

Stanway Primary School

Weekly Bulletin



ISSUE 10

MONDAY, 18TH NOVEMBER 2024

Diary Dates

Mon

18.11.24

Choir Club
3:15pm-4:15pm

Creative Writing Club
3:15pm-4:15pm

Homework/TT
Rockstars Club
3:15pm-4:15pm

Year 3-4 Football Club
3:15pm-4:15pm

Tues

19.11.24

Rocksteady
9:00am-11:00am

Colouring Club
3:15pm-4:15pm

Construction Club
3:15pm - 4:15pm

Doodle Club
3:15pm-4:15pm

Choir Competition Final (6:30pm)

Wed

20.11.24

Girls Football Club
3:15pm-4:15pm

Hama Beads Club
3:15pm-4:15pm

Diary Dates

Thurs

21.11.24

Forest School
3 Morpurgo

Netball Club
3:15pm - 4:15pm

Fri

22.11.24

Caribbean Day Lunch Menu

Please note that there is a change to the Menu on Thursday 27th November.

The menu is attached and the Allergen information can be found using the following link:

[Allergen Information Caribbean Day Menu](#)

Looking Ahead

Dates for your Diary

Monday 25th November

Year 6 Trip to Duxford

Wednesday 27th November

Years 3 & 4 Dance Workshops

No Pens Wednesday

Caribbean Day/Black History Day -

Parents Invited into School

Thursday 28th November

Year 3 Ukulele Concert

at Lexden Springs

Friday 29th November

Choosing Day -Non Uniform Day

Tuesday 3rd December

Rocksteady Concert -Tuesday

Group 9:15am

Wednesday 4th December

Year 3 Trip to Jimmy's Farm

Friday 6th December

New Intake Tour 9:15am

Letters Home

Wake Up Wednesday Guide all Parents via Arbor In App 13.11.24

Ukulele Concert Year 3 Parents via Email 13.11.24

Messages



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Small Glass Animals

We are aware that many children are currently enjoying a new craze which is to collect small animals. We recognise that this is a very enjoyable pastime for our children and by no means do we want to prevent them from taking part in the activity. However, the craze is beginning to impact learning time, so from today we have explained to the children the following rules to help them continue to enjoy collecting and trading whilst still ensuring the pastime is enjoyable for all and not impacting upon the children's learning:

Animals should be put away in lockers/bags during learning time

Animals can be taken outside at lunchtime for showing and trading with friends

Animals should not be out whilst in the dining hall

Animals are brought to school by the children at their own risk - the school cannot take responsibility for lost animals etc.

If animals are seen being shown to friends/traded etc. outside of lunchtime or in the dining hall during lunchtime, they will be confiscated for the remainder of the day.

Please go through these new rules with your child, so they can be crystal clear on the expectations.

Children in Need - Non Uniform Day

We managed to raise £253 on Friday for Children in Need, thank you for your donations.

Measles in Essex

Please see the attached letter from the UK Health Security Agency regarding Measles in Essex.

Attendance

Well done to 3 Morpurgo who had the best attendance last week at 99.31%!

The winners of the Attendance Bears are R Rosen, 3 Morpurgo and 5 Shakespeare.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Attendance % Present</u>
R Hendra	92.56%
R Rosen	96%
1 Blake	95.36%
1 Donaldson	95.17%
2 Bond	95.56%
2 Dahl	94.62%
3 Morpurgo	99.31%
3 Wilson	94%
4 Jackson	96.67%
4 Zephaniah	95.67%
5 Rauf	93.87%
5 Shakespeare	98.06%
6 Rowling	94.33%
6 Tolkien	92.58%

A cluster of vibrant green tropical leaves, including a large monstera leaf, is positioned in the top left corner of the page.

CARIBBEAN DAY
WEDNESDAY 27TH NOVEMBER

A decorative floral border surrounds the central text. It consists of several colorful flowers (pink, yellow, purple, blue, and orange) and green leaves connected by thin green stems.

MENU

MAIN:
JERK CHICKEN
RICE & PEAS
CARIBBEAN SALSA

VEG:
VEGETABLE CURRY & RICE

LIGHT BITE:
CUBAN SANDWICH (HAM & CHEESE)
CRISPS & SALAD

DESSERT: MANGO SMOOTHIE

WE NEED YOU TO DONATE BOOKS

If you would like to donate a book to the school library then perfect (only if you have your parents permission)! If you have any books that you have lost interest in and think that someone else might enjoy reading it please donate it.

