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Y3/4 Tatton Park Trip

Next Wednesday Y3/4 are visiting Tatton Park as part of their History studies. They will be taking part in a pre-historic Britain workshop, learning to make fire and live like a Stone Age Briton. Pictures to follow next week.

Parking

East Avenue residents have been in touch to ask that parents please be considerate when dropping off and collecting children. In particular, we urge everyone to avoid parking on the zig-zag lines and to avoid blocking anyone's driveways.

Fundraising Fun

Y3/4 have their sponsored welly walk and Y5 have their sponsored park run today to raise funds to be spent on classroom essentials throughout the year. Thank you very much for all of your generous contributions. The children have great fun on these activities and the money raised is really helpful. More classes will be undertaking their sponsored activities next week. Please do not feel obliged to contribute if money is tight but thank you to all who are able to chip in.

Move Stockport

Life Leisure are championing a September campaign to get children moving every day. We know that many of our children are very active but many more would benefit hugely from more physical activity, more often. Click the <u>link</u> for more info on how to get your children moving move.



PTA (Parent-Teachers' Association)

Our brilliant PTA is in need of new recruits. The PTA work to raise funds for the school to spend on resources, experiences and enrichment for the children. They are a great bunch and would hugely appreciate further help from any parents who could spare a little time to help. If you are interested, please contact pta@etchells.stockport.sch.uk



Reading

The best thing we can do for our children after loving them is to get them into books. Research shows that as a predictor of future success (both in terms of happiness and adult earnings) being an enthusiastic, habitual reader is a bigger deal than just about anything, including even parental income. These are a few of our new book purchases that your child might enjoy.



If there are are any books your children would like us to consider adding to our school library, please let us know.

School Grid

School Grid is our online system for ordering your child's school dinner. A small number of people are forgetting to place orders. This can leave children unable to get a dinner choice that they are happy with and can cause problems for our kitchen staff who do not have accurate numbers. Please ensure you order a meal for your child every day. Should you need any help

with the app, please contact the school office.



Attendance

Here are the top three classes this week for attendance. Well done to 5KC for having the highest attendance this week.

Class	Attendance
5KC	99.1%
3/4TL	98.8%
6W	97.9%

Please look at the School Hall window to see a full list of classes attendance this week.

Macmillan Coffee Morning

We will be hosting our annual Macmillan Coffee Morning on Friday 26th September. All (nut-free) baked contributions are much appreciated but if you can't bake, just come along and have a brew and a slice of cake! All funds raised go to support this great cause.



Kind regards,

Stuart Kelly

and the Etchells staff