

# Stelling Minnis C.E.P. School

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Dear Parents/Carers

It has been a very busy week!

The children in Year 3 had their first swimming session and really enjoyed themselves. Gym club started with Mrs Horton and was well supported. There was also a Street Dance session on Tuesday so lots of sporting opportunities. Unfortunately Tag Rugby didn't happen but we hope that this will take place next week.

The children are settling well into their new learning for this term and there are some interesting projects going on. (Class letters were posted on Dojo on Monday, if you missed them)

Looking at the forecast, the weather is due to get colder. Please send in an extra jumper if you wish.

Have a good week Julie Simmons

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## Forest school for this term

12.1.23	Mice	Y1	Y3
19.1.23	Mice	Y1	Y3
26.1.23	Mice	Y2	Y4
2.2.23	Mice	Y2	Y4
9.2.23	Mice	Y2	Y4

Le Club Français runs on a Monday lunchtime - the application form is on page 3 if you are interested.

Gymnastics Club Term 3 for Squirrels, Otters & Badgers  
Please reserve your place by email to Kate Horton directly [simplydevine9@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:simplydevine9@hotmail.co.uk)  
Starts Monday 10th January for 5 weeks.

£17.50 total (£3.50 for 5 weeks)  
sort code 110905 and account number 00085612



Work on the Golden Board

Mice:

Eliza Houston

Squirrels:

George Byrne  
& Molly Mason

Otters:

Barney Locke  
& Theo Downs

Badgers:

Millie Melville, Matteo  
Robinson & Indie Cleaver

## Housepoints

Red	1412	Yellow	1846
Green	1030	Blue	1077

## Forthcoming Friends Events

◆ **Supper & School Quiz - FRIDAY 27th JANUARY. Deposit & pre-order your food by 20th January please. Details on page 4.**

**100 Club**  
Next draw on Friday  
27th January

**Love  
Respect  
Perseverance**

### Headteacher Awards

#### Love:

Bella E Wilf G  
Isaac H Fred M

#### Respect:

Taisia K Isaac H  
Isaac H Fred M

#### Perseverance:

Lucian J Nigel S  
Frankie Y Harvey S  
Milo R Brooke C  
Logan R



**Diary Dates attached for Spring Term**

Please don't forget to pay online for school meals, Breakfast & After School Club. Thank you.

**Breakfast Club**

£2.50 PER CHILD PER DAY

*Special on Wednesday*

Why not come along & try out Breakfast club next week!

**CLUB OPENS AT 8 AM**

**Please do not leave your children before this time.**

*DON'T FORGET to pay online as you use*

**After School Club**

COOKING  
On Wednesday  
Please book if attending



LOVE, RESPECT AND PERSEVERANCE



# After School Club

## JANUARY

### Monday



ICT and Library  
then snack time at 4.30.

### Tuesday

ICT and Library, then in hall for snack time at 4.30.

### Wednesday



Tonight we will be making Cup cakes, then  
Snack time at 4.30.



### Thursday

Film night with Popcorn and ice lolly.



### Friday

Time to relax, free play followed by tea at 4.30.

To contact after school club out of hours  
please phone 01227 709136

Charges for next week:-  
3.20pm ~ 4.00pm £2.00  
3.20pm ~ 4:30pm £4.00  
3.20pm ~ 5:00pm £5.00  
3.20pm ~ 6:00pm £7.00

Minimum charge £2.00  
10% discount for sibling  
attendance



Please don't forget to pay  
online for Breakfast & After  
School Club as you use them.



## **Bonjour!**

Give your child the opportunity to have fun while learning a new language!

Songs and games in small groups create a happy environment, focusing on encouraging conversation and good pronunciation. Learning a foreign language at a young age gives your child a lifetime of benefits.

