

June 2025

STOKE HILL INFANT AND NURSERY



DATES

6th—Cake sale—
Willow
Bags2School

w/b 9th—Nursery
Explore and Create
Week and Phonics
Screening Check
week (Y1)

11th—Plastic Pirates
workshop in
Reception

13th—Governor
Day
Cake sale—
Ladybird

16th—Y2 history
visitors

YR, Y1, Y2 Parent
Pop-in 2:45

19th—Y1 Space
Odyssey visitor

20th—Class photos
Cake sale
Dragonfly

23rd—Devon
Wildlife Trust visiting
Y2

24th—Bee Sports
2:30

25th—Dragonfly
Sports 2:30

26th—Ladybird
Sports 2:30

27th—Cake sale
Bee

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Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you all enjoyed a restful and sunny(ish) half term and are ready for the term ahead.

When it is sunny, please send your children to school ready for the weather, with suncream applied before school—we are unable to help children apply it during the day. Please also make sure they have a sunhat and water bottle.

We are looking forward to lots of visitors this term, including parents for pop-ins and sports days. You will receive details of your child's class for September on July 7th and annual school reports will be sent home via School Gateway on 18th July.

Best wishes,

Claire McKimm, Head of School

Stars of the week

The following children have been their class's reader, role model or learner of the week during the last month:



Readers of the week: Phoebe, Steven, Lyla, Hassan (Bee), Matilda, Joel, Nancy, Connor (Dragonfly), Amelie, Antonia, Mason, Avah (Ladybird), Evie, Aurelia, Alex, Jonah (Beech), Eliza, Dylan, Willow, George (Oak), Henrik, Ruben, Otto, Jacob (Willow), Darcie, Taleighea, Boran, Jasper (Chaffinch), Luke, Lucas, Faithful, Henry (Swift), Etienne, Ire, Ellen, Elina (Woodpecker)

Role models of the week: Pietro, Riley, Arzo, Pietro (Bee), Theo, Muaz, Sylvie, Ananya (Dragonfly), Emily, Arthur, Amelie, Valentin (Ladybird), Isla, Pippa, Rithira (Beech), Nik, Elham, Olivia, Evie (Oak), Doris, Daisy, Joe, Olive (Willow), Cohen, Lucia, Taleighea, Eva (Chaffinch), Elliott, Sebastian, Martha, Poppy (Swift), Avara, Jaxson, Antec, Arthur (Woodpecker)

Learners of the week: Harry, Alannah, Gabriel, Viola (Bee), Enoch, Abi, Matthew, Eli (Dragonfly), Samuel, Nina, Melody, Vihaan (Ladybird), Naomi, Rithira, Martha, Reuben (Beech), Olivia, Zen, Alfie, Archie (Oak), Gabi, Ryan, Reiza, Charlie (Willow), Blas, Joseph, Iliana, Theo (Chaffinch), James, Alex, Ayra, David (Swift), Frankie, Benjamin, Eli, Amelia (Woodpecker)

Cool Milk

We have signed up with a company called Cool Milk who will be providing children attending SHINS fresh milk to drink at break times.

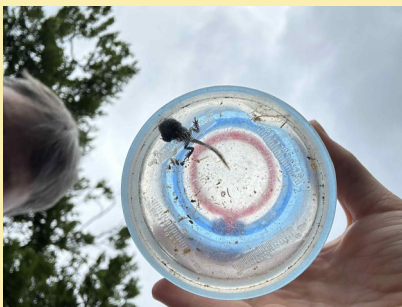
The milk will be free for **all under 5's** and **over 5's in receipt of Free School Meals**.

Parents of over 5's who are not in receipt of Free School Meals can also sign up to include their child in the scheme at a subsidised cost. Parents will need to sign up directly with Cool Milk to arrange this and make payments and the milk will all be delivered together. You can register for this service online www.coolmilk.com/register. The first delivery will be taking place on Monday 16th June 2025.



Year 2 Trip to Stover

Last month, the Year 2 children went on an educational visit to Stover Park near Newton Abbot. The children worked with the park rangers to identify mini beasts whilst pond dipping and exploring in the woodland areas. The children were excited to get close to the tadpoles, newts and water spiders. It was a fun day learning about important ecosystems in our environment.



