

# Stedham Weekly news.



1<sup>st</sup> October 2021

## Week 4 at Stedham!

As we enter week 4, we find ourselves entering into a more autumnal environment with cold winds and frequent rain showers. As a school we want the children to get outside as much as possible, so please could you make sure that your child comes to school with a coat for colder weather.

This week has seen the classes learning a host of different texts, artists and scientific thinking.

Rabbits have been focussing on 'Pig the Pug', with a mysterious dog bowl arriving and the children finding a new role play area. They have been working on using adjectives and compound sentences to describe the different dogs in the text. Perhaps they could share some at home?

Hedgehogs have been learning about statements, commands and questions, ready to use in a persuasive piece of writing. There has been lots of talk about punctuation and bossy (imperative) verbs.

Foxes have been practising their gymnastic skills, using the equipment in the hall. The children used the springboard to enable them to somersault on the horse. Mrs Hines was very impressed by their hard work and effort.

We would like to thank everyone for their efforts with Covid and for keeping the school informed of any children who are displaying symptoms. As a school we have taken advice from Public Health England and the West Sussex and Surrey Local Health Protection Team, and are following all guidance to help stop the spread of Covid.

All the best,  
Laura Webb and Sarah Palmer

### Dates for your diary

02/10/2021 9.00-12.00	Task force working party  (Postponed)
8/10/2021	Hello Yellow day! Wear something yellow or bright.
14/10/21	Year 6 Interfaith morning @Easebourne
15/10/2021 17:30-19.00	FOSS Halloween Party
19/10/2021 14:00	Harvest Festival at Stedham Church
20/10/2021 8:45-9.15	Welcome Wednesday
20/10/2021	Curry and Quiz Night (TBC)
12/11/2021	FOSS Film Night
27/11/2021	Christmas Fair
10/12/2021	Christmas Jumper day.
14/12/2021	Nativity service at Stedham

### Child voice!

*'I did so much amazing writing today my hand really hurts!'*

# Fundraising news!

## Jean for Genes Day

Amazingly the school raised £40.01 from our recent 'Jeans for Genes day.' Well done everyone!



### Thank you so much for your donation

Your Jeans for Genes Day fundraising effort will make a big difference to children and families affected by genetic disorders.

If you have any questions please email us at [hello@jeansforgenesday.org](mailto:hello@jeansforgenesday.org) or call Freephone 0800 980 4800.



## FOSS Halloween Party

Upcoming is the FOSS Halloween Party, a night of magic and mayhem to raise funds for the school.

Remember, Foss are fundraising for new benches and playground markings for the school playground.

## Task Force

Unfortunately, we have had to postpone our task force party due to inclement weather and Covid. However, keep your eyes peeled as we will be doing one soon.

**WORLD'S BIGGEST COFFEE MORNING**

## A BIG THANK YOU

Thank you for donating £100.00 and being part of this year's World's Biggest Coffee Morning.

We hope you and your guests enjoyed spending time together over a cup of coffee and some yummy treats.

As treatments improve, more and more people are living with cancer in their daily lives. We'll put the money you've raised straight to work to make sure no one has to face cancer alone, from the moment they're diagnosed, through treatment and beyond.

Don't forget to look out for your thank you letter with details on how to register for next year. Or, visit [macmillan.org.uk/coffee](http://macmillan.org.uk/coffee) for more information.

Your donation reference is: 39407890

## Macmillan Cake Sale

What a fantastic cake sale we had. Thank you so much for all of the donations of cakes, brownies, blondies, biscuits and tarts. The sale was well attended and we made a staggering £89.70!

FOSS INVITE YOU TO....

# SPOOK OR SPARKLE

A FUN PARTY FULL OF GAMES, DANCING & MAGIC!

FRIDAY 15TH OCTOBER 2021  
17:30-19:00  
IN THE SCHOOL HALL  
FANCY DRESS (OPTIONAL)

DRINKS & SNACKS PROVIDED  
£4 PER CHILD, £7 FOR 2, £10 FOR 3  
CASH INTO FOSSBOX WITH RSVP OR BANK TRANSFER  
RSVP WITH CHILDS NAME, PARENT/GARERS NUMBER & ANY DIETARY REQUIREMENTS /ALLERGIES BY FRIDAY 1ST OCTOBER PLEASE