SJS Stars of the Week

- Y3RD – Archie Reid
- Y3KO – Sadie Richardson
- Y3NM – Ashton Taylor
- Y4AL – Karla Cherry
- Y4JM – Harvey Wright
- Y4HH – Rebecca Tumelty
- Y5AC – Christopher Johnson
- Y5JC – Frances Holmes
- Y5EO – Tyler Platts
- Y6CS – Nicole Betts
- Y6EK – Emily Bodell
- Y6SM – Olivia Knight

Strike Action

As you will be aware from our recent letter, newsletter and from the media, the NUT (National Union of Teachers) and NASUWT (National Union of Schoolmasters/Union for Women Teachers) have balloted their members concerning the proposed changes to their pay. In light of this, the vast majority of our teachers will be taking industrial action. The school will, therefore, be closed to all children on Tuesday 1st October but will re-open as normal on Wednesday 2nd October.

Book Fair

The Scholastic Book Fair will be in school soon. Parents are invited to join their child at the book fair during their child’s class’ session.

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Robinwood 2014

Letters will be sent home this week inviting parents of Year 6 pupils to reserve a place on the Y6 residential to Robinwood. If you would like your child to attend, a non-refundable deposit of £50 is required by Friday 18th October. Full payment will be required by Friday 21st March 2014.

Parents’ Evening and SEN Reviews

Parents’ Evening will take place on Monday 14th and Tuesday 15th October. Letters inviting parents to request an appointment will be sent home soon.

Reviews for children with Special Educational Needs will be taking place on Wednesday 16th October for pupils in Y3 & Y4 and on Wednesday 23rd October for pupils in Y5 & Y6.

Bring Your Parent/Guardian to School...

Following the success of last year’s ‘Bring your parent to school’ sessions, parents/guardians are warmly invited to a work sharing session this half term.

Teachers would like you to pop into class with your child at the beginning of the school day. This is an opportunity for parents to take part in a lesson with their child and for children to show their books and work. You will be able to see the progress made so far this year and the children will really enjoy talking to you about their learning and achievements.

The allocated dates and time slots are as follows:

- Year 6 – Monday 7th Oct, 9:15am – 9:45am (Miss Sheehan, Miss Keating & Miss Meaburn’s Numeracy Sets)
- Year 4 – Tuesday 8th Oct, 9:15am – 9:45am
- Year 5 – Wednesday 9th Oct, 9:15am – 9:45am (plus Mrs Ross’ Y6 Numeracy Set)
- Year 3 – Friday 11th Oct, 9:15am – 9:45am

Peripatetic Music Lessons

Our peripatetic keyboard teacher has some places available. If your child is interested in learning to play the keyboard, please contact Sheffield Music Services on 0114 2506860.
MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING
Last week’s coffee morning raised a wonderful £87.91 for Macmillan Cancer Support, which has since been generously increased to £110! Thank you to those that were able to show their support and especially to Mrs Lakin for organising the event and baking so many delicious buns!

PARENTMAIL CONTACT DETAILS
We would like to thank parents for their patience whilst we rectified the problems within our ParentMail system. The forms have now been processed accurately and parents that have supplied their email addresses should be receiving the weekly newsletter electronically.
If you have been sent a blue paper copy or have had to download from our website but you were expecting to receive the newsletter electronically, please contact the office so we can check again that your email address has been entered accurately. If you have not supplied your email address but wish to receive the newsletter by email, please contact the school office as soon as possible.

MORRISONS’ VOUCHERS FOR SCHOOLS
Please continue to send any Morrisons’ ‘Let’s Grow’ vouchers into school before the end of October. We hope to use the vouchers to get new gardening equipment. Thank you for all the vouchers sent in so far.

JUNIOR RUGBY TRAINING SESSIONS
Bev Birch, the junior coach at Stocksbridge Rugby Club, would like to invite all boys and girls from Y3 to Y6 to try out one of their free training sessions! These take place on Fridays from 4:30pm until 5:30pm every week at the rugby fields on Stonemoor Road. If you would like any more information then please contact Bev on 07793596738.