



STRETTON SUGWAS BEE

Newsletter – Friday 6th October 2017

We have no birthdays this week.

Dear Parents and Guardians

We have had a lovely week at Stretton, and have particularly been enjoying the beautiful autumnal weather. The Honey Bees had a great time exploring the Weir Gardens on Wednesday this week along with the girls' football team having a great match against Kingstone and Thrupton School. As the weather is getting colder it is even more important to send in the appropriate clothing for the activities the children complete. Please, please ensure that all items of clothing are labelled clearly with full names. Initials make it very hard work! We have had a clear out of our lost property box where any labelled items have been sent to their prospective owners. There was - incredibly - two black bin bags of unlabelled school clothing which will be going to our Rags2Riches collection in a couple of weeks' time. The wooden box in the main entrance is now our lost property box...please feel free to dig around.

Have a great weekend, hopefully the sun will continue to shine!

Alex Davies

Bees of The Week



Max-
 For learning his 2s, 5s,
 10s, 3s, 4s and 8s
 brilliantly! Well done!

Hunter-
 For getting onto an
 'extra' 'extra' challenge
 in MATHs and for super
 topic work!



Jacob-
 For producing the best work
 he's ever done and for
 smashing tough challenges.



Ned –
 For your excellent
 attitude towards your
 learning this week,
 especially in
 handwriting.



Molly –
 For coping fantastically
 well with her plaster cast
 and still giving 100%.



This half term's Christian Value is –Thankfulness

Weir Gardens Visit

Honey Bees class had a fabulous autumnal morning spent at the Weir Gardens this week. They went to look for signs of autumn and it looks as though they found lots of them!



Harvest Festival

We are holding our Harvest Festival Service on **Tuesday 10th October** at Stretton Sugwas Church. The service begins at 2 pm and parents are very welcome to come along and join the celebration. We will walk the children to the church in time for the service and then will walk them all back to school afterwards in time for the end of the school day. Children can all be collected in the usual manner from school.

Parents should be able to park at the village hall, although spaces may be limited. It may be worth arriving early or parking at school and walking round to the church.

We would like to make a donation of dried, non-perishable goods to the Hereford Food Bank again this year, so any donations of tinned and dried foods will be gratefully received.

Vegetarian Society video

Millie is inspiring the world! Search Millie's story at www.vegsoc.org/joinandsupport

Check out this latest video from the Vegetarian Society's website and please support our 'Vegetarian Day' every Tuesday - this includes no meat or fish in your packed lunch and a choice of some delicious veggie options for hot dinners!

Coffee & Cake Afternoon

FOSS would like to say a big thank you to everyone who donated cakes or came along to support the coffee & cake afternoon held last Friday. A total of £124 was raised. FOSS are looking forward to their next event which will be the school disco on **Friday 3rd November**

Stretton Green Eco Bee

Some children have been busily designing our very own Stretton green 'eco' bee and we have had some fantastic, creative entries. The winner has now been decided....well done to Harriet in Year 5! The runners up are Millie, Sadie and Summer. Thank you for all the brilliant ideas and also special thanks to Alice, Josh and Joel for putting the competition together. Look out for our new Stretton Eco bee flying all over the school!



Morsbags



Can you sew? Do you have any spare material? Do you like to make people smile? Then you could be a Morsbagger!

Morsbags are cloth bags made from old material, duvet covers, table cloths, curtains etc. given to people to encourage the use of reusable, washable bags and reduce the use of plastic bags. Please visit www.morsbags.com to find out more.

We would like to form a 'pool' of adults to work alongside our Eco Club to make these bags. If you would like to help please let the office know or speak to Mrs Dawnay.

Diary Dates

Tues 10th October

Harvest Festival at Stretton Sugwas Church – 2.00 pm

Tues 17th & Thurs 19th October

Parents Evenings

Wed 18th October

Rags2Riches – Charity bag collection

Thurs 19th October

Open Morning - 9.30 am – 12 pm

Fri 20th October

Wear It Wild Day – Children can come to school dressed as an animal for a £1.00 donation to the WWF charity

Mon 23rd – Friday 27th October

Half Term Holiday

Fri 3rd November

School Disco

Thursday 21st December – Friday 5th January 2018
Christmas Holidays