SJS Stars Of The Week

- Y3RD – Cienna Witton
- Y3KO – Lincoln Grange
- Y4CH – Lewis Palmer
- Y4HH – Mason Peacock
- Y4SS – Olivia Canetti-Beresford
- Y5CS – Oliver O’Brien
- Y5KH – Charlie Sunter
- Y5HK – Molly Walton
- Y6DW – Jeorja Ashton
- Y6ER/EK – Isobelle Charlesworth
- Y6JJ – Casey-Louise Kimpton
- Mr Tee – Lewis Towers (Y4)
- Miss Madeley – Ash Reid (Y3)
- Madame Griggs – Ryan Frost (Y6)
- Y3/4 Yard – Jessica Green (Y3)
- Y5/6 Yard – Jessica Lange (Y5)

This Week’s Class Attendance

- Y3RD – 93.1%
- Y3KO – 94.5%
- Y3AW – 94.1%
- Y4CH – 100%
- Y4HH – 97.1%
- Y4SS – 97.4%
- Y5CS – 99.4%
- Y5KH – 100%
- Y5HK – 96.1%
- Y6DW – 91.7%
- Y6ER/EK – 95.7%
- Y6JJ – 96.4%

This week’s whole school attendance = 96.3%

Wake and Shake

Children, teachers and parents at Stocksbridge Junior School are invited to join in our Wake & Shake every morning from 8:45am on the Y5/6 yard.

Our dance and aerobic moves to music are designed around core movement skills to encourage good physical development. The routines are easy to learn and help to kick start our young people’s mental awareness, preparing them for learning during the school day. This burst of 10-minute activity even counts towards the hour of physical activity children need every day!

Y6 SATs Breakfast

Our Year 6 children will be sitting their end of Key Stage 2 tests during the week beginning Monday 9th May. As this is a very important week for these children, we would like to ensure that every child has the best start to their day. Therefore, we will be offering a free, healthy breakfast to all Year 6 children the week before SATs and during SATs week. From Tuesday 3rd May, the Y6 breakfast will begin at 8:00am in the dining room and will be served until 8:30am. If your child would like the free breakfast, please complete and return their letter to school by Friday 29th April.

Y6 Robinwood

Our Year 6 pupils who will be attending Robinwood, have been issued with a personal information form. Please ensure these are returned to Miss Robinson as soon as possible so that we can pass this information on.
**School Sports Partnership Sports Days**

This week, our Y3 and Y4 children participated in an exciting multi-skills sports festival alongside 5 other schools at the EIS. The EIS is a world class indoor facility that provides an enjoyable and inspirational atmosphere for our young people to show off their sporting talents. They took part in a whole range of running, jumping and throwing events throughout the day and spent the rest of their time cheering each other on – brilliant teamwork! Highlights include a Y3 Stocksbridge team finishing in 3rd position and a Y4 team finishing in 1st place with Stocksbridge Junior School finishing as overall school winners.

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**Snack Bar**

On Monday, we will be launching our new mid-morning snack bar! Children are welcome to come to the dining-room during their morning break to purchase from the following snacks:

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**SJS Choir**

On Saturday 23rd April, Stocksbridge Junior School Choir, along with Bolsterstone Male Voice Choir and Worrall Male Voice Choir, are performing in 'Friends in Harmony' at Christchurch, Stocksbridge.

The concert starts at 7pm. Tickets will be available to buy on the door for £7. (N.B. Children under 16 do not need a ticket if accompanied by an adult with a ticket.)

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**Friends of SJS News**

**Right Royal Bun Sale and Dress Up Day – Friday 22nd April**

Thanks for all donations towards this and to the bun sale helpers. Totals coming soon.

**Preloved Uniform Sales**

Don’t forget you can donate clean, used uniform at any time by handing them in at the office. Sale dates and times will be on the newsletter soon.

**Wednesday 29th June - Family Fun Afternoon**

We are planning a special summer event to officially open the fantastic new Project Cedarwood grounds! Families will be invited to join us after school for fun, games and activities and to explore the new look grounds so please save the date. More details to follow shortly.

**Coming Soon…**

Information about a new name label scheme we are looking to join. Solve lost property problems and raise funds for FoSJS at the same time hassle free.

**Future Meetings (All welcome!)**

- Tuesday 3rd May 1.30pm - Monthly meeting
- Monday 13th June 1.30pm - AGM

To find out more or to join our Friends of SJS email group, contact us on committeeofsjs@stocksbridge-jun.sheffield.sch.uk.
**THIS WEEK’S LETTERS**

If you haven’t received these letters, please check ‘Virtual Office’ on our website or contact the office.

**YEAR 3** – A letter about Miss Oxford’s time at Oughtibridge Primary.

**YEAR 3** – A letter about a trip to Whitby next academic year.

**Y4SS** – A letter about Mrs Shaw’s cover arrangements.

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**EVENTS COMING UP SOON...**

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| May 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| May Day Bank Holiday: School Closed | 1:30 Friends of SJS Meeting | Y4HH and Y4CH – Swimming | Y6 English Workshops |  |
|  | Y5/6 High 5 Netball Competition |  |  |  |

For events further ahead, please check our school calendar on our website:

[www.stocksbridge-jun.sheffield.sch.uk/calendar](http://www.stocksbridge-jun.sheffield.sch.uk/calendar)

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**ROGER’S WALK**

A good friend of Stocksbridge Juniors, Roger Gill, has recently set off on an exciting adventure to walk from his house in Hebden Bridge to his holiday home in Italy – A distance of about 1200 miles! Roger has been a huge support to the school over the years and has enjoyed being a part of the school’s successes. We even have him to thank for introducing us to our Project Cedarwood designer, Sean.

Please follow Roger’s progress on Twitter @walkingtoitaly or if you would like to support the causes he is supporting, please visit [www.justgiving.com/Roger-Gill](http://www.justgiving.com/Roger-Gill) or [crowdfunding.justgiving.com/roger-gill](http://crowdfunding.justgiving.com/roger-gill).

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**CALLING ALL YOUNG SCIENTISTS**

Do you like getting stuck in to all things scientific in a practical ‘hands on’ way? Are you keen to discover new and exciting activities in science and technology? Then the Out of School Science Club at the Inman Pavilion, Moorland Drive, Stocksbridge is for you.

It begins on Saturday 7th May 2pm-4pm and will continue on the 1st Saturday of the month in school term time. The first session is all about ‘Bodies’ with some interesting experiments to try out – Where does your food go? How does your spine work?

June 4th will be all about ‘Light’ and July 2nd will focus on ‘Flight’.

The cost is £1.50 each session and the Science Club is open to all school age pupils.

The Inman Pavilion is a pleasant friendly place to meet for all sorts of activities, clubs and parties and has recently been refurbished and spruced up.

For more information phone 07941 972 589 or 07814 443 036.
Dedication School of Dance presents

**shut up and dance**

at

**the Venue**

Stocksbridge

Friday 29th April 6.45pm
Saturday 30th April 2.00pm & 6.15pm

Adult £8.00 OAP 65+ £6.50 U16 £6.00

Tickets available from 02347 688980 & ‘on the door’