



Stebbing Primary School



Stebbing Spotlight

| <u>Important Notices</u> | <u>Headteacher</u> |
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| <p style="text-align: center;">WEATHER WARNING NEXT WEEK</p> <p>We appreciate that there is a weather warning for next week.</p> <p>Please ensure children come into school with water bottles, sunhats if they don't already have one in school and sunscreen applied.</p> <p>We will continue to monitor the situation and update you if necessary.</p> <p>There will be limited physical activities and if the children do go outside they will spend time in the shade.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">OSPREYS CLASS TRIP ON MONDAY HAS BEEN CANCELLED DUE TO THE WEATHER.</p> | <p>It is so lovely to be back at school and enjoying all of the fantastic end of term activities.</p> <p>We are very busy in school and have had lots of exciting events happening. Next week is the last week of term.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">A reminder: we break up for the summer holidays on Thursday 21st July.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">We return to school on Thursday 1st September and our Meet the teacher evening for all parents is at 6pm on this day.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Meet the Teacher is an opportunity to meet your child's class teacher and hear about the day-to-day routines of the school. We hope to see you there.</p> |

| <u>AFSS</u> | <u>Sport at Stebbing</u> |
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| <p>The time has finally come and you are reading the final Spotlight of this academic year. Children have done fantastically and the team behind them have achieved so much. You all deserve a big thank you and well done from AFSS! Obviously we were so pleased to finally get back into organising events and collecting money for Stebbing School. Thank you so much for all the volunteering and generous donations. We couldn't have done it without you! We also need to mention Kat Tisma, Lucy Roach and Zoe Lakovic for doing the ice cream runs for our Friday treats.</p> <p>When we come back in September, the new AFSS team kicks in and hopefully can achieve what Bobbie and Claire have during their time on the helm. It will be sad to see them go but we promise to all of you that AFSS will continue with a great selection of activities and events to look forward to. If you have a chance to look at old uniform bits, AFSS will start collecting these and start pre-loved uniform sales in the new academic year. If you have pieces to donate, please contact Iida on 07783 957252. Until then, we wish you all a very happy summertime!</p> | <p>Thank you for coming to join us for our end of year sporting celebrations with Sports day. We loved sharing the day with you all seeing the children take part in lots of different races, supporting their friends and having lots of fun.</p> <p>We also enjoyed a busy multi-skills day with every child taking part in a wide range of activities supported by the year 6 leaders who ran the stations superbly for all of the children providing wonderful support and encouragement.</p> <p>Sports Day Champions 2021/2022: ASH Multi-Skills Champions 2021/2022: CHESTNUT</p> <p>Chestnut's long reign of sports day champions finally comes to an end after three victorious years. However, they managed to steal the multi-skills crown away from Ash who won last years event.</p> |

Awards

| | <u>Friday 8th July</u> | <u>Friday 15th July</u> |
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| <u>Wrens</u> | Nicole Nelson & Skyla Ekins-Wilding | Zoe Major & Charlie Barbrook |
| <u>Robins</u> | Scarlett Dawson & Florence Price | Bella Dawson & Albert Smith |
| <u>Kingfishers</u> | Neve Challis & Julia Morton | Isla Donohue & Oliver Bond |
| <u>Woodpeckers</u> | Mia Hutchin & Isabelle Perry | Elly Wootton, Maya Roye & Ava Nash |
| <u>Kestrels</u> | Rocco & Reggie | Lily Lakovic & Oliver H |
| <u>Ospreys</u> | Brooke Edridge, Shae Baldock, Hollie Reeve & Isabella Arnett | Kai Baldock & Archie Smith |
| <u>Owls</u> | Kaydn Archer-Rippingale & Ellode Lyons | Lola-Rai Chandler & Hannah Dobney |

| | <u>Presentation Award Winners</u> | |
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| <u>Wrens</u> | Fifi Morris | |
| <u>Robins</u> | Sienna Thorp | |
| <u>Kingfishers</u> | Violet Francis | |
| <u>Woodpeckers</u> | | Henry Munson |
| <u>Kestrels</u> | | Lia Campbell |
| <u>Ospreys</u> | | James Pipe |
| <u>Owls</u> | | Ellode Lyons |

| <u>Date</u> | <u>TT Rockstars</u> <u>% of active players</u> | <u>Spelling Shed</u> | <u>Maths Shed</u> | <u>Year 6 Award</u> | <u>Attendance Award</u> | <u>Lunchtime Award</u> |
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| 08.07.22 | Ospreys 24% Woodpeckers 15% Kestrels 13% Owls 3% Kingfishers 3% Robins 3% | | | Veronika Matskiv, Freddie Edridge & Nicole Nelson | Kestrels | Malachy Rock |

