



Friday 11th May 2018

Week 4

Congratulations to this week's winners of The House Point Cup

Please [click here](#) for all the latest news on the website.

On the 8th May eighty-three years ago, Mr Burges and Miss Hanson opened the doors to welcome the first 11 pupils to Staines Prep. Each year we celebrate Founders Day in honour of Mr Burges and Miss Hanson; the future Mrs Burges. This year the children were treated to celebratory biscuits.

Year 4 English Competition

On Tuesday 1st May, selected Year 4 pupils attended Greenfield School in Woking, where they took part in an English competition.

The children had an enjoyable afternoon competing against other prep schools in the area. Activities included solving anagrams, a spelling bee and creative writing.

The competition was very close, with Staines Prep coming fourth against 12 other teams. The children were awarded certificates and a well-deserved prize for their efforts.

Well done to the following children: Riyana C, Daya J, Matilda L and Olivia S.

An email to our current Years 3, 4 and 5 has been sent home about our planned Ski Trip in 2019. Please email Mrs Rivers by Monday 15th May if you would like your child to go on this exciting trip. [Click here](#) to see what our pupils got up to during this year's trip.

Orchestra Day

On Friday 18th May, we are hosting an Orchestra Day. Our own Orchestra will be taking part and we have invited musicians in Years 3-6 from all local primary schools to join us. It starts at 12.30pm and culminates in a concert for parents at 3.45pm. If you know a child from a local school who would be interested in taking part please ask them to contact Mrs Rivers via secretary@stainesprep.co.uk

We hope that the warm weather is here to stay. Please remember to apply sunscreen to your child before school and send your child in with named sunscreen, a hat and a water bottle. We have facilities to fill the bottles up.

Outside School Activities and Achievements

A reminder to parents that we would love to hear all about your achievements outside of school. Please email a photo and description to Mrs Rivers and we will endeavour to include the item on the Celebration Wall.

Upcoming events

Tuesday 15th May

Drama Workshop Reception - Year 2 (all day)
Orchestra visit to Daybreak

Wednesday 16th May

Class photographs
[2MW Class Assembly 8.50am Burges Hall](#)

Friday 18th May

Royal Wedding Breakfast – Mufti – Red / White / Blue
Orchestra Day 12.30pm – 4.15pm
The Friends AGM 7pm – 9pm Burges Hall

Sports Fixtures

Wednesday 16th May

U11 (AB) Rounders HOME v Coworth Flexlands 2.40pm

Thursday 17th May

U8 (AB) Cricket AWAY v Rokeby 2.15pm

U9 (BC) Rounders HOME v Danesfield Manor 2.40pm

Friday 18th May

U11 (AB) Cricket AWAY v The Mall 2.15pm

Thank you to parents who came to our 10+ meeting. We hope you found the session informative.

Class photographs and the Year 6 group photograph will be taken on Wednesday. Please ensure your child is in full summer uniform with their yellow blazer.

The children at SPS had asked the Friends back in March if it was possible to have a gift room for male relatives near Father's day. We have never been able to find enough gifts to warrant us being able to organise this. However, this year we have pulled out all the stops to try and accommodate the children's request. We are proud to announce that next month there will indeed be a gift room for male relatives. It will be held on Thursday 14th June. More information will follow.

Friday 18th May 7.00pm – Friends AGM

Cheese and wine in the Burges Hall

Thursday 14th June – Friends Gifting Room - School Library.

30th June – Sports Day Friends Summer Event.

thefriends@stainesprep.co.uk

It is Music Week 2



SPS Menu Week Commencing Monday 14th May

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Main course	Lamb moussaka	Chorizo & pork pasta	Turkey burger tomato relish & salad	Chicken curry with prawn crackers	Tempura battered fish with homemade tartare sauce
Vegetarian	Butterbean stew	Courgette, red onion & tomato pasta	Vegetable burger with salad	Chickpea & lentil casserole	Broccoli & stilton quiche
Vegetables	Greek style roasted vegetables Green peas	Cauliflower cheese Baby carrots	Sweetcorn Green beans	Steamed carrots Broccoli florets	Baked beans Mushy peas
Carbohydrate	Herbed new potatoes Jacket potatoes	Penne pasta Jacket potatoes	Potato wedges Jacket potatoes	Coriander rice Jacket potatoes	Oven chipped potatoes Jacket potatoes
Salad Bar	Chef's salads Cold meats, tuna and cheese	Chef's salads Cold meats, smoked mackerel, egg and cheese	Chef's salads Cold meats, tuna and cottage cheese	Chef's salads Cold meats, hummus, egg and cheese	Chef's salads Cold meats, egg and cheese
Sides	Selection of homemade bread	Selection of homemade bread	Selection of homemade bread	Selection of homemade bread	Selection of homemade bread
Sweet	Belgian waffles with syrup Yogurt or fresh fruit	Cranberry & pumpkin seed flapjack Yogurt or fresh fruit	Vanilla panna cotta Yogurt or fresh fruit	Chocolate shortbread Yogurt or fresh fruit	Pear & cherry crumble Yogurt or fresh fruit