Sports Days

Over the next month 'sports days' will happen. For Reception, these take place a class at a time on the astro. Parents are invited to come and watch at **2.30pm: Bee Tuesday 24th, Dragonfly Wednesday 25th, Ladybird Thursday 26th**.

Year 1 and 2's events take place at **9.15am** on the playground/field and will last approximately an hour. For safeguarding reasons, we will need to ask parents to leave the site at drop off and then come back to the gate on the field for a 9.15am start—**Year 1 Tuesday 1st July, Year 2 Wednesday 2nd July**.

School Office Notices

Please remember to let school know by 9am, by phone or the School Gateway app if your child is going to be off school for any reason.

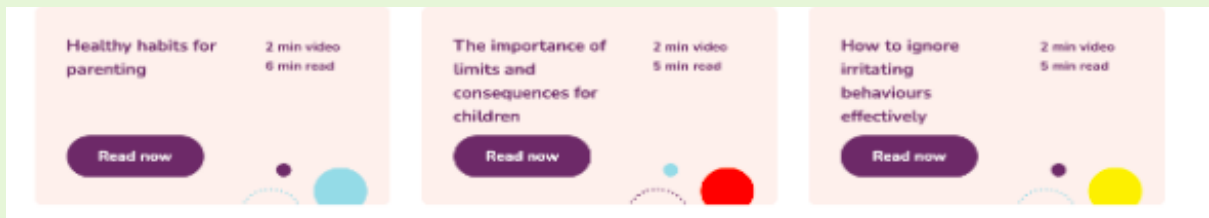
If any of your contact details change, please let us know.

Schoolgateway



Wellbeing

This month in a bid to continue our support of mental health and wellbeing we would like to draw your attention to the following three video clips (2 mins) along with help cards that you may find of use. It could be just the short video clip that helps towards maintaining that positive wellbeing that we all strive for..



Parenting Smart- Series of Short Videos and Help Cards. <https://parentingsmart.place2be.org.uk/>

PTFA

The PTFA are busy planning the Summer Fair, a much-loved event that brings together our school community for a day of fun, food, and fundraising—and we can't do it without your help!

We're currently looking for volunteers to assist with:

- Setting up and packing down stalls
- Running stalls - refreshments/games/ice cream etc.
- Donating tombola or raffle prizes
- Facepainters
- Performers - band/dance group etc.

Whether you can spare an hour or the whole day, **every bit of help makes a big difference**. If you're interested in volunteering or would like to donate items, please let us know by emailing stokehillptfa@gmail.com

Thank you for your continued support—we're looking forward to making this year's Summer Fair as good as (if not better than) last years!



SATURDAY 5TH JULY | 11AM TO 2PM



**JOIN US
FOR THE STOKE HILL**

SUMMER FAIR



WE NEED YOU!

**PLEASE CONTACT US ON THE EMAIL ADDRESS
BELOW IF YOU CAN HELP NO MATTER HOW BIG OR
SMALL!!**

**VOLUNTEER TO RUN A STALL
FACEPAINTERS
PERFORMERS
RAFFLE DONATIONS**

FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!

BOUNCY CASTLE | RAFFLE | GAMES | LIVE ENTERTAINMENT

FOOD | ICE CREAM | PIMMS

STOKEHILLPTFA@GMAIL.COM

Community Notice

The Women's Rugby World Cup takes place in August and September this year with some matches being hosted at Sandy Park, the home of the Exeter Chiefs.

We have pleasure in sharing a poster from one of our local clubs that is due to host an international team as a training venue.

If your daughter would love to find out more or give rugby a go for the first time, why not pop along to Exeter Saracens this summer?



England Rugby

EXETER SARACENS

GIRLS RUGBY

SCHOOL YEARS 2 - 6

SUMMER RUGBY!

Fun Rugby Sessions
T1 Rugby - Tag Rugby
Just like at school!
Every Thursday 6.30pm - 8.00pm

COME GIVE RUGBY A TRY!

For more information contact us on
exetersaracensrffc@outlook.com



Womens Rugby World Cup Year
Exeter Host City
Never A Better Time To Start !



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