

Stelling Minnis C.E.P. School

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Friday 14th July 2023

Dear Parents/Carers

It was lovely to see so many of you on Tuesday to meet your child's new teacher. The children were very excited about their transition sessions and enjoyed visiting new classrooms. Our new reception children also visited the school with their parents and enjoyed exploring the classroom.

On Wednesday I met with the ladies from the two churches who come in regularly to lead our Wednesday worship. I would like to thank them for their contribution to school life and for their help with our Harvest Service and Carol Service this year. They have plans to continue with these activities next year.

The KS2 production of Olivia was a huge success. Well done to all the children and adults who supported them. This performance is always a sign that the holidays are not too far away!

Today, the children will be bringing home their school reports and test results if they took statutory tests. Please feel free to discuss any thoughts with the class teachers.

Next week, we have Rounders for Year 6 on Monday at 3.30pm, dependent on the weather. Please watch Dojo for updates. On Tuesday we have our trip to Brogdale (school uniform and a packed lunch please) and our End of Year Assembly is on Thursday at 2.30pm. All are welcome.

Have a good weekend

Julie Simmons

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Work on the Golden Board

Mice:

Leo Gilbert Bilyard

Squirrels:

Isla Tarrant
& Ray Woollven

Otters:

All of Otters class

Badgers:

Ella-Rose Mason-Brookes
& Sam Yore

School trip details are on page 3. Payment please, as detailed on the letter asap if you still have to pay. **Thank you**

MENU CHANGE
School dinners on THURSDAY 20th July will be Fish & Chips

Kate's summer camp - details on page 5
Venue is now here at school!

Is anyone interested in an upright piano?? - free to a good home (you will have to collect)
In working order but needs tuning. Contact the office for further details.

PTA NEWS:-
Looking forward

We have secured an excellent ticket price for the Marlowe Pantomime. Get your tickets now!! See page 4 for full details

Breakfast Club

£2.50 PER CHILD PER DAY

Special on a Wednesday

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



End of Term "water fun evening" WEDNESDAY

**Love
Respect
Perseverance**
Headteacher

Awards

Love:

Olivia B Harvey S
Dora B All Badgers + Otters
Molly M

Respect:

Betsy S William H
All Badgers + Otters

Perseverance:

Max B All of Badgers
Hannah F Hennie V
Our district sports team
All Badgers + Otters



LOVE, RESPECT AND PERSEVERANCE



After School Club

JULY

Monday

Outside play weather permitting , then snack time at 4.30.



Tuesday

Outside play, then in for snack time at 4.30.



Wednesday

Water fun night, if you would like to take part please make sure you bring a change of clothes & shoes and a towel.

Also bring a water pistol to join in the fun.



Thursday

Film night with popcorn and ice lolly.

Friday

Happy Summer Holiday.



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



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

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



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Wednesday 5th July 2023

Whole School Trip: Brogdale Farm Collection

Dear Parents,

We are pleased to be able to share with you the details of the whole school trip for this year. On Tuesday 18th July we will be visiting Brogdale Farm, just outside of Faversham. The children will be travelling by coach and whilst at the farm, will be taking part in different workshops such as Fruit Harvesting, Weather and Mapping. They will also be going on a tractor ride!

We are asking for parents to make a voluntary contribution of £8.00 per child towards the cost, payable online (Account number 56166036. Sort Code 60-60-08 – please add reference TRIP & your child's name). We would like to thank the PTA who have subsidised the cost of this trip.

Children will need to come to school by 9am, dressed in school uniform. Depending on the weather, please ensure your child has a waterproof jacket/ sun cream/ sun hat as appropriate. They will need comfortable shoes to walk in. They will be collected at normal home time – 3:20pm.

Your child will also need a packed lunch and a water bottle, in a named bag / rucksack. No glass bottles, fizzy drinks or sweets please.

Your online payment, by Friday 14th July, will confirm that your child is attending this trip. If you have issues with payment, please contact me directly.

If you volunteered to support us on the day, Class Teachers will soon be in touch to confirm your space.

Thank you for your support.

Yours sincerely

Julie Simmons
Acting Headteacher

Love

Respect

Perseverance





IT'S PANTO TIME!



Aladdin



Thursday 30th November 2023

7pm

The Marlowe Theatre, Canterbury



Tickets cost £15 each and numbers are limited!

Please make your payments to:

Stelling Minnis School PTA

Account no; 10259696

Sort Code; 82-11-07

Please give your name & 'Panto' as the reference.

Kate Horton's Summer Sports Camp

VENUE: STELLING MINNIS PRIMARY SCHOOL
BOSSINGHAM ROAD
BOSSINGHAM CT4 6DU

WEEK 1: 24TH-28TH JULY
WEEK 2: 31ST JULY - 4TH AUG

9AM-3PM

EARLY 8.30AM DROP OFF AVAILABLE FOR £3
EXTRA

£25 DAILY RATE OR £100 FOR A FULL WEEK

KATE CURRENTLY TEACHES PE AT STELLING
MINNIS, SMEETH AND STOWTING BUT IT'S
OPEN TO ALL PRIMARY AGE CHILDREN.

FUN ACTIVITIES AND A HUGE VARIETY OF
SPORTS EVERY DAY.



LET KATE KNOW WHICH DATES YOU ARE INTERESTED IN.
EMAIL SIMPLYDEVINE9@HOTMAIL.CO.UK
FULL AVAILABILITY AT THE MOMENT BUT PLACES FILLING UP
QUICKLY.