



STRETTON SUGWAS BEE

Newsletter – Friday 23rd March 2018

Happy Birthday to
Jack K. James McK. Ryan W. & Isabella T.

Dear Parents and Guardians

Firstly I would like to say thank you to all of the parents and carers that came along to help the children with our Big Spring Clean event last week, luckily the weather remained dry and we were able to litter pick almost 30 Kg of rubbish from the school and local area. 7.3 Kg of recycling and 20 Kg of general waste.

We have had a busy week of outings this week too with the KS1 'Sing Spring In 2018' event at Whitecross, pond dipping at Madley and 'Experience Easter' for Phase 2 at the Cathedral.

We have also been very active this week in aid of Sport Relief, with the children taking part in challenges each day, ending with an exciting HIIT session from our very own 'Joe Wickes' this afternoon. Thank you for all of the sponsorship money that has already been sent in. If you have any more sponsorship money to send in, could this possibly be sent in by next Wednesday please?

Have a great weekend, don't forget to put your clocks forward an hour on Saturday night.

Kindest regards,
Alex Davies



Bees of The Week



Olly –
For writing an excellent scientific explanation.

Amelia –
For your hard work and enthusiasm in your work and in the Queen Bees class.

Sam –
For amazing Maths and English to a very high standard (ready for Year 6 already).

Rachel –
For really enthusiastic writing and having the confidence to write independently.



Molly –
For being fantastic on our trips this week and being enthusiastic about Sport Relief.



This half term's Christian Value is –Justice





Egg Rolling & Decorating Competitions

On **Thursday 29th March**, the last day of term, we will be having our annual Easter fun in the morning before our end of term assembly, which will take place at 1.30 pm.

Parents are invited to join us for the end of term assembly, after which children may go home.

Competition 1 – Egg Rolling Competition

This is simply what the name suggests. The children each need to bring in **1 hard-boiled egg** that they roll down a ramp to see which goes the furthest. The eggs cannot be tampered with in any way or have any additions to aid their rolling! The children need to bring these into school as they come into class. Please protect to avoid breakages.

Competition 2 – Egg Decorating Competition

Again as the name suggests, children can decorate a single egg or they can create a scene with eggs as the main feature (no bigger than a shoe box please). There will be 2 categories for each class where again there will be prizes. The first category is where the children have completed the work completely independently (unaided with no adult support). The second category is where the children have had adult help (aided). Phase 2 (Queen & Worker Bees) only has the unaided category and a 1st and 2nd prize will be awarded. All entries need to be marked with the following:

- Name
- Class
- Aided or Unaided



The entries can be brought in from 8.40am, where they will be placed on tables in the music room.

Phase 2 Experience Easter

Queen and Worker Bees both had fantastic sessions at the Cathedral's 'Experience Easter' workshops.

They were also lucky enough to catch a glimpse of the Weeping Window of Poppies too.

We are hoping to be able to take all of the school along to the Cathedral next month at some point, so that all of our children get a chance to see the wonderful display.



Tag Rugby Match v Staunton

Well done to the Rugby team, Joel, Alistair, Holly, William Ryan, Mia, Jacob, Jack & Theo. They played a great game against Staunton school yesterday. Thanks to Coach Wilson for her support.



There will be no Club Stretton After School Club Next Thursday 29th March



Easter Church Service

We will be holding a whole school Easter church service at Stretton Sugwas village church on **Tuesday 27th March at 2.00 pm**. We will be walking the children to and from the church & you will be able to collect your children at the normal time from school afterwards. As always, parents & guardians are more than welcome to join us for the service.



FOSS Easter Bingo



Don't forget to come and join the Easter Bingo on **Wednesday 28th March**, doors open 5.30 pm, eyes down at 6.00 pm. Lots of lovely Easter prizes to be won, and fun for all the family!

Busy & Honey Bees Pond Dipping

The children from Busy & Honey Bees classes all had a lovely time this week on their visits to Madley Environmental Centre to do some pond dipping. They found newts and pond snails and even made some mud sculptures.



Diary Dates

Mon 26th March

Sing Spring In 2018– Yr 4 & 5 – Whitecross School

Tue 27th March

Easter Church Service at Stretton Church – 2.00 pm

Wed 28th March

Easter Bingo – doors open 5.30pm, eyes down 6.00 pm

Thurs 29th March

Egg rolling & egg decorating competitions
End of term assembly – 1.30 pm

Fri 30th March – Fri 13th April Easter Holidays

Mon 16th April Summer Term Begins