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Despite the mixed weather this week, the arrival of daffodils around school has definitely made us feel that Spring is on the way! That theme has continued throughout school with egg-citing activities, such as our very popular Easter disco. As always, we have been blown away by the creative entries in our Decorated Easter Egg competition. Whenever we think that every topic has previously been explored, our SJS children always find original ideas to impress us with!

After all that egg-citement, we are all definitely ready for our Easter break. We hope that the sun shines and you all enjoy spending time with family and friends. We look forward to seeing you on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April, ready to start our Summer term!



### SJS STARS OF THE WEEK

- Y3MR: Henry Warren
- Y3SK: Archie Jackson
- Y3CB: Charlie Cleaver
- Y4KT: Matilda McGhee
- Y4OS: George Griggs
- Y5CH: Alfred Robinson
- Y5GG: Theo Green
- Y5CS: Mason Cordon
- Y6ER: Cadie Berry
- Y6RD: James Reed
- Y6SS: Max Wilson

Mr Tee: Lottie Siddall  
Mrs Woods: Lola Green  
Attendance & Punctuality: Dante Attard

Cedarwood Yard: Jack Bishop  
Ball Games Yard: Harley Steel  
Dining Hall: Maggie Jones

### PE TIMETABLE

Each week, please ensure your child wears appropriate PE kit to school on their class' PE day.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Y3CB + Maths Y6ER	Y3SK + Maths Y3MR Y6RD	Y4OS Y5GG	Y4KT Y5CH	Y5CS Y6SS

### THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT

We have been overwhelmed by the generosity of local retailers who have sponsored our Easter competition and would like to thank:

Co-op  
Spar  
Dransfield Properties Ltd

Trek Bikes  
Raffina Coffee & Kitchen  
Bridge Bakery  
Pontis Italian Kitchen

Martyn Kemp Opticians  
EE  
John Crawshaw  
Live & Learn Consultancy



## EASTER EGG COMPETITION WINNERS

Every year, the creative entries for our Easter egg competition never fail to impress us. Well done to all children who entered and thank you to parents for supporting your child with this special event in school. Congratulations to this year's winners:

### YEAR 3

Thea Cooke with Enegg  
 Ciara Cooke with Wednesday Addams  
 Archie Jackson with Stocksbridge RUFC  
 Theo Emson-Brown with Viking Eggsplores  
 Harriet Tibbles with Jeggy Fish Party  
**Overall Winner - Lilla Hall with Easter bonnet**

### YEAR 4

Henry Hollis with Mini Eggs  
 Marcie Anderson with You Must Be Yolking  
 Sophia Watkinson with Egghallow Superstore  
 Charlie Beebee-George with McDonalds  
 Matilda McGhee with Mr Burns  
 Lucy Mahon with Egg Spa  
 Bella Harkness with Egg Spelliamus!  
 Violet Horsfield with Frogs  
 Jake Wragg with South Pole  
 Mia Reasbeck with Wonka Bar  
**Overall Winner - Martha Trail with Little Eggs Big Creams**

### YEAR 5

Isla McGrail with Gladiegtors  
 Alana Platts with Welcome to Cannon Egg Farm  
 Ben Lycett with Eggsploring Space  
**Overall Winner - Casey Randall with Eggs with a touch of Hocus Pocus**

### YEAR 6

Priya Marshall with The Egg-Cutioner  
 Phoebe Silvester with Six  
 Lottie Siddall - Y6ER Charlie & the 'Egg' Factory  
 William Price with Ice Cream  
 Chester Parsons with Danger Spiders  
 Cadie-Leigh Berry with Hocus Pocus  
**Overall Winner - Kate Blake with Wonka Golden Ticket**



## INCLUSIVE SCHOOL SPORTS FESTIVAL

Last week, a group of pupils took part in the annual Inclusive School Sports Festival at Stocksbridge High School, where children from all schools in the locality come together to celebrate the joy of sports, camaraderie, and diversity. From traditional team sports like volleyball and cricket to less well-known activities like boccia and curling, there is something for everyone to participate in and enjoy in a supportive environment. During the festival, pupils cheered each other on, offered high-fives and words of encouragement, celebrating every victory, big or small. It's a reminder that in sports, as in life, we are stronger together.

A big well done to all the children who took part!



## GIRLS FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT

Look out for the following report in Look Local!



