



Strawberry Fields Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been a busy week in school with the multiplications tables check taking place for children in Year 4 and the phonics screening check taking place for children in year 1. We are so proud of how the children have approached the checks with confidence and a real 'can do' attitude.

The children across Years 3 and 4 have been reading 'The Iron Man' by Ted Hughes in English. The quality of writing has been exceptional as has the incredible cityscape which they created this week bringing the text alive:



Have a great week,
Mrs Mumby

Fidgets and Items from Home

We have an increasing number of children who are bringing fidget toys and other items from home. Unless it is written into a child's personal learning plan, or agreed by the teacher, please do not allow your child to bring any such items from home, as they are very distracting and interrupt the learning

in the classroom. Any items, which have not been identified as a need for a child, will be confiscated.

FOSF Friends of Strawberry Fields News

Next year, the FOSF (Friends of Strawberry Fields) will be down to 3 members and if they are unable to get more volunteers, they may not be able to continue to offer current opportunities, such as the Halloween disco, film night, Christmas fair or Easter activities. These events also raise lots of money to help provide pupils with opportunities and experiences in school. If you would like to be involved, please email fosfmail@gmail.com

FRIENDS OF STRAWBERRY FIELDS

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

WAYS TO GET INVOLVED

- EVENT PLANNING
- HELPING ON STALLS OR AT EVENTS
- MAKING ITEMS FOR EVENTS
- CONTACTING EXTERNAL COMPANIES
- BUYING ITEMS FOR EVENTS

JOIN OUR TEAM

Join our team and help to create opportunities for all pupils at the school and lasting memories! Other family members welcome!

If interested, please email: fosfmail@gmail.com

Plus many more volunteers.....



Local Fundraising Event



Overhead Projector

Many thanks to Mr Hara for the donation of a projector this week. We are still on the lookout for two overhead projectors. If you work in an office or workplace where you have one gathering dust in the corner, please do consider donating it to our

school where we will ensure it receives a new lease of life!



Achievement Assembly

Congratulations to the following children who received Superstar Learner certificates in today's Achievement Assembly. We are very proud of them!

F2 Blue – Well done to Sophie

F2 Red – Well done to Freya

1 JL – Well done to C'Moura

1/2 CE – Well done to Ted

2 AS – Well done to Khyel

3 CB – Well done to Brooke

3/4 JH – Jaxon D

4 DS – Well done to the whole class

5 BM – Well done to Ava-Grace

5/6 LB – Well done to Ollie

6 LH – Well done to Woody

Headteacher Award – Well done to Freddie M in 3CB and Khalen in 4DS

Citizen of the Week – Well done to Layla in 3CB

Presentation to be proud of:

1 JL – Well done to Ronnie

1/2CE – Well done to Ava G

2 AS – Well done to Kayla

3 CB – Well done to Myla L

3/4 JH – Well done to Jaxon A

4 DS – Well done to Eden

5BM – Well done to Eleanor K

5/6LB – Well done to Evie T

6LH – Well done to Jacob D

Attendance

We encourage good attendance at all times and know that if children attend well, they achieve well. Our school target is 96%. We strive to support all families in meeting and exceeding this target for all of our children, to ensure they grow socially, emotionally and academically.

Our attendance table this week:

CLASS	ATTENDANCE
F2 Blue	92.08%
F2 Red	99.44%
1JL	98.67%
1/2CE	96.67%
2AS	93%
3CB	97.69%
3/4JH	93.7%
4DS	98.39%
5BM	99.33%
5/6LB	95.67%
6LH	97.99%
Whole School	95.87%

Diary Dates

JUNE

Wednesday 17th	New to F1 Parent Information Evening
Monday 22nd	Beth Woollvin author visit
Tuesday 23rd	Whole school transition morning
Tuesday 23rd	EYFS Sports Day (PM)
Wednesday 24th	KS1 Sports Day (AM)
Wednesday 24th	KS2 Sports Day (PM)
Thursday 25th	EYFS Sports Day (AM)
Friday 26th	Year 5 Sleepover

Tuesday 30th	Local Governing Board Meeting
JULY	
Thursday 2nd	Whole school transition morning
Tuesday 7th	Y3/4 Murton Park Trip
Wednesday 8th	Y3/4 Murton Park Trip
Wednesday 8th	1.45pm Y5/6 Production
Thursday 9th	6pm Y5/6 Production
Thursday 9th –	British Library poetry workshop Y4/5
Friday 10th	
Friday 10th	FOSF Summer Fayre
Monday 13th	Whole school transition morning
Thursday 16th	6pm Y6 Prom
Friday 17th	Leaver's Assembly
Monday 20th	INSET Day
Tuesday 21st	INSET Day

SUMMER HOLIDAY WEDNESDAY 22nd JULY –

FRIDAY 28TH AUGUST

BANK HOLIDAY - MONDAY 31ST AUGUST

INSET Days 2026/27

Tuesday 1st September 2026
 Friday 23rd October 2026
 Friday 18th December 2026
 Monday 4th January 2027
 Thursday 22nd July 2027

Lunchtime Menus for Week Beginning 15th June 2026

WEEK 2	 MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Main dish	Cheese pizza naan with diced potatoes	BBQ Chicken with rice	Pork sausage with potato wedges	Roast pork with creamy mash and gravy	Fishcake and chips
Vegetarian Main dish	Quorn dippers with diced potatoes	Sweet potato cheese puff pastry	Cajun Quorn pasta	Quorn chicken pie	Cheesy Bean Bake
Sandwich Selection	Tuna bap	Ham wrap	Turkey bap	Pork baguette	Cheese Sandwich
Jacket potato	Topping of tuna mayo, beans or cheese	Topping of tuna mayo, beans or cheese	Topping of tuna mayo, beans or cheese	N/A	Topping of tuna mayo, beans or cheese
Accompaniments	Homemade bread Seasonal vegetables Salad bar	Homemade bread Seasonal vegetables Salad bar	Homemade bread Seasonal vegetables Salad bar	Homemade bread Sweetcorn/carrots	Homemade bread Seasonal vegetables Salad bar
Desserts	Lemon sponge	Oaty Biscuit	Chocolate orange muffin	Ice cream	Fruit crumble and custard
Fresh fruit or yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt/Jelly	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt/Jelly	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt/Jelly	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt/Jelly	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt/Jelly

WEEK 2 / Summer Term 1



KEEP FIT AND ACTIVE

KEY

1 OF YOUR 5 A DAY

A WORLD OF...

Allergens and Intolerances
All of our food is lovingly hand crafted and prepared on site daily. We have an allergen procedure in place, so please ensure you make our catering team aware of your allergens/ your child's allergens prior to using the restaurant.

Strawberry Fields

Learning together, building the future.

A

Achieve

Striving for excellence in all that we do.

B

Belong

Creating a welcoming environment where every student fits in.

C

Care

Looking after one another and our school community.



HOME INFORMATION



June's Musician of the Month

BUENA VISTA *Social Club*



About: Buena Vista Social Club was a musical ensemble primarily made up of Cuban musicians, formed in 1996. The project was organised by World Circuit executive Nick Gold, produced by American guitarist Ry Cooder and directed by Juan de Marcos González. They named the group after the members' club of the same name in the Buenavista quarter of Havana, a popular music venue in the 1940s. They recruited a dozen veteran musicians, some of whom had been retired for many years.

Genres: Son cubano, bolero and danzón

Active from: 1996-2015

Books to read...

If you like Buena Vista Social Club, try...



- Eliades Ochoa
- NG La Banda
- Omara Portuondo