



Monday 2nd November 2015

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Diary Dates

Week beginning



Monday 2nd November

PE for Class 3 and 4

Tuesday 3rd November

3.15-4.15pm After school tennis continues

Wednesday 4th November

Walking Bus 8.45am from Upton Magna Business Park

No keyboard lessons this week

Lego Workshop for Class 1 at Shrewsbury Music Hall (school packed lunches will be provided)

ST LUCIA'S FRIENDS

MEETING 3.15-3.50pm in Class 1 ALL WELCOME!

Thursday 5th November

KS2 Whole class penny whistle/flute and French lessons.

Friday 6th November

Walking Bus 8.45am from Upton Magna Business Park

Live Band from Shropshire Music Service 'Music through the Ages' for all children

PE for Class 2 and 4

We hope you have all had a lovely half term holiday. Please find on the reverse of the Star the list of Christmas events being prepared over the next half term. This was shared before half term to provide as much notice as possible for busy working parents.

St Lucia's Friends Meeting Parents' Evening and Open Afternoon

All parents are welcome to come along to the St Lucia's Friends meeting. We would love to hear any ideas for fund raising ideas too which benefit all children in the school.

Wednesday 4th November
3.15-3.50pm in Class 1

Community Events

Upton Magna Village Party

Saturday 12th December
7:30pm until late in Upton Magna Village Hall

Traditional 3 course Christmas Dinner plus entertainment from 3 Men in a Bow Tie.
Bring your own drinks.
Tickets £25 contact Eileen on 01734 709186

Uffington Bangers and Sparkle Party

Friday 6th November 7.00pm
in Uffington Village Hall

Soup, sausage, sweet treat and family fun all in aid of Children in Need
£6 adults, £4 children

Key Stage one Snacks

Please remember that all children in key stage one are provided with a healthy eating snack each morning break and therefore do not need to bring extra snacks to school with them.

We have been able to confirm the requested appointment times for all returned slips. Please remember that flexibility of appointment times/phone calls have been offered to parents for your convenience, therefore NO CHILDREN ARE TO ATTEND THE PARENTS' MEETINGS, OR TO RETURN TO THE SCHOOL SITE TO WAIT FOR PARENTS WHILE MEETINGS TAKE PLACE. DURING THIS TIME THERE IS NO SUPERVISION AND THE AFTER SCHOOL CLUB WILL BE RUNNING.

The Open afternoon provides the opportunity for parents to view books and learning with their child instead. In exceptional circumstances, the after school provision can be used. The cost for this would be £2 for a half hour slot. Advanced bookings with payment can be organised at Reception.

Jumping Jaxx Playleaders

A group of children in Class 4 recently volunteered to become playleaders! They have completed their Jumping Jaxx training which will enable them to organise playground games at lunchtimes.

Future Diary Dates

Wednesday 4th November 3.20-3.50pm (meeting held in Class 1)

St Lucia's Friends meeting. Please come along and share any ideas you may have for future fund raising events. New members are very welcome, even if you would like to come and just observe!

Saturday 7th November

10.00am-12.00 midday Family Photos

If you would like to have a family photograph taken, Tempest Photographers are visiting the Nursery on the above date. Please contact Jacqui or Annette in the Nursery to book your time slot.

Tuesday 10th November 1.30-5.30pm

Parent Appointments for parents of children in Reception, Year 1, Year 3 and Year 5. 1:1 time with your child's class teachers. (appointments for parents of children in Year 2, 4 and 6 will be arranged during the spring term). Requested appointment times have been confirmed so far. **NO CHILDREN TO ATTEND**

Wednesday 11th November 2.00-4.30pm Open Afternoon for all parents. This will provide an opportunity for parents to spend some time with their children individually to look at and discuss their child's books and learning together. Extra appointments for Year 3 parents will also be held between 4.00-5.30pm due to the larger pupil numbers in the Year 3 cohort.

Tuesday 24th November 10am and Wednesday 25th November at 2pm

Prospective parents of children who are ready to start Reception next September (2016) are welcome to visit school. Please phone the school office to confirm your preferred date.

Thursday 26th November 2pm

SPAG (spelling, punctuation and grammar) workshop for parents of Year 2 children in preparation for the new key stage 1 SATs.

Tuesday 8th December Key Stage 2 Production of Pied Piper

There will be an afternoon performance and evening performance in Upton Magna Village Hall (times and ticket information to be confirmed nearer the time)

Friday 11th December 9.05am Class 1 Christmas Assembly in the school hall

Tuesday 15th December Christmas Lunch for children, staff and governors

Wednesday 16th December 12.00 midday Community and Parents Christmas Lunch (usual roast lunch for children) *Please confirm your place by Wednesday 9th December at the latest.*
1.30pm Carol Service including the Nativity by Class 2 in St Lucia's Church

Thursday 17th December Key Stage One and Two Christmas Parties (through the school day)

Friday 18th December last day of term. Non-uniform day Christmas jumpers (or festive colours) £1 donation. School Council members will collect pupils' views for this fund raiser. End of the term. School finishes for the Christmas holidays.

Monday 4th January School returns for the start of the new Spring term.