Stocksbridge Junior School’s Golden Jubilee Fun Day is on Saturday 13th July 2013.

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SJS STARS OF THE WEEK

- Y3JC – Jacob Burton
- Y3CB – Harvey Wright
- Y3NM – Carla Cherry
- Y4KO – Alfie Atkinson
- Y4AC – Finley Grange
- Y4AL – Archie Price
- Y5EK – Rhys Caswell
- Y5CS – Tabitha Gray
- Y5SM – Beth Proost
- Y6LR – Robert Henson
- Y6ER – Jack Martin
- Y6RD – Elli-Mae Gordon

SATs Week

Today, Year 6 children will be sitting the first of their KS2 SATs tests. This year’s test timetable is a little different from last year as children will be taking a Spelling, Punctuation & Grammar test in addition to the Reading and Maths tests. A small group of children will also be taking Level 6 papers in the afternoons.

We would like to wish all children the very best of luck!

Year 4 Trip to Weston Park Museum

On Monday 20th May, Year 4 will be visiting Weston Park Museum. This is as part of their ‘Ancient Egypt’ theme this half term and also links with their work next half term about habitats.

The trip will take place within usual school hours and children will require a packed lunch. Please ensure that your child has returned their permission slip along with a £4 voluntary contribution towards the coach cost.

50 Years of Memories

This year Stocksbridge Junior School is celebrating its Golden Jubilee. As part of our celebration, we would like to create an exciting exhibition of photographs and memories from the last fifty years.

We welcome you to be part of our celebration by providing any old photographs, reports, books or school memorabilia. These will be displayed in our exhibition during the summer term.

In order for us to safely return these items, it is essential that you put them in an envelope, which includes your child’s name and class.

Alternatively, photographs etc. can be scanned and emailed to s.meaburn@stocksbridge-jun.sheffield.sch.uk.

Any donations will be gratefully appreciated by Friday 24th May 2013. These can be dropped off in the school hall during breakfast club.

Stocksbridge Leisure Centre

There is a 4SLC Public Meeting to discuss the way forward with the aim of re-opening Stocksbridge Leisure Centre.

Wednesday 15th May, 7:30pm – 9:00pm
The Venue, 650 Manchester Road, Stocksbridge.

Pupil Addresses

We would like to remind parents of the importance of informing us any change of contact details. Please inform the school office of your child’s new address, whether the move is temporary or permanent.

Mouth Watering Biscuit Sale!

The Y5s are having an amazing biscuit sale on the 21st, 22nd and 23rd May. The biscuits will be sold at break time in the hall. The divine selection of biscuits will cost between 20p and 40p.

The posters that are advertising the biscuits will be put up next week in places such as corridors and classroom doors. So go and check out the posters and find your favourite!

We have spent three weeks designing and creating our new brands and look forward seeing you there!

What are you waiting for?
From Jasmine, Harriet, Katie and Kieran
**Y6 LIGHTWATER VALLEY TRIP - WEDNESDAY 12TH JUNE**

We would like to remind parents that payment for the above visit (£21.00) should be received by Friday 24th May in order to secure your child’s place.

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**SJS SPORTS WEEK**

This year, we are very excited to announce that Year 3 and Year 4 have been invited to the English Institute of Sport in Sheffield for their Sports Day event alongside other schools from around Sheffield.

The Year 3 children’s sports day will take place on Wednesday 26th June 2013 and the Year 4 children’s sports day event will take place on Thursday 27th June 2013.

Children will be leaving school at 9am in order to be at the EIS and ready to start by 9:45am. The sporting events will run for most of the day and children are expected to set off back to school by 2pm. Parents are invited to come along to the EIS to support the children, whether it be for the whole day or just for part of it. A permission letter with further information will be sent out to parents after half term.

The Year 5/6 Sports Day will be taking place at Stocksbridge Junior School on Thursday 27th June 2013. It will be a morning event, starting at 9.30am and will be finish by lunchtime. Please come along to cheer on the children and show your support.

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**FAO SHEFFIELD CREDIT UNION COLLECTORS**

The Sheffield Credit Union collection point at Stocksbridge Junior School must close as of the 24th May 2013.

Savers are requested to visit the hall on a Friday morning or to contact us on 0114 276 0787 before the Friday 24th May so that we can inform Sheffield Credit Union about how savers wish to proceed with their accounts.

Yours sincerely, Helen & Rick Eagle

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**YEAR 3 TORTOISE PROJECT**

We would like to say thank you to all the children and parents who have supported us in raising money for a pet tortoise. In particular, we would like to thank Evie Swann and Miss Harrison for donating our new friend, ‘Spikey’. The children have raised over £190 and have decided to put this money aside to cover his food, any additional equipment that he may need and cost of any routine check ups at the vets. Spikey is settling in well and the children have all had the chance to give him a warm welcome!