

Sandy Hill Academy News

1st July 2016

Important Dates for your diary

4th – 5th July – Penrice Transition Days

4th July – Penrice Welcome Evening

8th July – Class Photo's (am)

8th July – Sports Day (pm)

9th July – Summer Fayre (11am–2pm)

11th – 12th July – Poltair Transition Days

13th & 14th July – Shakespeare Rocks Performance 3.30pm

18th July – Year 6 Leavers Disco 7–9 pm

20th July – Year 6 Leavers Assembly 8.45am

20th July – Last Day of Term 2pm finish

5th September – Inset Day School & Nursery



Well Done to all our students who were nominated for the Tracey Taylor Award.

1st — **Fay Taylor**

2nd - **Josie Jones**

3rd — **Toby Stockley**



KS2 Welcome Meetings

We are pleased to invite you into school on the following dates to meet your child's teacher.

Year 3—6th July at 2.30pm. Please enter through the Year 3 door.


Year 4—7th July at 2.30pm. Please enter through the Year 4 door.

Year 5—11th July at 2.30pm. Please come to the main office.

Year 6—12th July at 2.20pm. Please come to the main office.

This week some of our school council members have been taking part in a school council Aspire Skype call to discuss Internet safety. During the e-meeting, our council members discussed their 'Top Ten Tips' for staying safe online and also made a vital contribution to creating an Aspire E-Safety Vision Statement.

Well done to all of the school council who helped create our top tips to help promote E-Safety.


 **Our E-Safety Top 10 Tips**

School Name:

Here are our Top 10 Tips for keeping ourselves safe when using gadgets and the internet:

1	Check age ratings on internet games before playing to make they are suitable.
2	Get permission before buying anything online. Always check 'in app purchases' on games.
3	Keep personal details safe. Never share your passwords and make sure they are difficult to crack.
4	Don't talk to strangers on the internet you don't know.
5	Be careful not to share images or personal details.
6	Don't meet people you have met on the internet.
7	Check before you click or accept anything online in case you get a virus.
8	Ignore unkind messages and don't reply. Be kind online.
9	Tell someone you trust if you receive anything suspicious online. Show them any messages you are unsure of.
10	Don't write down passwords or personal information.





Stars of the Week

YR -	Summer Collings
YR/I -	Corben Hoyle
YI/2 -	Isaac Sleeman
Y2 -	Ben Allen
Y3 -	Thomas London
Y4 -	Ben Locks
Y5 -	Erin Witt
Y6 -	Luke Clarke



Lunch Time Stars



Reception



phonics word of the week



This weeks
word of the week is
“requested” and
the pseudo word is
“splode”.

Car Park

Sandy Hill Car Park is for staff and blue badge holders only. Parking for school and nursery parents is not permitted at ANY time.

Tracey Taylor Award



Congratulations to all of this year's nominees for the Creative Writing Award. This year's nominees were as follows:

Year R: **Jowin**- "Due to Jowin's love of learning he has worked extremely hard to further the quality and context of his writing."

Year 1: **Toby**- "He is able to think imaginatively when writing stories and is eager to include extra detail to interest the reader."

Year 2: **Tommy**- "It has been a pleasure to see Tommy's writing confidence grow this year and I have no doubt that this will continue into Year 3."

Year 3: **Sophie**- "Sophie has demonstrated a love of all learning throughout the year. In particular, her writing has developed significantly over the course of the year."

Year 4: **Solomon**- "Sol has shown a real love of learning. He is a very self-motivated member of Year 4. His writing reflects this and the texts he produces are a real inspiration to his peers."

Year 5: **Josie**- "Her writing has grown in maturity. She has produced some very emotional and persuasive pieces of writing this year."

Year 6: **Fay**- "It would be great to see Fay keep a creative journal of her thoughts and ideas as she travels through life- a great inspiration for both herself and for other, which we imagine would undoubtedly, contain talented artwork and illustrations too."

Each child received a £10 Amazon book token in recognition of their achievements.

Well Done

Reading Rewards



Well done to the following children who have received their reading certificates this week —

Rocket Reader Certificate



Tommy D (Y2) Ben A (Y2)

Ben K (Y3)

Connor R (R1) Austin J (R1) Aiden D (R1)

Kyle L (Y5) Cutis T (Y5)

Tayla Ward (Y4) Molly C (4) Jessica T (4)

Star Reader Certificate



Isabella M (R)

Jowan G (Y2) Bevan G (Y3) Joe S (Y3)

Ashlee T (Y4)

