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# Newsletter

14<sup>th</sup> June 2024

**Sandfield Primary School, Stoke Road, Guildford, GU1 4DT, 01483 566586**

## MESSAGE FROM MRS COLLINS

### Thank You PTA

It is a week to Sandfest and the PTA have been working very hard to make sure that everything is ready to go for the big day next Saturday. There are so many exciting things planned to ensure a fun afternoon is had by all.

We will be entertained by different bands, as well as our very own Sandfield choir and the children from Boogie Pumps!



### Running Order

- 2:00 - Welcome playlist on arrival
- 2:20 - Boogie Pumps performance
- 2:30 – 3:30 Music set
- 3:30 – 3:45 Choir performance
- 3:45 – 4:30 Music set
- 4:30- 4:45 Raffle draw
- 4:45 – 5:00 Tidy up playlist

The PTA are currently raising money for our new playground. This will be spent on new playground seating, line markings and play equipment. Please can you support our PTA by signing up on the volunteer list, bringing in a “Jolly Jammie,” or a bottle for the raffle, or something for the International food stall. Children can wear their own clothes on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June – as a reminder to bring something in for the fair.

There is still plenty of time to order your tickets – so don’t delay and book advanced tickets via SCOPAY.

Thank you in advance for your support 😊

### Upcoming Important Dates:

- Tuesday 18/06/2024 1:30pm – 4:00pm – KS2 District Sports, all families are welcome to come and support
- Friday 21/06/2024 – Mufti Day for donations for SANDfest
- Saturday 22/06/2024 2:00pm – 5:00pm – SANDfest! Everyone is very welcome 😊
- Thursday 11/07/2024 2:00pm - Rock Steady Concert for parents of participating pupils
- Tuesday 16/07 & Wednesday 17/07/2024 6:30pm-7:30pm – Year 5 & 6 Production, and all families are very welcome
- Friday 19/07/2024 1:30pm – End of term

**Have a lovely weekend!**

**Mrs Collins and the Sandfield staff**

## CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY

Children in Celebration Assembly today were:

Reception: Elias and Zach

Year 1: Ella, Arthur and Tom

Year 2: Mine and Emmanuel

Year 3: Hanna, Ty and Winter

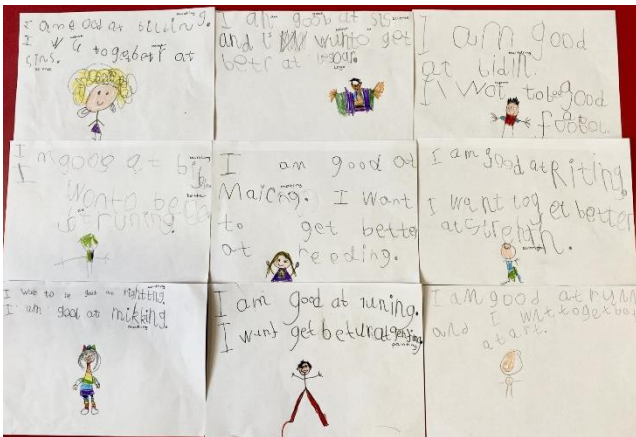
Year 4: Harry and Krieya

Year 5: Suzanna and Jasper

Year 6: John and Olivia D



## NEWS FROM THE CLASSROOMS



### Reception Class

This week, we reflected on our journey in Reception so far. The children had time to reminisce about their favourite memories. This gave them an opportunity to appreciate their achievements and challenges they've overcome since September. Each child independently wrote about what they're good at now and what they'd like to improve on in the future; complete with capital letters, finger spaces and full stops!

### Year 1 and Year 2

Year 1 and 2 have been very busy this week using their maths skills. In Year 1, the children have been learning how to give directions using directional language. The children took turns to give instructions to each other and move our adopted animal Shelly forwards, backwards, left and right. In Year 2 we have been learning more about statistics and how to analyse data and present it in pictograms and tally charts.



### Year 3 and Year 4

Year 3 and 4 have been reflecting on their trips last week and for Year 4, their first residential! The children have been busy creating a 'capture the moment' poster with all their memories on and are writing a recount about what they did during the two fun-packed activity days! Year 4 have also been drafting a thank you letter to the Countryside Learning team and remembering all the features of letter writing. Another action filled week!

## Year 5 and Year 6

We have had a busy couple of weeks of sporting activities. There was a real sense of sportsmanship On Sports Day and we were very proud of all the children who put 100% effort into their races and field events. We have had extra PE lessons to practise track and field ahead of District Sports next week and the team has been selected. This half term we are swimming every Thursday at the Spectrum so we are most definitely going to be fit and healthy by the end of term!



## TRIPS & EVENTS

Please note that school trips are only possible if we receive parental contributions. Late contributions or missing contributions mean that we may not be able to run trips in the future and we would like to remind you to please always try and make contributions on time. If you have any questions about contributions, please contact Lucy Lidstrom, HSLW via Studybugs before any deadlines are due.

