



Stonehouse Park
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Weekly Newsletter
Monday 15th - Friday 19th October 2018



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Nursery News

Conkers

The children have enjoyed Time to Shine with their parents/carers this week, looking at their Learning journeys and playing.

The shop role play was successful encouraging children to share resources, play in a group, extending and elaborating on their play ideas.

Children enjoyed mixing paints together to see what colours they made. Outside play with the hoops, bog and small balls supported physical skills and development.

We will be celebrating Halloween after the holidays, if your child would like to dress up they are more than welcome.

Acorns

We have had a lovely week in Acorns. Thank you to all parents who joined us for Time to Shine this week.

We hope you enjoyed looking at your child's learning journey and having a little play.

We have been reading 'Brown Bear' this week, the children have enjoyed listening and joining in with the story. We have had animals in the sand, and explored the playdough.

Outside we have done some painting, splashed in the water tray and zoomed around on the bikes and scooters.

Reception

This week in Cherry and Apple class, we have been talking about/ labelling our body parts. Thank you to those parents and carers that brought in a baby photograph.

We really enjoyed looking at these and listening to the children talk about how they have changed and what they can do now.

We have continued to focus on the importance of being healthy this week. Please read the letter in your child's book bag. This will provide you with more information about what we will be doing next term. Thank you.

Date for your diary: **Phonic and Reading parent workshop Thursday 1st November 4.30-5 p.m.** Please try and attend if you can, as this will support your child's learning at home. This is strictly for parents and carers only.

Year 1

What we have been learning about this week in school:

This week we have been looking at the story Funny Bones. In Art we have been making our own funny bones characters out of art straws, making funny bones stick puppets and using oil pastels to draw the characters. In Maths we have been focusing on subtraction.

What we will be doing next term in school:

Next term we will be starting with the story Room on the Broom and then we will be having some exciting creative days based on Bonfire Night, Diwali and Remembrance Day.

We look forward to seeing you next term for Parents' Evening.

Please make sure you sign up if you haven't already done so.

Please remember to keep reading over the holidays. It is really important the children continue to develop their reading and comprehension skills.

We hope you all have a lovely half term. The Year 1 team

Year 2

What we have been learning about this week in school:

This week we have been learning to add two numbers together using practical equipment. We have been writing about our hopes and dreams and learning about the importance of a balanced diet in Science.

What we will be doing next week in school:

When we return from half term, we will be having a Halloween themed week. We will be doing lots of exciting experiments and writing spells. In Maths we will be learning our number bonds to 10 and 20.

Please ensure your child has the appropriate PE kit in school for the first day back, as PE will be taught on Monday, Maple class will begin swimming.



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Open Days

We are hosting Open Days
on the following days:

Monday 12th November
10.00 - 11.00 a.m.

Tuesday 13th November
4.00 p.m. - 6.00 p.m.

Thursday 15th November
1.30-2.30 p.m.

Friday 16th November
10.00 - 11.00 a.m.

Parents of school age
children are welcome to
come and see the children
working indoors and outdoors
in our inspirational learning
environment.

This is an exciting opportunity
for all parents to bring their
pre-school children to
capture education from birth
to seven years old.

Please feel free to visit any
aspect of the School.

Cake Sale

Thank you to everyone who sent in and baked cakes for our Cake Sale.
We raised a fantastic £206.45.

'Guess the weight of the Pumpkin' raised £25.10

Thank you for your continued support. Please remember to collect your tins
from outside the school office.

Non-Uniform day

On Friday 23rd November 2018 we invite all children to come to school in
non-uniform and ask that they bring in a chocolate donation that the PTA
can use for their Chocolate Tombola Stall at the Stonehouse
Goodwill Event.

Individual Photographs

The School Photographer is coming in to school on
Thursday 1st November 2018
to take individual photographs of children.

If parents wish school age brothers/sisters
(this includes Park Junior School & Pre-school siblings)
to be photographed together before school please contact the
school office to book an appointment.

Please be aware that if you do not have an appointment you will
not be able to have your children photographed together.

Thank You

'Our Stonehouse Park Superstars '