Cosmic Reader Certificate



Reading



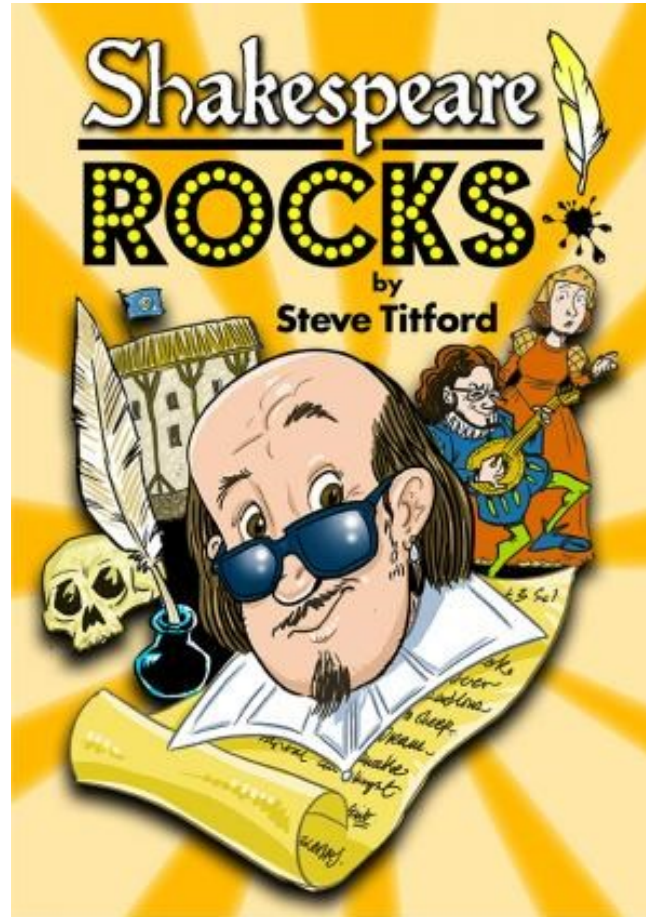
Well done to the following children who have earned their Merit Awards this week—

Bronze— Isaac Jones (R1)

Gold— Toby M (Y6)

Sandy Hill Academy

are proud to present their Summer production..



WEDNESDAY 13TH JULY

3.30PM—4.30PM

&

THURSDAY 14TH JULY

3.30PM—4.30PM

TICKETS ARE ON SALE

AVAILABLE FROM THE OFFICE

£1.50 per ticket



Week beginning
Monday 4th July

Packed lunches are now available as well as hot school meals.

Summer Picnic

Only £2.20

Monday

Cheese or Egg Mayo or Ham Sandwich

Vegetable Sticks

Fresh Fruit

Ice Cream or Frube or Cake of the Day

Tuesday

Tuna or Cheese Sandwich

Vegetable Sticks

Fresh Fruit

Ice Cream or Frube or Cake of the Day

Wednesday

Cheese or Egg Mayo or Ham Sandwich

Vegetable Sticks

Fresh Fruit

Ice Cream or Frube or Cake of the Day

Thursday

Tuna or Cheese Sandwich

Vegetable Sticks

Fresh Fruit

Ice Cream or Frube or Cake of the Day

Friday

Salmon Mayo or Egg Mayo or Cheese Sandwich

Vegetable Sticks

Fresh Fruit

Ice Cream or Frube or Cake of the Day

Let's head out for a picnic!

Don't Forget i'm free if you're in KS1.

Packed Lunch menu also available for School trips.

Available daily in addition to our hot menu

Chartwells

EAT LEARN LIVE

Parent Support Advisor

Every Wednesday morning at Sandy Hill Academy between 8:20am and 12:00pm, there is an open door drop in session with the Parent Support Advisor, Sarah Chown. Sarah will be happy to help you with any concerns you may have such as:

- Changes in behaviour with your child
- Child sleep issues
- Debt management
- Housing concerns
- Help with any forms that need completing.

Or if you would like to stop by for a cuppa and a chat, you would be more than welcome.

Sarah looks forward to seeing you.



Attendance

Whole School : Week ending 24/06/2016 -96.77%

Government satisfactory Attendance for a pupil is 95%.

YR - 95.72%

Y3 - 96.87%

YR/1 - 95.99%

Y4 - 96.47%

Y1/2 - 96.86%

Y5 - 97.35%

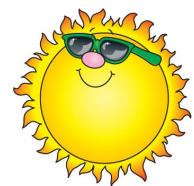
Y2 - 97.61%

Y6 - 97.25 %

Well Done to Year 2 with 97.61% attendance.

Thank you for your support in helping to reach our attendance target. Attendance is very important to every child's learning and we look forward to continuing to improve our attendance figures.

FOSHA NEWS



Saturday 9th July
11am - 2pm

Our annual summer fayre is fast approaching and we are looking for lots of help and donations please.

If you could spare some time to help with the setting up / running of a stall, please do let us know as soon as possible. The fayre is always such a fun event with lots of happy children!

We would love donations towards the fayre please :-

Teddy bears

Chocolates

Biscuits

Toys

Books



All donations can be handed into the office.

THANK YOU