### **Stelling Minnis, Monday Lunchtime**

**£75 for an 11 week term**  
**Starting Monday 9<sup>th</sup> January, 2023**

#### **Access to Babelzone**

Please complete the form below and return to either the French teacher or the address at the bottom of the page with payment via bank transfer to:

Le Club Francais Ashford  
Account number: 70570710  
sort code: 20-54-25

Reference: name of child and school.

In addition, bursaries possible, 10% sibling discount offered.

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Stelling Minnis

LE CLUB FRANCAIS

**Starting Monday 9<sup>th</sup> January, 2023**

Please send form and fees to the address below or give to French teacher.

Name of child/children:	
School Year:	
Address:	
Post code:	
Phone no.:	
Name of parent:	
Special needs:	
Allergies:	
Email address:	
(If applicable) name of adult collecting child and relationship to child:	

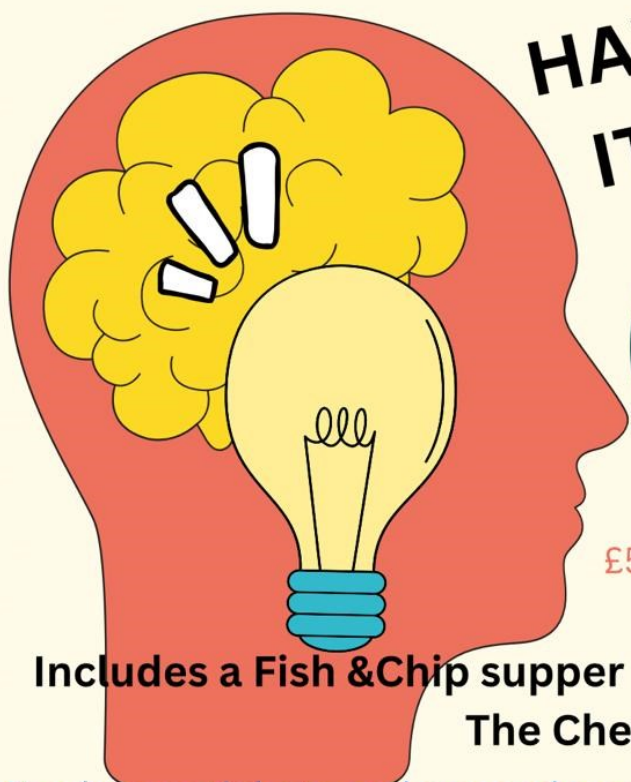
To book your spaces text 07488235184  
or see Lucy or Tracey at the school gate.

# STELLING MINNIS SCHOOL QUIZ NIGHT

Bring your own drink!!

Cash prize!

DO YOU  
HAVE WHAT  
IT TAKES?



TICKETS  
£15pp

£5 deposit pp at time of booking

Includes a Fish & Chip supper supplied by our local pub -  
The Chequers

Book your tickets and pre order your food by Friday 20th January.

**FRIDAY 27TH JANUARY**

**7PM**

Stelling Minnis Primary School  
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## Diary Dates for Spring Term 2023

### Term 3

Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> January	Inset Day
Wednesday 4 <sup>th</sup> January	Children return to school
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> January	Clarinets – Badgers class
Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> January	Swimming for Y3 weekly until 27 <sup>th</sup> March
Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> January	Street dance club starts after school
Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> January	Tag Rugby club starts after school
Tuesday 24 <sup>th</sup> to Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> January	Parent Consultations
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> January	Friends – Supper & School Quiz - 7pm
Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> January	RE and Reflection Week
Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> February	Safer Internet Day
Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> February	Open Celebration Worship @ 2.30pm
	End of Term

### Term 4 Multicultural term

Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> February	Children return to school
	Swimming continues for Y3
Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> February	Tag Rugby continues
Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> February	Book Week
Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> March	World Book Day
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> March	Mothers' Day Breakfast – details to follow
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> March	Book Fair – details to follow
Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> March	Easter Egg Hunt & Easter Competitions
	Classroom Drop in 3.30-4pm
Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> March	Open Celebration Worship @ 2.30pm
	End of Term

Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> April	Inset Day
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> April	Children return to school