On Monday 26<sup>th</sup> March, Stocksbridge Junior School proudly hosted an exciting girls' football tournament, bringing together talented young players from across the local area. The event was a resounding success, showcasing the skills and sportsmanship of the participating teams.

The tournament featured four outstanding schools: Stocksbridge Junior School, Deepcar St John's, Malin Bridge Primary School, and Shooters Grove Primary School. Each team displayed remarkable dedication, teamwork, and a genuine love for the sport.

The matches were played with great enthusiasm and a competitive spirit, as the girls poured their hearts into every kick and tackle. The event provided a fantastic opportunity for the young athletes to showcase their talents and learn from one another.

Stocksbridge Junior School would like to extend its gratitude to all the participating teams for their exceptional performances and for embodying the values of fair play and respect. The school is incredibly proud of the girls' achievements and commends their hard work and commitment to the game.



The success of this tournament would not have been possible without the support of the parents and spectators who cheered on the players throughout. Their enthusiasm and encouragement played a crucial role in creating a vibrant and exciting atmosphere.

Stocksbridge Junior School is honoured to have hosted such a remarkable event and looks forward to hosting the boys' tournament after the Easter holidays to celebrate the talent and passion of young athletes in the local community.

## MENU FOR W/B MONDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> APRIL

WEEK 1	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>MAIN DISH</b>	Sausage and creamy mashed potatoes served with gravy	Spaghetti bolognese served with garlic bread	Roast Gammon served with mashed potato, Yorkshire pudding and gravy	Chicken tikka masala served with rice	Battered fish and chips served with chunky chips and tomato ketchup
<b>VEGETARIAN MAIN DISH</b>	Tomato and basil pasta bake served with crusty bread	Creamy butternut squash pasta	Roast Quorn fillet served with mashed potatoes	Quorn chilli served with rice	Cheese pinwheel served with chunky chips and tomato ketchup
<b>ACCOMPANIMENTS</b> <span style="border: 1px solid black; border-radius: 50%; padding: 2px;">5 A DAY</span>	Garden Peas & carrots Salad Bar	Sweetcorn Salad Bar	Cauliflower and cabbage Salad Bar	Steamed Broccoli Salad Bar	Mushy peas Baked Beans Salad bar
<b>DESSERTS</b>	Carrot cake <span style="border: 1px solid black; border-radius: 50%; padding: 2px;">5 A DAY</span>	Chocolate brownie	Lemon shortbread <span style="border: 1px solid black; border-radius: 50%; padding: 2px;">5 A DAY</span>	Ice cream	Fruit in jelly <span style="border: 1px solid black; border-radius: 50%; padding: 2px;">5 A DAY</span>
<b>FRESH FRUIT OR YOGHURT</b>	Fresh fruit or yoghurt	Fresh fruit or yoghurt	Fresh fruit or yoghurt	Fresh fruit or yoghurt	Fresh fruit or yoghurt
<b>JACKET POTATO AND STREET FOOD</b>	Jacket potato	Jacket potato	Jacket potato	Jacket potato Chicken curry wrap served with rice	Jacket potato

### EVENTS COMING UP...

April 15 Read Around the World: Set off on your journey towards your 5 <sup>th</sup> Destination	16 Y6 Boys Football League Comp @ SJS	17 Y3 Kingswood Family Thrive Session 1	18 Y3 Kingswood	19 Y3 Kingswood
April 22 Family Thrive Session 2	23	24 Professional Photographer Day	25	26
April 29	30	May 1 Family Thrive Session 3 Family Intervention Service Parent Workshop	2	3
May 6 Bank Holiday	7	8 Family Thrive Session 4	9	10
May 13 SATs Week	14 SATs Week Read Around the World: Earliest arrival at your 5th destination	15 SATs Week	16 SATs Week Census Day	17
May 20	21 Swimming Gala	22 Family Thrive Session 5	23	24 Non-Uniform Day (£1)

For events further ahead, please check our [school calendar](#) on our website.

**Family Communication Seminar**  
**Wednesday 1st May 2024**  
**1.30pm - 3.00pm**  
**Stocksbridge Junior School**  
Cedar Road, Sheffield, S36 1AS

A practical seminar for parents and carers of school aged children. Why communication quality matters to your child's education and how to create the best relationship environment for your children. This seminar covers the following helpful topics:

- Setting a good example for your child.
- Home and school environments – how to help your child.
- What we do and say – the difference it can make.
- Learn simple effective skills of being assertive to improve communication in your relationships



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