



### **Message from the PTA**

The Annual Stamford Green Quiz night is this Friday 3 March. There are a few tables left so we have extended the deadline for applications to Wednesday 1 March. If you haven't already organised a team, please do so quickly. Alternatively if you would like to join but are not yet in a team please complete the form and post it in the PTA mailbox (inside next to the Office) and we will put you in a team.

The PTA are looking for a few volunteers to assist with the event please; setting up (organising tables, chairs, preparing quiz sheets) between 5.30pm - 7.30pm, helping to run the bar during the Quiz break, and tidying up at the end of the quiz night. Hopefully sharing the jobs will enable everyone to make the most of the evening.

If you are able to help please sign up at [www.volunteersignup.org/MQDTE](http://www.volunteersignup.org/MQDTE)

SAVE THE DATE: Friday 9 June. There will be a professional theatre company visiting Stamford Green Primary School for an open air production of Peter Pan. More information to follow but it is sure to be a fun packed event for the whole family.

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### **Bottle Tops**

Please could you send in any plastic soft drink or milk bottle tops for Reception to use during Eco Week. Many thanks.

### **School Lunches**

From week beginning 6 March, roast dinner day will now be on a Thursday. If you wish to change your school lunch from a Wednesday to a Thursday, on this occasion one week's notice will be sufficient. Please let us know by Thursday 2 March if you wish to change. Thank you.

On World Book Day, children will enjoy a different lunch menu on this day. Please see the attached themed menu.

### **World Book Day**

On Thursday 2 March we will be celebrating World Book Day. It would be great if as many children as possible could dress up as a book character. Children should still wear appropriate shoes for school and bring a coat. We would also like to use this occasion to support the Delight Charity which aims to provide children with access to books and fill them with a desire to read.

If you would like to donate a children's book (in good condition) to the charity, please bring it into school on World Book Day. In addition to the activities happening in classes and year groups on the day, we have arranged author visits for the children to enjoy on 27 February (Year 1,2 and 3), 8 March (Reception) and 10 March (Year 4,5 and 6).

### **Reminders regarding upcoming trips:**

**Year 4** World War II Day – visit to Bourne Hall Museum – Tuesday 28 February 2017

Tomorrow, Year 4 will have a visit from the Bourne Hall Museum. If you would like your child to take part and have not yet made the contribution of £3.23, please could you do so by logging on to Tucasi.

## Year 1 The Sutton Synagogue Trip – Tuesday 7 March 2017

To support Year 1's learning about Judaism there will be a visit to the Sutton & District Synagogue on Tuesday 7 March. If you would like your child to take part in this trip and have not yet made the contribution of £5.01, please could you do so via Tucasi ensuring that you also tick the permission box.

## Year 6 Junior Citizen Event – Thursday 9 March 2017

Year 6 pupils will attend an exciting event at Epsom Downs Race Course on Thursday 9 March 2017 designed to provide children with life skills that will enable them to keep themselves and others safe. If you would like your child to take part in this trip and have not yet made the contribution of £7.50, please could you do so by via Tucasi ensuring that you also tick the permission box.

### Coming up soon:

February		
w/b Monday 27.2.16	-	Y6 Practice National Curriculum Tests
Monday 27.2.17	All day	Y1 – Y3 Author Visit – Lou Kuenzler
Tuesday 28.2.17	All day	Y4 World War Two day
Tuesday 28.2.17	9.00am – 10.30am	Come and Play Session for pre-school children and toddlers
March		
Thursday 2.3.17	All day	Whole school event - World Book day – Dress as a book character
w/b Monday 6.3.17	-	Eco Week
Tuesday 7.3.17	All day	Y1 Visit to Sutton and District Synagogue
Tuesday 7.3.17	9.30am – 10.20am	School Open morning for prospective Parents/Carers
Wednesday 8.3.17	All morning	YR Author Visit – Zehra Hicks
Thursday 9.3.17	All morning	Y6 Junior Citizen Event
Thursday 9.3.17	3.30pm – 6.30pm	Parents' Evening
Friday 10.3.17	9.00am – 9.30am	2G's Class Assembly – Entry via the Office
Friday 10.3.17	All day	Y4 – Y6 Author Visit – A F Harrold



### Year 1 Weekly Information w/b 27.2.17

This week in English we will be focusing on traditional tales, including the structure and retelling the stories from different perspectives.