Donating books is a gesture towards the school and we will be handing out proud points if you do! There will also be a raffle and if you give a book to the class 6 Tolkien, give your



name as well then you will be entered automatically

and it is completely random. If you donate more than one book you will be entered more than once so if a person donates one book and you donate five books then you will have higher odds than them. You will receive a prize of a sweet bag or a couple of animals (the resin ones)



etc etc. so if you have an unwanted book please donate it and don't throw it away even if it's a small book you still have the chance of winning!

DISCLAIMER! We will not accept books in bad condition. E.G. ripped pages or drawn on. BY 6

TOLKIEN LIBRARIANS



UK Health
Security
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Essex County Council

12 November 2024

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Measles in Essex

Measles is circulating in Essex. Most cases of measles have been in school children and preschool children not protected by a full course of the MMR vaccine.

Measles is very infectious and spreads easily amongst people who are unvaccinated. It can be a very serious illness and can sometimes lead to hospitalisation – and in rare cases, can cause death.

If you or your child have symptoms of measles, seek medical attention. Be sure to phone ahead before you visit your GP surgery or other healthcare setting. This allows arrangements to be made to prevent others from being infected. Do not send a child with these symptoms to school unless they have been medically assessed and told they can go to school.

Measles signs and symptoms

- cold-like symptoms (runny nose, sneezing or coughing)
- sore, red eyes
- a high temperature (fever)
- A few days later, a red-brown blotchy rash will appear. This usually starts on the head or upper neck, before spreading outwards to the rest of the body.

Protection against measles

The best way to protect yourself, family, and friends, is the Measles, Mumps and Rubella (MMR) vaccination. MMR is a highly effective and safe vaccine and protects against measles, mumps and rubella. Anyone who has missed a dose of MMR should contact their GP surgery to get vaccinated. 2 doses of the MMR vaccine gives long-term protection.

If you are not sure if your child has missed an MMR dose (or any other vaccination) you can contact the Essex Children's Immunisation and Vaccination team on 0300 790 0597. You can also ring this number to have your child vaccinated in a community vaccination clinic.

Vaccination clinics:

All clinics listed below are from 10am – 3pm.

Saturday, 16 November 2024 at Sydney House Clacton



UK Health
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Agency

Saturday, 16 November 2024 at Timberlog Youth Centre, SS14 1UX (Walk-ins available for flu vaccine)

Saturday, 16 November 2024 at St Margaret's Hospital, Epping, Maple Lodge, CM16 6TN (Walk-ins available for flu vaccine)

Saturday, 23 November 2024 at Fryatt Hospital, Harwich

Saturday, 23 November 2024 at Leigh PCC, SS9 3NG (Walk-ins available for flu vaccine)

Saturday, 23 November 2024 at Livewell Hub Braintree, CM7 3HP

Saturday, 23 November 2024 at Fryatt Hospital, Harwich, CO12 4EX

Saturday, 23 November 2024 at Crouch Vale Medical Centre, CM3 5QP

Saturday, 30 November 2024 at Thameside House, Thurrock Hospital RM16 2PX

Saturday, 30 November 2024 at The Lodge, Wickford, SS11 7XX

Saturday, 7 December 2024 at Leigh PCC, SS9 3NG (Walk-ins available for flu vaccine)

Saturday, 7 December 2024 at Timberlog YC, SS14 1UX (Walk-ins available for flu vaccine)

Saturday, 7 December 2024 at St Margaret's Hospital, Epping, Orchard Day room, CM16 6TN (Walk-ins available for flu vaccine)

Saturday, 14 December 2024 at Hermit YC, CM15 8AG

Saturday, 14 December 2024 at Livewell Hub, Braintree, CM7 3HP

Saturday, 14 December 2024 at Clough Road, Colchester, CO4 9QS

Parents should Call 0300 790 0597 to book MMR appointments.

For further information about measles, please visit

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/measles/>

Information about the MMR vaccine can be found here:

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/vaccinations/mmr-vaccine/>

Kind regards,

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UK Health Security Agency



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Dr Danny Showell, Consultant in Public Health,
Essex County Council