



Southcoates Primary Academy Newsletter

Tuesday 1st November

Harvest Festival

Year 1 and Year 2 had fun performing their Stone Age themed Harvest Festival for you all at St Aidan's church, in the last week of term. It was lovely to see so many of you there to watch the performance; thank you for joining us for our Harvest Rock and Roll. We hope you enjoyed it as much as we did! The 'Ladled with Love' charity were extremely grateful for all of your donations and we appreciate your continued support with this.



Free PE Top

This week, every child in the school will be given a free burgundy t-shirt to use for his/her PE uniform. This new PE top can stay in school on your child's peg, and be taken home to be washed at the end of each half term. We will make sure that your child's new PE top has his/her name in it.

Healthy Lunches

In order to promote healthy diets, we would be grateful if parents could follow this guidance if sending a packed lunch to school with their child:

- No fizzy drinks.
- No chocolate bars or sweets. (A biscuit/cake based treat is permitted but a piece of fruit would be a healthy alternative.)
- Please remember to include a spoon in the packed lunch, if required.

Mrs Hepworth will be sending a healthy packed lunch idea in each newsletter, starting next week. Keep an eye out for Mrs Hepworth's lunch ideas!



Anti-Bullying Week 2022: Reach Out

Anti-Bullying Week 2022 is coordinated in England and Wales by the Anti-Bullying Alliance. It will take place from 14th to 18th November 2022 and has the theme Reach Out. The week will kick off with **Odd Socks Day on Monday 14th November**, where adults and children are



encouraged to wear odd socks to celebrate what makes us all unique.

Poppies

Poppies will be on sale in school through next week (from Monday 7th November) in readiness for Remembrance Day.

Polite reminder

Please remember that there is strictly no smoking or vaping allowed on the school site. Thank you.

Upcoming Events

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| Wednesday 9th November: | Class 1/2PR trip to Tophill Low |
| Wednesday 10th November: | Class 1/2H trip to Tophill Low |
| Monday 14th November: | Anti-Bullying Week - Odd Socks Day |
| Wednesday 16th November: | Class 1/2B trip to Tophill Low |
| Friday 18th November: | Children in Need Day |
| Friday 2nd December: | Christmas Fair |
| Tuesday 6th December: | Christmas Dinner (school dinner menu option) |
| Thursday 8th December: | Early Years Nativity (performance at St. Aidan's) |
| Tuesday 13th December: | Whole school Carol Performance |
| Wednesday 14th December: | Christmas Party Day |
| Thursday 15th December: | Magic Carpet Theatre |