In maths this week will be re-visiting number facts to 20 and applying our addition and subtraction skills. In speedy maths this week we are working on adding two 1-digit numbers together at speed!

If you are available to help on the Year 1 trip to the Synagogue and you haven't already signed up on Tucasi please could you get in touch with Mrs Williams directly [williamse@stamford-green.surrey.sch.uk](mailto:williamse@stamford-green.surrey.sch.uk). 1S currently has enough volunteers however 1R and 1W still **urgently** need volunteers. If you are willing to accompany a class that is not your child's this would also be much appreciated.

End of day schedule:

East Gate – Miss Thomas/Mrs Dray and Mrs Sayers

West Gate – Mrs Williams

Have a great week,

Mrs Sayers, Miss Thomas, Mrs Williams and Mrs Dray



## Year 2 Weekly Information w/b 27.2.17

In English this week, we will be having a big focus on reading! Today we are lucky to have author Lou Kuenzler coming into school to talk to the children and do some work with them afterwards. We will be looking at what makes a good answer to comprehension questions, making sure we use specific words in our answers. On Thursday we will be doing some fun activities linked to World Book Day!

In maths, we will be continuing to work on multiplication. We will be learning how to show multiplication in a number of ways. The children will be learning how to use a 'multiplication strategy mat' as a way of showing their understanding of multiplication. Here's an example of a completed one:

<p>Show as equal groups</p> 	<p>Repeated addition</p> $5 + 5 + 5 = 15$
<p>Show as an array</p> 	<p>Skip counting</p> <p>5, 10, 15</p> <p>Write the multiplication sentence</p> $3 \times 5 = 15$

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Coming up soon in speedy maths (\* indicates new learning):

w/b 27.2.17	*Count on in $\frac{1}{2}$ s to 10 Know 2x table and division facts Add and subtract 1-digit and 2-digit numbers Count in 2s and 5s Add two 1-digit numbers
w/b 27.2.17	Know 10x table at speed Add 10s to 2-digit numbers at speed Subtract 10s from 2-digit numbers at speed Know 5x table Subtract 10 from any number

This week, we will start a new theme – 'We are what we eat!' which will focus on various aspects of food – including art, balanced diets, plants and what they need to survive, being healthy, school dinners and a trip to ASK Italian restaurant in Epsom (21 and 22 March – see letter). Thank you for the offers of help to walk with us there and back and stay to help supervise at the restaurant – if you are able to help, please let your child's teacher know by no later than 14 March. As we are walking to and from Epsom, we aren't restricted in terms of how many adults can come with us – the more the merrier!

On Friday 3 March, Y2 parents will have the opportunity to view the RSE (Relationships and Sex Education) DVD at 2.30pm.

Miss Burgess would like to thank the children for being so considerate while she has been on crutches this week. They have been such a credit to you all by being so kind and caring.

Have a great week!

Mrs Glaister and Miss Burgess



### Year 3 Weekly Information w/b 27.2.17

In English this week, the children's learning is based around the book 'Cliffhanger' by Jacqueline Wilson. We will be using the story to explore the description of characters and settings. On Thursday it is World Book Day at school.

In maths, we are continuing to work on length. The children will be using rulers to measure and draw lines, working to an increasing degree of accuracy. Later in the week, they will be comparing different lengths and getting more confidence in working with measurements in metres and centimetres.

Coming up soon in speedy maths:

w/b 27.2.17	Know division facts relating to 3x table at speed. Mentally add and subtract pairs of 2-digit numbers.
w/b 6.3.17	Know pairs of numbers to 100 Know division facts relating to 3x table Mentally add and subtract pairs of 2-digit numbers. Know 2x, 3x, 4x, 5x, 6x, 10x tables.

