



Notice Board

6th February 2020



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The **weeks** ahead.

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Wednesday 12th	Parent's Evening
Friday 14th	End of term 3. 3pm
Tuesday 25th	Children return to school Term 4

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Healthy Me Week—update

Earlier this term the Whole School embarked on a week of exploring what Healthy Me was. During this week we had many visitors who came to work with our children in school. On behalf of SSQ I would like to

say a **huge Thank You** to...

- * **Jackie Williams**, our school nurse, for leading class workshops on keeping hydrated and a really interesting assembly about hidden sugars in cereals.
- * **Mrs Knight** for running HIIT Circuit sessions—lots of huffing, puffing and Plank Off Challenges.
- * **Mrs Pierce and the Sports Ambassadors** from Abbeyfields School for running a Fundamentals Sports Session with Darling Class
- * **Mrs Morley** for teaching our weekly Yoga sessions. Throughout the year all classes will take part in a term of weekly yoga.
- * **Mr and Mrs Hawker** for the use of Stanton Woods. The whole school took part in Woods Learning—a great treat!
- * **Gretchen and Josie from The Farm Cookery School**—for helping us to make healthy snacks, explore lunchbox ideas and think about portion size and control.
- * Our **children in Rhine Class**—a number of which ran the Lacrosse sessions during the afternoon in Mr Roberts' absence.
- * The **children of Stanton St Quintin Primary School**. During the week the children also completed Pupil Voice Questionnaires and shared some very thoughtful and reflective views. (please read overleaf for some of the children's thoughts about their school)

ADVANCE NOTICE
Pantha club will not run on
Tuesday 11th February

Reminder

Please be aware that Craft and Opportunities clubs are not available to book on Wednesday 26th February due to statutory staff training.



Whole School Home Learning
Three stars and a wish.

Congratulations to all those children who have brought in their Home Learning Challenge:

Tyler, Lola, Bonnie, Niah, Partick, Willoughby, Imogen, Ethan, Joseph, Jessica, Freya, May and Daisy—Star Credits awarded for some fabulous contributions to our learning environment that is 'over and above'.

I have really enjoyed talking to the children about their interests and wishes for the future.

I have heard that some children have lost their key rings. Please don't let this be a barrier to taking part and completing the challenge. Finding something different at home to link the cards is a great solution.

Parents Evenings

Tuesday 11th and Wednesday 12th February 2020

Next week we will be holding Parents Evenings. The focus of this mid term meeting is sharing progress and attainment and attendance information. Appointment times have now been sent home. Should this have not reached you please contact your child's class teacher.

Thank you

Pupil Voice Questionnaire January 2020

The children were asked questions such as ‘how they felt at different times of the days and in different places within the school grounds and questions associated to ‘lessons and learning’ On the whole, the children at Stanton enjoy coming to school. They enjoy the lessons especially special events and trips. Children not only enjoy the practical lessons and sports, but also Maths and phonics and feel they are able to join in with school activities.

Recent changes to lunchtime routine was an interesting talking point, especially within Key Stage 2 and a response to this has been working with the children’s ideas to explore a workable solution for everyone. We will revisit this area of the questionnaire in Term 4.

The children were then asked to tell us what they most liked about the school; what they would change about the school if they had special powers to do so; and any other comments they would like to share. These are the thought and comments from your children and really did make me feel very proud.

	Darling Class	Amazon Class	Rhine Class
What I like about our school?	Friends, Tuff Tray activities, being with my teachers, I love them, meeting new friends, reading, showing things and talking to the class, Golden Box, role play, woods, topic board, reading books from the boxes, art, everything, topics	My friends, get to do lots of fun activities, everyone is there for me, learn to get ready for big school, teachers are nice, lunch, Lacrosse, Maths,	Science, athletics, English, Maths No Problem, Residential, Fun activities, breaktimes, Lacrosse, environment, opportunities, end of Y6 treat, everyone is friendly, burgers on menu, school dog, children and teachers
What I would change if I had special powers	Bigger classrooms, more Biff and Chip on brown books, more Y2 girls, turn school into a house, shorter day—too tiring.	Nothing, more children, stay just the way it is, early lunch like Darling, rollercoaster for moving to classes, nothing—it’s amazing, more ELSA	Automatic pump—footballs, more HIIT, Astroturf in winter, change ball under head height rule at break-time, contact sports, more pupils in my year and in my school, lunch arrangements.
Anything else to say?	I like it—my friends are nice to me, I like school and phonics, I like science, the lessons are great and the teachers are amazing at teaching, I like going home too, homework is lovely.	Happy people here	I really like how teachers help you when you are stuck and explain it really well, Topics are good I really enjoy being at Stanton.

Vacancy School Cook

Our catering company are looking to recruit a Catering manager for our school.

They have said that no formal experience is necessary, just a love of cooking and a mind for paperwork. Full training will be given.

The job fits perfectly within the school day.

If you would be interested to know more please pop in and see Mrs Druce in the office or our temporary catering manager on site, who will give you all the information you need to know.

Community News

Chippenham's Bath Road car park to close for one day for essential maintenance

Bath Road car park in Chippenham will be closed on Sunday 9 February for essential tree maintenance.

The work will only take place on this day; the car park will reopen as usual on Monday 10 February.

Alternative parking is available at Borough Parade; Brakemead; Emery Gate; Gladstone Road; Monkton Park; Spanbourn Avenue or Wood Lane. Sadlers Mead car park is currently closed for improvement works.

Cllr Bridget Wayman, Cabinet Member for Highways, said: "We apologise to residents for any inconvenience caused by these essential work tree works at Bath Road car park, and would ask that they use alternative car parks on Sunday 9 February.

"All of our car parks are free to use on Sunday."

Chippenham Our Community Matters

Our Community Matters is an interactive notice board for news, events and volunteering opportunities for communities across Wiltshire.



Providing people with local interactive notice boards which everyone can use to highlight and discuss local news events and ideas.

[Sign up](#) to our weekly newsletter and keep up to date with everything going on in your local community.

Jumble sale in the SSQ Parish Hall on 22nd February 1-3pm



Wiltshire Short Breaks Bulletin—February 2020

The paper copy has just arrived in school. This is a guide to activities, leisure and social opportunities for children and young adults aged 0-25yrs who have special educational needs and/or disabilities (SEND)

[Please click here to the electronic version.](#)

New fitness class now in Corston Reading Rooms Every Friday 9.30-10.30



Fitness for all abilities and ages

A combination of body toning, postural work and aerobic exercises using body resistance only.

No gadgets no gimmicks just pure general all over body fitness.

Join Fayme your local personal trainer, fitness instructor and sports massage therapist.

Every Friday morning at the Corston Reading Rooms. £6 per session.

First session free.

If you have your own mat bring it along.

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