



Sutton Valence Primary School

The constant quest for knowledge, learning and adventure.....

Newsletter: Weekending 2nd February 2018

Headteacher Good Conduct Award

Ronnie - Always cheerful, always helpful, happy and polite amongst our school team.

Golden Children

This week's Golden Children are

Hedgehogs:	Jonah and Mila
Rabbits:	Kristian and Lucas
Foxes:	Aimee and Nell
Woodpeckers:	Sophie and Lucy
Owls:	Caleb and Harry
Squirrels:	Lennie and Keiron
Moles:	Oliver and Jessie

Please ask us why we are Golden Children ☺

Attendance and Punctuality

This week the class with the best attendance was Squirrels with a fantastic 99.33%
Well done!!

Wraparound Care

Thank you to a few parents that have given us their feedback regarding wraparound bookings. This will enable us to evaluate how many extra places we may need to cover in the near future. If you have difficulty booking as we are full please continue to email or telephone this to the office.

Piano Lessons

A local resident donated a piano to the school, it has been repaired, tuned and it is now ready to play. It would be lovely for pupils to be given the opportunity to have lessons in school.

Can anyone recommend a Piano Teacher? If so, please contact the office. If we can get this in place we will offer private lessons in school time.

World Book Day

This year World Book Day is being held on Thursday 1st March 2018.

Have you got ideas for a costume?

This could be a favourite character in a book that you have read like Harry Potter or Where's Wally. How about Superhero's, Fairytales, the list is endless.

This will be an exciting day where everyone can come into school dressed up. The children gain so much from the experience of dressing up - so get planning those costumes.



Dates for your Diary

8th February - D.I.S.C.O
W/b 12th February - Half Term
1st March - World Book Day
9th March - Mums Day
12th March - Skip to be fit
15th March - Voice In A Million choir
15th March - PTA Bingo Night
20th March - Parents Evening
22nd March - Parents Evening
29th March - Easter Egg Hunt
29th March - Last day of term

Guitar Lessons

There will be a new guitar group starting up on Tuesday 20th February, with a limited number of spaces available.

For more information please pick up a flyer from the office or contact Andy at andydavisguitar@talktalk.net

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Deadline for tickets is **TUESDAY 6TH FEB**

Don't miss the fun!!!!

Name, Class and Money in an envelope and put in the **PTA** box please.

Summer Club/Childcare

Please see link to booking form

<http://suttonvalence.sites.schooljotter2.com/downloadfile/10439332>

Cookery Club

Cookery Club will NOT be taking place this Thursday 8th February due to the Valentines DISCO.

Vacancy

Please be aware that the Vacancy for the cleaning position closes soon, so please contact Louise Evans (Business Manager) for further information via the school office.

Sweet Shop

The End of Term Sweet Shop will be open after school on Friday 9th February.

Quantum Theatre -

The Writing on the Wall

We are very lucky to have a theatre workshop coming into school on Wednesday 7th February for the whole school to enjoy. This performance is linked to Literacy and is loosely themed on Harry Potter & The Gruffalo.

There are two performances during the morning split between our infants and juniors.



Competition

I will be hosting a 'Bananagrams Challenge' Competition for children in Key Stage 2 who would like to compete for the title of 'Top Banana'. Bananagrams is a child centred fun spelling game that can be purchased via the internet or stationary shops.

The competition will be held at lunchtimes following some preliminary sessions so children can learn how to play Bananagrams. If your child is interested in finding out more then they should sign up in class or ask Mrs Clement for details.



Safer Internet Day

On Tuesday 6th February it is 'Safer Internet Day' and your children will be taking part in a range of activities to ensure they know how to remain safe when using the internet and mobile phones.

There will be information for parents displayed in the hall on Monday 5th February in the afternoon to help support you with keeping up with information about e-Safety. Remember to spend a little time discussing e-Safety with your child so that as they grow you are confident that you know what, who and when they are using the internet and how to stay safe. Also if they are concerned about anything, they know how to deal with the issue and who can support them.

Ofsted Celebration

The children were asked, via the school council, how they would like to celebrate their Good Ofsted grading. They came up with a list of activities that they would like to do as a school. Nearly all of this list of activities was agreed by the staff! Therefore next Friday (9th February) the children will be coming into school in non-uniform (but clothes suitable for various activities - ie. jeans, trainers and sweatshirt please) which was the first suggestion by the children. They will then have a day of activities, in mixed classes, and led by teachers within the school.

It will be a busy week with a Theatre show on Wednesday, a Disco on Thursday and home clothes and activities on Friday! Also, as a reminder, next Friday there is a sweetshop at the end of the day. Friday the 9th February is also the last day of term three.