



SVPS Headlines



Parent Phone Calls [Instead of Parents' Evening]

A reminder that over the next two weeks your child's teacher will be giving you a ring to talk about how your child has settled back into school life since lockdown, talk about homework, talk about our new Class Charts Parent App, how your child got on with our baseline tests we have just completed and a general catch up. Please do not worry or be concerned if your child may have seemed to have 'slipped' a little. This will be only natural with so many months without full time schooling. We will endeavour to bring everyone back up to where they should be ASAP.

If for any reason you are unable to answer your teacher will re-arrange a time for after ½ term.



History Day Reminder

History Day will be on **Friday 16th October** for **Years 2, 3, 4 and 5**.

Year 1 will be on **Wednesday 14th October**.

Year 6 will be on **Wednesday 4th November**.

On this day, your child will be completing lots of exciting history activities. They are also invited to dress up according to the period in history that they are studying. Please refer to individual year group letters for more details.

Click below for the
letter page

[History Day - Year 6](#)

[History Day - Year 5](#)

[History Day - Year 4](#)

[History Day - Year 3](#)

[History Day - Year 2](#)

[History Day - Year 1](#)

Class Charts – Have you Activated?

Thank you to all who have downloads and set up your Parent Class Charts App. There are now only a small handful who haven't yet logged in.



School Dinner Menu

You will have received an updated school dinner menu via your email. You can also access the new menu by clicking [here](#).

Life Savers

Dear Parents & Carers,

Unfortunately, due to the current Covid-19 restrictions within school we are no longer able to offer the Lifesavers Saving Club facility. Information on how to access your funds is available at www.lifesavers.co.uk/accessing-my-childs-money.

A Microsoft Word version of the withdrawal form has been sent to your emails. This should make it easier for you to complete and email to Gloucestershire Credit Union.

Many thanks,

Mr Clayton

***** Bikeability – Class 14 *****

A reminder to all **CLASS 14 – Mr. Bradley**. Next week you have your Bikeability. Please **WALK** your bikes round to your classroom where Mr. Bradley will let you know where your bikes need to go.

Leaving your bikes in school over night.

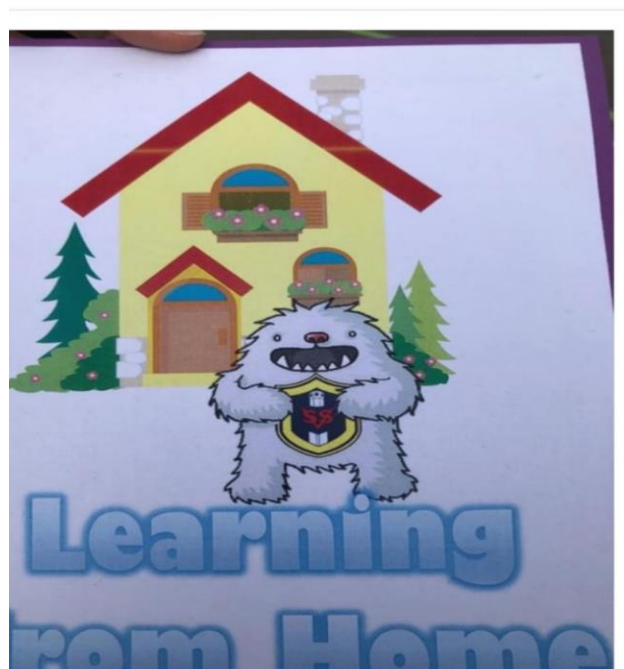
You are more than welcome to leave your child's bike in school overnight. The bikes will be stored outside so a towel to wipe down the saddle might be a good idea. If your child brings a lock to school they will be responsible for remembering the code...or the key.

Thanks all

Mr. Bradley

Learning From Home Exercise Books

Hopefully all the children will have brought home a purple 'Learning From Home Exercise Book.' Initially these books will be used while children/families are awaiting COVID test results or their class bubble has had to close. Hopefully this doesn't happen at SVPS, but to make sure your child(ren) are continuing their learning at home we have decided that a physical exercise book is the best way to keep track of their learning. Sending in work via email...etc can get a bit confusing even for the most tech savvy people. Lastly, please keep these safe...away from the paws of inquisitive dogs...etc and should your family need to self-isolate we will speak directly with you to make sure you know what your child needs to do. If you do have 5 mins then please [click here](#) and read our COVID Home Learning Policy.



Thanks all, we are all doing a great job keeping safe and well. Follow the Government rules and hopefully we can keep the classes open all year round.

Mr. Mills – Headteacher

FRIENDS OF SWINDON
VILLAGE PRIMARY SCHOOL



MEETING

14TH OCTOBER 2020, 7.30PM VIA ZOOM

The Friends (the PTA) are parents, grandparents, teachers and supporters of the school who raise money to support SVPS and its pupils. Over the last 5 years we've raised over £70,000 towards that goal!

We are always keen to welcome new members or volunteers so why not join us at our latest meeting?

It's a Zoom meeting, so if you would like to attend, please email chairfosvps@gmail.com and we'll send you a link.

We look forward to seeing you!

P.S. Don't forget to BYOB (Bring Your Own Biscuits!)



Did you know that you can raise money for the school when you shop with AmazonSmile and it won't cost you a penny? When you shop at smile.amazon.co.uk Amazon will donate to Friends of Swindon Village Primary School. With Prime Day (and Christmas) coming there's never been a better time...

HALLOWEEN

DRESS-UP DAY

FRIDAY 23RD OCTOBER 2020



£1 per child

(PRICE INCLUDES A SWEET TREAT)



N.B. FACE PAINT IS ALLOWED
BUT **NO** MASKS/GUNS/SWORDS

ALSO AVAILABLE ON THE DAY...

HALLOWEEN GOODY BAGS

£2 each