24/02/2017

WEEKLY PARENT BULLETIN



Please make sure your children arrive at school by 8.30am in the morning. Thank you

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

FEBRUARY

Sat 25th School Choir for Grown ups 11am – 1pm (note time change).

Tues 28th Class 3 Bake Sale!! Fundraiser – bring your purses!

Tues 28th Class 7 parent's evening 7-9pm

MARCH

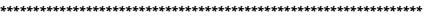
Wed 1st Volunteer induction morning 10am – 12pm

Thurs 2nd World Book Day! (Lower and middle school only – not kindergarten)

Fri 3rd Summer fair parents first meet up. Dining Hall 9 – 11am

Tues 7th Upper School Curriculum – for Class 6,7 & 8 parents. 7 – 8.30pm

SCHOOL EVENTS





BOOK

Class 3 cake sale - 28th Feb.

'Delicious cakes and pancakes galore from Class 3, to raise money for our beloved Kapla Planks and our next school trip. Thanks!' *Class 3*.

Volunteer Induction morning. 10am-12pm. Wed 1st March.

An induction morning open to anyone interested in volunteering in school – working supporting the children in lessons, helping with kindergarten walks etc. If you have experience with SEN, a particular subject, or general support work, we'd love to hear from you. If you'd like to set up a placement here in the next few weeks, please bring with you 3 forms of ID (including 1 x photo ID and 1 x current utility bill) and a current DBS if you have one (if not we can organise DBS's for volunteers). More info

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WORLD BOOK DAY! 2nd March 2017

As you will know a week today the Lower and Middle school at SAB are celebrating World Book Day. Here are a few reminders for the day itself:

- All children need to bring in **£1 as a donation** to the school library (in return we shall be asking for their ideas on the variety of books they want to see on the shelves!)
- There will be a range **of reading activities on the day** itself so all children need to

come prepared with a copy of their favourite book.

- All children will receive a £1 book token that can be swapped at any local bookshop for one of TEN special WBD books or it can be used to take £1 off a full price book.
- **Dress code:** We have asked staff to be inventive this year and dress up as book characters too. We would love children to do the same but please can we remind you that these characters need to *come from books and not from films or comics*! This is a celebration of books. Thank you for your co-operation with this.

OTHER NEWS

A new equalities and diversity group is starting - get involved

We are looking to set up an Equalities and Diversity steering group.

The aims are to support the whole school community to be fully inclusive, and support the creation and development of policies where appropriate e.g an LGTBQ policy.

The group will meet bi-monthly and will liaise and feedback to the governors and the head. Criteria for joining the E&D steering group:

Essential:

- People with a clear understanding and commitment to the principles of inclusion Desirable:
- People with lived experience of being a minority / a child of a minority group
- People with experience of policy writing
- People with professional experience of working with equality and inclusion

Please contact Lel to enquire more: lel lesleypender@yahoo.co.uk 07791 521 736

Workspaces, hotdesks and meeting/training rooms now available to rent.

If you're interested in hiring workspace in St.Matthias and are working within an education / wellbeing / youth related practice, please get in touch at hello@st-matthias.org.uk. Limited space available at competitive rates. Variety of space options, Wifi. Available from 1st March 2017.



Week 1 of our Crafting and Textlies After School Club.

The theme was MASK and first introduction to beginnings of the theatre...

One of the old forms of performance, before the theatre started the way we know it these days, was the tribal dance. Danced by shaman, or member of the tribe in the mask of the animal, who was connected to them...

I asked children to have a little think, what animal they feel for and make their own mask...:). LUCIA.

After school club reminder

Have you paid for your clubs? If not, please do so asap via Parentmail. If you have any trouble paying, please call the office or email maddy.longhurst@steineracademybristol.org.uk

Parent and Toddler Group starting at Steiner Academy Bristol after Easter! Pick up a flyer in Reception. Inquiries to hattyrose@hotlook.com



See What's on at St. Matthias...

NEW Contemporary Dance with Leeza Jesse – Starting this Wednesday 7pm.

NEW Pilates with Rachel Russell – Starting Tuesday 7th March

Monday Yoga with Virginie

Tuesday Yoga with Chris Gladwell

Family Toga and Dance on Monthly Sundays.

And much more!!!!

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