

Newsletter: Wk. beginning:  
21st September 2015



Whole School Attendance: 95.16%  
Winning Class: Fir with 100%.

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## Stourport Primary School - Aspiring to Excellence

### Attendance

Whole school attendance was down last week to 95.16% for a variety of reasons.

However we did have an excellent performance from Fir, who achieved first place in the attendance stakes with 100% attendance. Brilliant!

Not far behind in second place came Rainbow (Miss Ward and Mrs Collins) with 99% and in third place Rainbow (Miss Wilkins) with 98.10%, so well done to those in Reception, an excellent performance.

**Mr Williams**

**Attendance Officer**

### Ribbesford Trip

There will be a meeting for all parents whose children are going on the Ribbesford Residential trip on Wednesday, 30th September at 2:30pm in Pine class.

### Attendance Oscars Criteria

The criteria for taking part in the Attendance Oscars is that children need to have attended the full academic year running from Monday, 18 May 2015 to Friday, 13 May 2016.

Good Luck and we hope to take more children this year.

### School Photographs

School individual and sibling photographs will now take place on the 8th March 2016 and not this term as we would normally. More details to follow nearer the time.

### Data Collection Forms

If you have not already done so, please can you return the data collection forms by the end of this week. This will ensure that we have up to date contact information if we need to get in touch with you.

Many Thanks

### Anti-Bullying Day

We are having our anti-bullying day on Monday, 28<sup>th</sup> September.

The theme this year is 'Friendship'.

Your children will be signing our new Anti-Bullying Charter and will be bringing home a post-it for you and your family to sign which we can add to our charter.

### Tuck Prices

To encourage healthy tuck we offer the following to all children at break time:

1/2 bagel 40p

1/2 slice of toast 10p

1/2 savoury muffin 20p

Fruit drink 30p

### Christmas Cards

If you wish to order Christmas cards that your child has designed, please can you ensure that the orders and money are returned asap.

### KS1 Numeracy and Phonics workshops

Sorry for any confusion regarding workshop times last week.

Maths and Phonic workshops will continue this Thursday for KS1 parents; Numeracy for Year 2 is 9-9:45am and Phonics for year 1 is 10-10:45am. Refreshments are available.

### **MacMillan Coffee Morning**

We are holding a Macmillan Coffee morning on Friday, 25th September at 8:40-11am. All are welcome to attend.

Children will be able to buy cakes on this day and there will be NO hot tuck. There will be a variety of cakes with different ingredients, if your child has an allergy please could you advise the office. We would welcome cake donations which can be bought into the office on Thursday after school or first thing on Friday morning.

We would also welcome help from parents on the day. If you are able to help, please could you let the office know.

### **Admin**

If you have any paperwork, trip money, dinner envelopes etc. to try and ease congestion at the office they can be put in your child's book bag or posted into the letter box which is located on the pink wall inside the main entrance. Please can you ensure that any money is placed in an envelope, clearly named and what it is for. This is secure and emptied daily.

### **Useful numbers**

For your information:

Class Catering number is 07595 652 368

SOS mobile: 07855 892 608

School text service: 07937986213

### **Dates for the Diary**

#### **Reading Afternoons to take place at 2:50pm**

12<sup>th</sup> Oct  
16<sup>th</sup> November  
14<sup>th</sup> December  
18<sup>th</sup> Jan  
22<sup>nd</sup> Feb  
21<sup>st</sup> March  
18<sup>th</sup> April  
16<sup>th</sup> May  
20<sup>th</sup> June

#### **Other key dates:**

22<sup>nd</sup> /24<sup>th</sup> Sept - Parents Evening  
23rd Sept Years 3 & 4 Trip to Warwick Castle  
29th Sept Year 1 & 2 trip to Safari park  
2<sup>nd</sup> - Oct - Harvest Festival  
14th Oct - Ribbesford Residential  
13<sup>th</sup> Nov - Children in Need  
1st Dec Proposed Church Service  
3rd Dec Rainbow Nativity  
5<sup>th</sup> Dec - Christmas Market  
8th/9<sup>th</sup> Dec- KS1 Production  
10th Dec - Pantomime  
15th/16<sup>th</sup> Dec KS2 Productions  
17<sup>th</sup> December - Christmas at Stourport lunch  
18<sup>th</sup> December Christmas Party

#### **Stay and Play - Early Years to Reception**

6<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> October  
3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> November