Year 6 Junior Citizenship: (12th June) – contributions to be paid or before **03/06/2024**

Years 5 & 6 Swimming: contributions to be paid on or before **04/06/2024**

Year 4 String Scheme: summer term contributions of £20 to be paid on or before **05/07/2024**

Year 5(6) Residential 2025: (19th-21st May 2025) – 4<sup>th</sup> instalment due on or before **30/06/2024**

Year 4 (6) Residential Autumn 2025 – deposit due on or before **01/07/2024**

## NEWS FROM THE PTA

**'SANDfest 2024' - 22<sup>nd</sup> June from 2 – 5pm.** Only one week to go!!

**TICKETS ARE AVAILABLE IN ADVANCE VIA SCOPAY – £5 PER ADULT – CHILDREN GO FREE!!** Don't forget to get your tickets in advance. This will close at 12noon on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June and tickets can thereafter be purchased on the gate.

**Volunteers** – Your help is needed!!

With only 7 days to go we still have 1 hour slots to fill to make Sandfest a success! Why not ask a fellow parent / family member to join you on a stall. Please sign up if you can help either before, during or at the end of the event - <https://volunteersignup.org/MCF4F>



**'Jolly Jammies' Stall** - 'Jolly Jammies' can be brought into school from Wednesday 19/06/2024.

**International Food & Bake Stall** – we are inviting you to donate your favourite international dish. Imagine food you would enjoy at a summer music festival, picnic or BBQ, so grab and go type food that is easy to serve and eat. We already have donations of chicken curry, chicken kebabs, vegetable curry, aubergine musqaa and rice. With such a varied mix of cultures at Sandfield we look forward to being able to sample a dish / bake from your country. Contributions by 1.30pm at the latest on the day. If you would like to contribute, please complete the online form: <https://forms.gle/LVCrYXnx56zjbqQB9> (NO NUTS OR SESAME PLEASE).



Or if you are not an avid cook / baker you can make a monetary contribution, towards bringing back some of our most popular dishes, via the PayPal account: <https://www.paypal.com/paypalme/sandfieldpta> - please make sure to tick the friends and family option.

**Raffle Tickets** – are now available! Beat the queue and get tickets ahead of the fair. £1 per ticket or £5 for a book of 5. Please contact your class rep directly with how many you would like, child's name and year group and mobile number of parent / carer. Payment either cash or Paypal:

<https://www.paypal.com/paypalme/sandfieldpta> (send through a screenshot of the completed transaction). Collect your tickets / pay in person, in the playground at drop off or pick up. Alternatively grab Mel (Yr 5 & 2), Charlotte (Yr 2), Fran (Yr 5 & 3) or Feola (Yr 1 & 3) at school to buy tickets.



We have some amazing prizes including: Horrible Histories at G-Live, Airhop Tickets, Vineyard Tour and Tasting, Massage.

## MESSAGES & REMINDERS

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#### Summer Holiday Camps at Sandfield

Below is a timetable of the summer holiday camps being held at Sandfield and both providers will be able to take children in Reception class on this occasion.

w/c 22.07.2024 – Sport4Kids from Wednesday to Friday

w/c 29.07.2024 – Sport4Kids from Monday to Friday

w/c 05.08.2024 – Planet Soccer from Monday to Friday including HAF clubs

w/c 12.08.2024 – Sport4Kids from Monday to Friday

w/c 19.08.2024 – Planet Soccer from Monday to Friday including HAF clubs

w/c 26.08.2024 – Sport4Kids from Tuesday to Friday

To book Planet Soccer: <http://planet-soccer.info/book-a-holiday-course/>

To book Sport4Kids: <https://sport4kids.biz/camps>

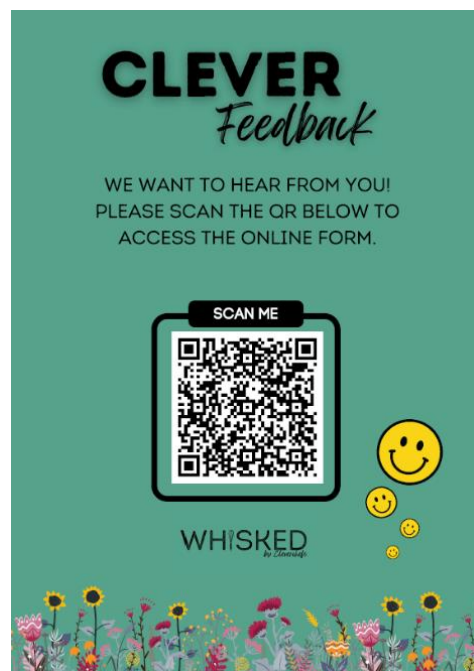
#### Cleverchefs School Meal Survey

We have been asked by Cleverchefs to share a survey with parents as they would like your feedback, whether positive or negative. Please see the flyer to the right to access the survey.

### REMINDERS

#### Morning Club

Please could we let you know that with effect from September 2024 the cost of the morning club will increase to £5.00 per session.



## COMMUNITY NEWS

18-21/06/2024 - Stoke Road will be closed due to the railway bridge repairs.