Year 3 will be taking a short break from themed learning this week in order to focus our attentions on an RE unit about what it means to be Jewish. They will be learning about events that take place in a typical Jewish home, Jewish food laws, significant ceremonies (e.g. weddings, bar mitzvahs) and Jewish festivals (e.g. Shabbat, Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur).

Have a good week,

Mrs Smith and Mr Loughlin



### Year 4 Weekly Information w/b 27.2.17

We are looking forward to our World War II day on Tuesday as part of our 'On the Home Front' theme. Please remember children should come to school dressed as someone from the 1940s during the Second World War.

In English lessons this week, the children will be trying to create atmosphere when writing a diary as an evacuee. As part of our World Book Day activities we will be looking at the poems of A.F Harrold and writing our own poem in his style.

In maths this week, the children will be focusing on perimeter and area. We will be learning how to calculate the perimeter and area of a range of shapes investigating if there are any shortcuts!

Coming up soon in speedy maths (\* indicates new learning):

w/b 27.2.17	Know division facts for 9x table at speed. Add and subtract pairs of 2-digit numbers at speed. Know pairs of tens to 180
w/b 6.3.17	* Use tables facts to work out related x at speed. Know simple equivalent fractions Know pairs of numbers to 90.

In addition to our World War II day, in our themed learning this week the children will be using the program paint.net on the computer to create WW2 Blitz pictures.

Have a great week.

Miss Jenkins and Mrs Spooner



### Year 5 Weekly Information w/b 27.2.17

In English this week the children will be using description effectively in their writing. Their work will be based around the image of sunset and they will be reading a poem by Harold Monro. We will also be revising some of the trickier words from the Y3 and Y4 spelling lists in the Learning Journal.

In maths the children will be continuing with naming, estimating, measuring and drawing angles. They will also be calculating missing angles on a straight line, in triangles and quadrilaterals and at a point.

Coming up soon in speedy maths:

<b>w.b. 27.2.17</b>	Add and subtract pairs of 2-digit numbers at speed. Add and subtract 2-digit and 3-digit numbers at speed. Add p to £&p. Convert m to km and vice versa Convert L to ml and vice versa
<b>w.b. 6.6.17</b>	Know pairs of numbers to 180. Use tables to work out related x and ÷ at speed. Add and subtract 2-digit and 3-digit numbers at speed. Add p to £&p. Subtract p from £ Add three tens at speed.

This week we will be linking our work in maths and computing by programming 'Scratch' to generate shapes and repeating patterns. Children will need to use their knowledge of angles to produce code to create their chosen designs.

Best wishes,

Mr Vidal, Mrs Peters and Mrs Jayasuriya



### Year 6 Weekly Information w/b 27.2.17

On Monday-Wednesday this week the children will be undertaking their practice SATs tests. By doing this, they will know more about what to expect in May and we will have a clear understanding of the children's needs in terms of revision.

In English later this week, we will be looking at story writing, building on the Chinese stories the children acted out last week. We will continue developing our reading skills by using different activities to help our ability to 'skim and scan' a text for specific words and information.

In speedy maths this week, we will be covering:

<b>w.b: 27.2.17</b>	Know pairs of numbers to 90 Know common equivalent fractions, decimals and percentages. Convert cm to mm and vice versa Know number bonds to 1000 (tens) Add and subtract 2-digit and 3-digit numbers at speed. Add and subtract p from £&p
<b>w.b: 6.3.17</b>	Add and subtract pairs of 2-digit numbers at speed. Use tables to work out related $\times$ and $\div$ at speed. Give change from £1 at speed Convert l to ml and vice versa

In our themed learning, we will be building on last week's science investigation concerning light and shadows and applying this, together with our DT skills, to developing our own shadow puppet theatre.

Have a lovely week.

Miss Bidwell and Mrs Beunderman