



Friday 9th February 2018

Congratulations to this week's **Week 5** winners of The House Point Cup

Green - Pre Prep (Nursery-Reception)
Blue - Lower School (Year 1 and Year 2)
Red - Upper School (Year 3 to Year 6)
Black - General information for the whole school



Gong Xi Fa Cai 16th February 2018

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*Staines Preparatory School
Inaugural Founders Day Ball
Friday 27th April
The Runnymede Hotel
Tickets on sale [here](#)
Guest Speaker Mr Graham Gooch OBE
First-class English Cricketer
Former Essex and England Captain
We hope you will join us*

Thank you to all the children who brought their money in for our Mufti Day. We have raised £340 for Winston's Wish. There are some fantastic "crazy" hair styles!

Thank you to Anika G who played the piano and sang her own composition during assembly this week. It was a wonderful performance.

Thank you to the parents who attended our E-Safety workshop this week. We hope you found the session very informative regarding keeping your children safe online. The presentation and associated flyers can be found on your child's eSchools page.

We are looking forward to welcoming you to the Upper and Lower School Celebration Afternoons after Half-Term.

The Celebration Afternoon schedule is as follows:

Tuesday 20 th February	2.30pm – 3.20pm	Years 1 and 2
	3.00pm – 4.00pm	Year 6
Wednesday 21 st February	2.30pm – 3.15pm	Reception
	3.00pm – 4.00pm	Years 3, 4, and 5

Nursery parents have been invited to Stay and Play sessions.

Congratulations to Karthik K who won the SPS Chess Tournament which acts as a qualifier for the Delancey UK Schools Chess Challenge 2018, and to Rishan T who was the leading Yr 3-4 player.

Congratulations to Pavan P and Nia M for their Grade 1 Piano award and to Matilda L for her Grade 1 Drama award.

Congratulations to Zaid A, Sanjit K, Ishita K, Daya J, Mia L and Lara K for being awarded their 10 Merit Certificates this week.

Upcoming Important Dates
Half Term Monday 12th – Friday 16th February
Monday 19th – Thursday 22nd February
 Nursery Stay and Play
Tuesday 20th and Wednesday 21st February
 Celebration Afternoons
Friday 23rd February
 Year 1 local walk to the Elmsleigh Centre

Sports Fixtures
Monday 19th February
 U9 (ABC) Hockey v Weston Green HOME 2.30pm
Tuesday 20th February
 U8 (AB) Hockey v St George's Weybridge AWAY 4.15
Wednesday 21st February
 U11 (AB) Hockey v Twickenham Prep HOME 2.40pm
Friday 23rd February
 U11 (ABC) Hockey v Weston Green HOME 2.30pm

Unfortunately due to lack of ticket sales it is regretful that the Friends have to cancel the pamper evening on the 23rd February. It's a shame that this fun event cannot take place as a number of therapist had been booked include reflexology, reiki, facials, Indian head massage, mini manicures, hypnotherapy, tarot card reading and threading and waxing. This has been a popular event in the past.

A number of events are organised for the parents during the year. All of these raise vital funds and bring the school community together. They allow the children to have those added extra experiences at school (there will be many of you who still remember their own school Christmas fairs and discos etc.) and allow the school to purchase those special things that enhance the school day.

We would greatly value your feedback on what events you enjoy and which ones you wouldn't attend and why. This will enable us to focus our efforts on other fundraising events. Please email us at thefriends@stainesprep.co.uk

As we embark on half term we are looking towards Easter, look out for details about the ever popular Easter activities coming soon. If you have any time or skills you can give however big or small just let us know. Without you these things cannot happen.

It is Music Week 1

We hope you have a wonderful half term



SPS Menu Week Commencing Monday 19th February

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Main course	Pork chilli con carne with tortilla chips & sour cream	Breaded chicken with Katsu curry	Lamb lasagne	Moroccan chicken	Cod fishcakes
Vegetarian	Vegetable & blackeye bean stew	Quorn fillet Katsu curry	Macaroni cheese	Root vegetable tagine	Falafel with pitta bread
Vegetables	Sweetcorn savoy cabbage	Pepperonata baby carrots	green beans cauliflower	Broccoli mixed vegetables	Baked beans Garden peas
Carbohydrate	New potatoes jacket potatoes	Coriander rice Jacket potato	Garlic bread jacket potatoes	Cous cous jacket potatoes	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	Date & ginger cake Yogurt or fresh fruit	Mango creamy pots Yogurt or fresh fruit	Chocolate cake Yogurt or fresh fruit	Mini eclairs Yogurt or fresh fruit	Plum & syrup sponge Yogurt or fresh fruit