



St. Stephen's C. of E. First School April Antics!

Dear Parents,

It's the Summer Term and finally some sunny weather, after all of those April Showers. This term is an important one for Year 1 as they approach their Phonics Screening Tests in the week beginning June 8th. Year 4 are also getting tested in the two weeks from June 1st as they take their National Times Tables Check. It's an important term for all of our pupils as we reach the end of the academic year and are hoping that every child can reach their end of year targets.

There are lots of events to look forward to this term, Sports Days, School Fete, School Disco's as well as class trips for all classes. Lots of photo opportunities for future newsletters. There have been some date changes so please check the list below. The children have been working hard in school and they are all enjoying their wonderful learning opportunities.

We always appreciate your attendance to events in school and we always appreciate the time, effort, and support that is given.

Enjoy the sunshine!

Mrs. Barrett



The Special Educational Needs Parent Forum team came to run a slime Workshop on April 30th. The parents had an interesting talk from Alison Stanton about support for parents of children with Special Needs. Then the children joined their parents to make slime. It was a slimy afternoon...but great fun. We are planning another workshop for our SEND parents soon. Watch this space!



Year 2 carried out observations in the school grounds to see what wildlife and plants they could spot. Happy hunting year 2.

Breakfast Club

Our free breakfast club goes from strength to strength as our numbers grow each week. Just a few reminders for those that attend.

1. Please make sure your child has safely entered the hall in the mornings.
2. Some of the older children are dropped at the gate. Please make sure that they walk along the path and not through the car park.
3. The doors close at 8:35 am as we have to tidy up ready for assembly at 8:50 am.

A big thank-you to all of you that send your children to our club.

Dates for your diaries:

Summer Term One:

4th May-Bank Holiday

15th May- Year 2 London Trip

20th May- Choir Concert at Woodfield

21st May- Alpaca Visit

25th May- 29th May- Half term.

Summer Term Two:

1st June -School Opens

9th June - New intake meeting

9th June- EYFS/Nurse's trip

9th June- England V South Africa Cricket Trip Yr 4

10th June -Eid Celebration

12th June-Sports Day KS1 and KS2

19th June- Early Years Sports Day

23rd June- Year 3 and 4 class trip

24th June-School Fete 2:00pm.

26th June - Spectacular Sports

30th June - Trust Choir Fest.

2nd July- Year 1 class trip.

8th July - Year 4- Middle School Transition

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14th July - Leavers Assembly in school.

15th July - Leaver Service at Church.

16th July - Leavers Party.

17th July -School closes for Summer.



Year 3 have been getting their hands busy with their DT project all about mechanisms. They had to plan first and then they made the real thing. Below are some of the finished designs.