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| 15.07.22 | Kestrels 42% Ospreys 32% Woodpeckers 19% | | | Owls class | Kestrels | Logan Burroughs |
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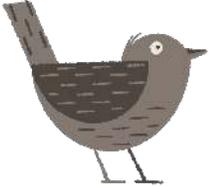


ClassDojo

| | <u>Dojo Award Winners</u> | | | <u>Dojo Points Winners</u> | |
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|  <u>Being Helpful</u> | Ivy Page-Blackley Robins | Ava Buckley Woodpeckers | <u>Wrens</u> | Esmae Casado | Nicole Nelson |
|  <u>Being Kind</u> | Darcy Stewart-Wheatly Woodpeckers | Kingfishers | <u>Robins</u> | Bella Dawson | James Dawson |
|  <u>Good Manners</u> | Frankie Edridge Wrens | Emily Beeken Kestrels | <u>Kingfishers</u> | Albie and Louis | Albie Edridge |
|  <u>Listening</u> | Harry Clark Owls | Alasdair Morton Wrens | <u>Woodpeckers</u> | Elly Wootton | Isabelle Perry |
|  <u>Perseverance</u> | Eira Flucher Ospreys | Bella Dawson Robins | <u>Kestrels</u> | | |
|  <u>Teamwork</u> | | Poppy Hughes Owls | <u>Ospreys</u> | Emil Mannisto | Arthur Knight |
|  <u>Working Hard</u> | Charlie Steadman Kingfishers | All of Ospreys class | <u>Owls</u> | Lacey Raye | Bella Tuffin |

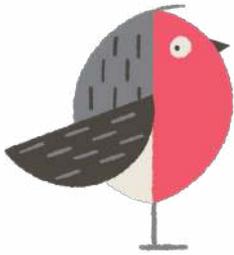
Class Information

Wrens



It has been a very busy two weeks in Wrens. We really enjoyed our afternoon as Robins with Mrs Lonnen-Smith and are now very much looking forward to September. We have been talking, drawing and writing about what we might like to be when we are older. Some of us would like to be doctors or teachers or dream of being firefighters or police officers, lots of jobs where we would be helping others as we are such a caring class. In Maths, we have been practising our numbers to 20 and have been looking at 'one more' and 'one less' to improve our number fluency. At Forest Schools, we have been exploring transferring the green from the leaf onto material as a print, using hammers, and we have been den-building in the trees, using teamwork and problem-solving skills. Well done Wrens for an excellent first year at Stebbing Primary School.

Robins



Our class trip to Colne Valley Railway really was fantastic. We would highly recommend it if you want somewhere to go over the summer. Robins enjoyed a 'singing coach' experience to start with, where they watched some song videos about trains and joined in with the words and actions - Robins love a bit of singing! We then split into 3 groups to take turns at riding a Steam Train, watching a model railway and exploring the museum. In both the model railway and museum we also had a trail to follow and were on the lookout for particular items in the model railway and letters in the museum which spelled 'PASSENGERS' when we'd collected them all. Lunchtime was on a disused train and this was a great time for Robins to relax and chat about their morning. They were very conscious to keep tidy for our lovely hosts Nick & Gay and collected up their rubbish afterwards. Finally we learned about the Royal Post train and how the post used to be collected and distributed on the train. This was fascinating and Robins enjoyed delivering some post themselves. We weren't quite up to the standards from years ago but it was fun - it was expected that each letter/postcard would be in the necessary pigeon hole within 1 second - a minimum of 3000 per hour had to be done! The train did not even stop - it had open gaps at the side for mail to leave & enter the train mid-journey!

Kingfishers

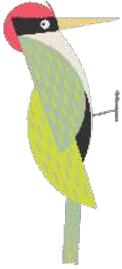


Kingfishers have worked incredibly hard over the past 2 weeks and even though it was challenging at times, they overcame the heat and pushed through the 'end of year' tiredness and have persevered in all that they have done. We have spent the last 2 weeks completing measuring and length and focusing on consolidating various mathematical concepts that we have explored over the year, to help ensure they are confident within these areas as they move into year 3. In English we have been writing up our fantasy stories, with a focus on apostrophes for possession and adverbs, and I have been so impressed with their creativeness, language and imagination. Kingfishers have been exploring a variety of habitats and the features of animals that enable their survival within them. We have also been focusing on 'significant people' in history and how their actions impacted the world we know today.

I can't believe this year is coming to an end..... It has flown by and I have loved being your class teacher!

