



Newsletter

Value of the Month: Forgiveness

Stanford in the Vale
C of E Primary School

Year 17/18 Issue 4

Friday 20th October

Sporting Achievements

Vale Cross Country

On Tuesday 10th October the Year 3/4 boys cross country team, Ryan, Charnz, Rhook and Arthur were taken by Mrs Peel to Buscot Park to take part in the Vale Cross Country Competition.

The 1.8km route, which was set in the beautiful grounds of Buscot Park, was challenging, but all four boys ran with enthusiasm and great determination.

Even though they did not manage to secure a place in the finals the boys all agreed that they had thoroughly enjoyed taking part in the event.



Tag Rugby

On Monday 9th October, Year 6 entered 3 teams into the Wantage Tag Rugby competition, held at KA's. Charlton, Wantage, Ridgeway, St James, St Nics and Milbrook also entered teams.

All our teams got off to a bit of a rocky start as it was the first time we had played tag rugby competitively. However, as the afternoon and competition progressed, we found that we were playing better as teams and scoring tries!

By the end of the competition our yellow team came 3rd in their group overall. The green team finished 4th and red team 6th in their group.

Football

On Wednesday 11th October the Year 5/6 football team played Hagbourne School in a schools league and drew 2-2. The boys put in their best efforts and represented the school well.

World of Work

Assemblies

I would like to continue to invite parents in to talk about their jobs. These collective worships have been inspirational for the children, who now want to be doctors, travel abroad, be vets and calculate tax! If you can spare 15 minutes to talk about your job on a Monday afternoon at 2.45pm please let me know. Thank you

Parents Evening

Thank you to everyone who attended the parents evenings. Many thanks to all the staff who gave up their evenings.

Bags to School

Thank you to everyone who brought in bags of clothing to help raise funds for the school.

Reading, Maths and Spelling

Please support us at home with your child's reading, maths and spelling. We do give out certificates to children who get their spellings correct for three weeks in a row, who are the top three in their class for MathsWhizz usage and progress and for children who complete a double page spread in their reading diary. Thank you for working with us.

Diary Dates:

Week Beg. 23rd October—
Half Term

Monday 30th October—INSET
DAY—Staff only

Tuesday 31st October—
Children Back to School

Week beg. 6th November—
Prayer and Friendship Week

Wednesday 8th November—
FOSS AGM @ 7.30pm Please
support the committee.

Friday 10th November—
Remembrance Service at the
memorial @ 10.45am

Friday 10th November—FOSS
Children's Disco (info. sent)

Friday 17th November—
Children in Need (info.
included)

Friday 17th November—
Sharing Assembly in the
school hall at 2.15pm (come
and see what the children have
been learning about)

Week beg. 20th November—
Road Safety Week

Tuesday 28th November—
Christmas Art Day

Friday 1st December—Non-
Uniform Day for hamper
donations (more info. to follow)

Monday 11th December at
2.00pm and 6.00pm in
St.Denys' - Year 3, 4 & 5
Christmas Performance

Tuesday 12th December at
6.00pm in St Denys' - Year 3, 4
& 5 Christmas Performance

Thursday 14th December at
2.00pm and 5.30pm in St
Denys' - Foundation, Year 1
and 2 Christmas Performance

Welcome

We are welcoming Mrs Wendy Edwards into our team. She will be the Year 3 teaching assistant from after half term, alongside Mrs Jacqui Buckland.

Mrs Emma Dickinson has been appointed to cover Mrs Webb's maternity leave.

We hope they both enjoy working with us and look forward to the enthusiasm and new skills they will bring to our team.

Working Together,



Achieving Together