908.00 which is a fantastic amount! The school were keen to purchase new iPads so the Friends can help make this happen. All winners were contacted after the draw and all prizes have now been delivered to the lucky winners.

Special thanks to the parents that kindly donated raffle prizes:

- £120 Gift Voucher – Easy Runner
- 2 x Full Car Valet inc. Machine polish – My New Car Ltd
- Food Hamper – Cam Valley Foods Ltd

Here's a photo of Mr Cook pulling out the first winning raffle ticket!



Clothes Collection

We are planning on setting up another clothes collection on 16th July. More details to follow. This gives everyone a chance to clear out old clothes, shoes (tied together) handbags, curtains, towels, bed linen, also raise funds for the school. All donations need to be bagged up and put outside of the school by 9am on Friday 16th July.

Future Plans

The Friends are looking into joining this school lottery:

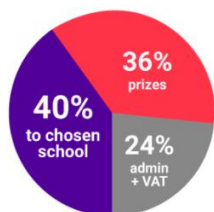
<https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/>

Tickets for the lottery cost just £1 per week. There is a guaranteed cash winner for your school every week and the chance to win the £25,000 jackpot. You can either set up a monthly recurring payment plan via Direct Debit or payment card or pay for a block of 1, 3, 6 or 12 months of weekly tickets on a non-recurring basis.

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!

The school will receive 40% of all ticket sales, 36% is used for prizes and 24% is admin fees + VAT.



We will continue to look into this lottery and once we set up an account, we will send out more information.

Reminders

- **Easy Fundraising** – please sign up to <https://www.easypfundraising.org.uk/> to get a free donation for the school every time you shop online.
- **Ways to donate**

There is a way for everyone to donate! We are asking parents/carers/grandparents and any family members that would like to help the school to either:

- **Transfer to Friends of Stanton Drew School (PTA)**

Sort code: 40-17-49

Account number: 41043668

Please use your child's name as the online reference

- **Cheques made payable to: Friends of Stanton Drew School (PTA)**

Please write your child's name on the back of the cheque. Place in an envelope, addressed to Friends of Stanton Drew School and hand into the school (either to your child's teacher or to Mrs Clubbe)

- **Cash**

Place in an envelope, addressed to Friends of Stanton Drew School and hand into the school (either to your child's teacher or to Mrs Clubbe)

Thank you

The Friends



Diary Dates

2020-2021	
Term 6	7 th June 2021 – 21 st July 2021
INSETS	7 th June
2021-2022	
Term 1	2 nd September 2021 – 22 nd October 2021
Half Term	25 th October 2021 – 29 th October 2021
Term 2	1 st November 2021 – 17 th December 2021
Christmas Break	20 th December 2021 – 3 rd January 2022
Term 3	4 th January 2022 – 18 th February 2022
Half Term	21 st February 2022 – 25 th February 2022
Term 4	28 th February 2022 – 8 th April 2022
Easter Break	11 th April 2022 – 22 nd April
Term 5	25 th April 2022 – 27 th May 2022
Half Term	30 th May 2022 – 3 rd June 2022
Term 6	6 th June 2022 – 22 nd July 2022
INSETS	Thursday 2 nd Sept, Friday 3 rd Sept, Monday 1 st Nov, Tuesday 4 th Jan and Friday 27 th May

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