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The Big Pedal

Over the next two weeks we are participating in the Big Pedal initiative.

This is a national initiative with all the participating schools having the chance to win prizes for their schools.

At the beginning of each day for the next two weeks each class will count the number of children who have come to school on their bikes or scooters and this will go towards our school total. Adults cycling or scootering to school with their children are included in the count as well.

The school total will be updated daily by Mr Smith on the Big Pedal website and we could be in with a chance of winning some prizes for the school.

Red Nose Day – Friday 24 March

Thank you to all the parents and pupils who bought red noses from the school last week – despite doubling our stock this year we sold out in just 4 days.

For those parents and pupils who missed out on a red nose it is possible to

buy them from Sainsbury's supermarkets.

On Friday we will be encouraging the pupils and staff to support the Red Nose Day charity by paying £1.00 to wear something red to school. Participating children do not need to wear their school uniform.

FOSS EGM

Thank you to the parents who attended the recent FOSS EGM. I'm pleased to say that we now have sufficient parents willing to be on the Committee.

The minutes of the meeting will be distributed along with this newsletter.

The new committee are already busy organising their first fundraising event, a children's disco which will be held at the end of the school day on Friday 21 April 2017, and will be in touch with parents shortly.

Easter Assembly at St Andrew's Church – Wednesday 29 March

We will be celebrating Easter during a special Easter assembly at St Andrew's Church in Sutton on Wednesday 29 March 2017.

We will be leaving for the church straight after morning registration and will be returning to school at about 11:00am.

If you are able to walk with us to and from the church please do let your child's class teacher know.

The church is often chilly inside despite the spring-like weather we've been having so please do make sure your child has a warm waterproof coat with them on Wednesday.

Easter School Lunch

We will be having a special Easter School lunch on Thursday 30 March 2017. The meal will be:

Roast Pork, stuffing, roast potatoes and a selection of vegetables

Hot Cross Bun or a chocolate crispy nest

Unfortunately it is now too late to book for this meal. As this is a pre-booked meal, it will not be possible to supply a pupil with a cooked lunch on that day unless they have been booked in.

Calculation Policy

Our Calculation Policy is now finished and available to parents by going to the school website www.sutton.cambs.sch.uk

- Click on the Policies tab
- Click on Curriculum
- The link to the policy is at the bottom of the page

We are also sending out a paper copy of the policy to every family with this Newsletter.

School Uniform

We have been contacted by Brigade, the suppliers of our school uniform, to inform us of a slight price increase in their products. When placing an order for uniform you will notice a small increase in the price of all items. If you have any questions, please contact the school office.

Sainsbury's Active Kids Vouchers

Active Kids is back! We are now collecting the Active Kids Vouchers from Sainsbury's until 2 May 2017. We can exchange the vouchers for sports and cooking equipment for our school.

Please ask your friends and families who shop at Sainsbury's for their support too! The more vouchers we collect, the more equipment we can order for FREE! Every voucher makes a difference!

You can deposit vouchers in the box outside the school office or simply hand in to your child's teacher.

Cambridge Music Festival

This took place at The Perse School on Sunday 12 March. The soloists all performed really confidently, with Megan Davis achieving success by coming joint first in the 'Descant 10 and under Class'. She also won the treble class.

The Sutton Primary Recorder Group played in the Ensemble Class and came a very close second, just 1 point behind

the winners. They were praised by the judges for performing their pieces with real musicality.

Peterborough Music Festival.

This year this event took place in the Peterborough Key Theatre on Thursday 17 March. There were several successes for the pupils:

Elizabeth Chudleigh won the descant Elementary and Grade 1 Class.

Megan Davis came joint first in the Treble Grade 4/5 Class.

William Bradley with Josh Rhodes and Hope Lewis with Abigail Freeman took part in the recorder duet class and both pairs gained a distinction for their performances.

Sutton Primary Recorders also gained a distinction in the Ensemble Class and won both the Class and the cup!

Well done to everyone who took part across the two festivals.

Cambridgeshire Catering Services

A leaflet will be coming home today from CCS (Cambridgeshire Catering Services). They are recruiting mobile catering staff to work in various schools in the local area. If you are interested in applying for a position please contact them at www.publicsectorjobseast.co.uk or 01480 372359.

School Contact Details

You can contact the school in a number of ways:

1. By speaking to your child's classteacher
2. By telephone: 01353 778 351
3. By email: office@sutton.cambs.sch.uk
4. If you just need to check out some information use our new website: www.sutton.cambs.sch.uk

Spring Term 2017

Wednesday 22 March – Governors' Teaching and Learning Committee
Friday 24 March – Red Nose Day
Wednesday 29 March – Easter Assembly at St Andrew's Church
Thursday 30 March – Music Exams for identified pupils
Friday 31 March – Music Concert
Friday 31 March – End of Term

Summer Term 2017

Our Summer Term will start on **Wednesday 19 April 2017** for all pupils.

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