



# Stillington Primary School Weekly Bulletin 21st July 2023



## Class 1



EYFS- We have had a lovely last week in school!

We have been busy playing board games, dancing and discussing what we have enjoyed this year.

What a fabulous year, Class 1—we will miss seeing your smiley faces everyday! We look forward to seeing you next year at joint school events.



## Class 2



It's been an amazing year for our Class 2 children at Stillington. The children have worked so hard and deserve to enjoy their 6-week summer holiday. It has been a pleasure to teach every single child in the class and I wish them the best of luck in the future!

Here are some pictures from our Quidditch day at Terrington this week.



## Class 3



It's the end of an incredibly busy year for KS2. It has been lovely to see each and every child thrive and further develop their own personality! We've been busy finishing everything off and getting the classroom ready for the new school year in September, when we look forward to welcoming our new Y3 children to the classroom, as well as Mr Carlisle.

As a quick reminder, Mrs Hunter will be teaching KS2 on Mondays and Tuesdays. Both Mr Carlisle and Mrs Hunter will be in school on Wednesdays, and Mr Carlisle will then be in class on Thursdays and Fridays.



Goodbye and good luck to Clayton and Alec in their new schools!





Mrs Sarah Moore

## Message from the Headteacher

As the end of the school year is finally here, I want to say a very big 'thank you' to all parents, pupils, staff and governors for your support over this last year! Stillington Primary School is a wonderful community and I'm very proud to lead it.

Enjoy your summer break, whatever you're doing, and we look forward to seeing the children back in school on **Wednesday September 6th**. Take care!

**Please do remember to clear your ParentPay account(s) this weekend!**

## Buddy Bench

Following the funeral, earlier this year, of **Rosa Moreland**, from Stillington village, her family very kindly donated some money to the school in her memory. Rosa was a past pupil and well-known member of the Stillington community. We have used this money to purchase a "Buddy Bench" for our playground.

We are ordering a commemorative plaque to add to the bench and the children are looking forward to using it in September.

We hope it can be used as a reflection area, where it will offer a quieter space for those who need it.



## And finally...

### PE Kits

All children will still need to come in their PE kits each Thursday. Before September, please do check again our PE kit expectations [HERE](#):

### Wrap Around Care

Our wrap around care will remain the same in September and the times of this provision can be found on the school website [HERE](#):

### Extra-Curricular Clubs

Over the summer term we have been exploring the extra-curricular clubs for our next academic year. We have received some great ideas from the parents who completed the online forms questionnaire. This has been used as a basis for our offer next year. We are hoping to secure a **Total Sports Clubs**, including tennis, basketball, cricket, badminton and athletics sessions; martial arts club; the fantastic **dance classes** led by Stacey at Just Dance York; and some **forest school sessions**.

We will also be offering some clubs led by teachers, based on their skills and interests. Details of these clubs will be shared in September, with the aim to start the second week back.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support in developing our extra-curricular offer for our children.

## Year 6 Leaver's Barbecue Tonight!

FOSS would like to remind you about the **Leavers' Barbecue at Stillington Sports Club tonight** (July 21st) from 5pm onwards. **All families** are invited to this!

# Get active with the Summer Reading Challenge 2023!

Children can, once again, sign up for the **Summer Reading** Challenge at their local library during the holidays. This year, the theme is '**Ready, Set, Read!**' and is all about the power of play, sport, games and physical activity.

The challenge for children is to **read 6 library books of their choice** and collect special stickers and other prizes along the way. Everyone who finishes will receive a limited-edition 'Ready Set Read!' medal and a certificate.

**Any child aged 4 to 11 can join in and the challenge runs from Sat 15<sup>th</sup> July until Sat 9<sup>th</sup> Sept.**



There will also be a fantastic programme of activities in libraries all summer—many of them free—to go with the challenge.

## 2023 KEY DIARY DATES



Date	Event
	SUMMER TERM 2023
Fri July 21st	LAST DAY OF TERM- FINISH 2pm
	AUTUMN TERM 2023
Wed Sept 6th	Children return to school (4th and 5th are staff training days)

## FOSS—Friends of Stillington School

### Upcoming Events for 2023

- 21st July **Leavers BBQ** at Stillington Sports Club 5pm onwards (all families invited)
- 13th August **Sports Day** at Stillington Sports Club
- 26th August **Jumble Sale** at School: 2-4pm
- September **Car Boot Sale** at Stillington Sports Club 12-3pm (provisional): £5 per car
- 9th Sept **80's/90's Disco/Karaoke** at Stillington Sports Club: from 8pm - £5 per ticket
- 27th October **Bingo and Pie & Pea Night** at School 7pm

**PLEASE DO COME AND SUPPORT THESE FUND-RAISING EVENTS FOR OUR SCHOOL!**