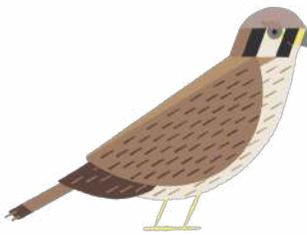
I hope you all have a warm, fun and relaxing summer and I look forward to seeing you all around school when we are back in September.

Woodpeckers



Woodpeckers have had a wonderful final two full weeks as year 3. We have finally finished our 'Nothing to see here hotel' book and the children enjoyed creating their own monster and then creating their own chapter for the book. In maths we have finished our measuring topic and really enjoyed finding the perimeter of various shapes. We have also spent some time researching and designing our afternoon tea, which we are really looking forward to next week. In Geography, we spent some time looking at aerial views and tried to create our own map of the main part of the school, which proved very tricky. We also loved our music afternoon (albeit very hot) and I think it is safe to say that Woodpeckers are a very talented class! I cannot believe that we are at the end of year 3- this year has whizzed by and I have absolutely loved teaching Woodpeckers again. I feel very lucky that I am able to teach the children as Kestrels this year. I hope that you all have the most wonderful and restful summer holidays. I look forward to seeing you all in September!

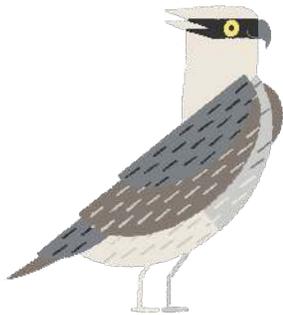
Kestrels



Kestrels have been working incredibly hard in the final few weeks of year 4. They have been working so hard to finally finish their mammoth unit of time and all did incredibly well in their Hotmaths with the majority being able to now tell the time! We have also been able to finish our English unit on Poetry with the children being able to produce thoughtful and meaningful poems based on the poem the sound collector but altering this to be about the sounds we hear around the school and if they all disappeared how would life change. We have also been able to finish our Science unit in which we have been looking at the effects of climate change on the environment, such as every hour 300 football pitches worth of trees are cut down and that by 2040 they predict there will be more plastic in the oceans than fish. In the last two weeks we have also been able to enjoy our last forest school session of the year in which the children enjoyed being out in nature and

were able to catch many newts and other aquatic creatures. I hope all of Kestrels have an amazing summer holidays and I wish them nothing but success in the future!

Ospreys



Ospreys class have worked incredibly hard throughout their final weeks in year 5. The children have continued focusing on their fractions unit, particularly fractions of an amount, multiplying mixed numbers by integers and fractions of a quantity which led onto competing their hot maths this week. In English, the children have been working towards writing their own newspaper report based on a disaster that had occurred within a lighthouse, set in a small fishing village. Although reaching the final stretch of the summer term and feeling rather tired, the children have persisted and have been really engaging in classroom discussions and readings throughout English lessons for this unit. They will be completing their hot write at the end of the week. I cannot believe how quickly this year has flown by and that the children are moving on to their final year at Stebbing. It has been wonderful to see the level of mature choices being made throughout this year, particularly this summer term. Wishing each and every one of you all the best in year 6 - you've all come so far and made us very proud.

I hope you all have a fabulous summer and take this time to relax.

Owls



As we approach the final few days at Stebbing Primary School, Owls class have been busy putting together all of the elements for this year's leavers' assembly. They have all worked hard filming their individual elements and have lots of surprises for you to enjoy on the day. Owls have also been fulfilling their roles as they supported the younger children during our sports day and music afternoons as they set up the races, organised their house group and provided support and encouragement to all of the children. I hope those who joined the class for bowls yesterday had a lovely time taking part in our new favourite sport - if you enjoyed it, they are always looking for new members to, I quote, "bring the average age down." We are looking forward to spending the final few days at Stebbing together as we make more magical memories.

See you all on Thursday 21st July for the Class of 2022 Leavers' Assembly. Please come along to take your seats at 09:45 ready for a 10:00 start.

Important Dates

| Date | Event |
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| 04.07.22 | Dance workshop all day funded by the AFSS |
| 04.07.22 | Multiskills (volunteers welcomed) KS1-AM KS2-PM |
| 08.07.22 | Sports Day (spectators invited) KS1- AM KS2- PM |
| 11.07.22 | Family picnic (12:00-13:00) Music afternoon (13:00-14:30) |
| 19.07.22 | Last swimming session for all classes |
| 19t/20th | Class parties |
| 21.07.22 | Leavers' Assembly (10:00-12:00) - Year 6 parents invited |
| 21.07.22 | Break up for the Summer holidays |
| 01.09.22 | Back to school |
| 01.09.22 | Meet the teacher evening 6-7pm |

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