

WhatSAP?!

Weekly parent communication for the families of South Avenue Primary School



Bulletin No 4: Week Commencing Monday 23rd October 2020

Does your child start school September 2021 ?

For children starting school in September 2021 reception year applications are open and will close 15 January 2021.

<https://www.kent.gov.uk/education-and-children/schools/school-places>

- Extra layers - in the new term please send your child in with extra layers so we can keep our classrooms safe and well ventilated, don't worry our heating is on and layers can be removed if it gets too hot

Letters & Emails Home

If you are not receiving our emails, please email the school office on office@southavenue.kent.sch.uk and we will update your email address from the information provided. Please include your child's name and class within the email.

**Reminder — We return to school on Tuesday
5th January 2021**

Thank you to everyone who took part in our Children In Need Fundraising

£257.94 Raised for Children In Need



South Avenue's Star Readers!

Congratulations to the following children, who have all reached their AR points target this term!

Rose, Anvitha, Darasimi, Zachary, Landon & Harvey - Amber Class

Scarlett, Saxon, Sienna, Nicol, Robyn, Millie C, Hadley, Gabriela, Kye, Phoebe K, Frankie, Gracie May, Kamila, Sofiia, Lottie, Daisy, Jake, Phoebe S & Ben - Diamond Class

Logan, Blake, Mia, Connor, Muhammad, Emilia - Onyx Class

Patryk - Tanzanite Class

Emmy, Ethan C & Ryan P - Opal Class

Kara, Cian, Danny, Ryan P - Amethyst Class

Sainabou, Olivia, Diana Rose - Pearl Class

Oliver, Faith, Ella, Katie & Jessica - Ruby Class



Remember, you can see your child's progress with AR by logging into the home link (for instructions on how to set up the home link please [click here](#) For more information about Accelerated Reader please read our [Parent Information Brochure](#).

Key dates and reminders for your diary

Monday 4 January—Staff Development Day (no children)

Tuesday 5 January—Term 3 Begins (both Breakfast and After School Club available, please book online)

Tuesday 9 February—Internet Safety Day

Friday 12 February—Last Day of Term 3

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Miss Cadwallader, Acting Head of School



**National
Online
Safety**

National Online Safety gives a host of guides for parents to keep children safe online.

<https://nationalonlinesafety.com/guides>

Thank you for all kind
donations at Harvest time

All the food and supplies
went off to the Trussell
Trust. Have a look at the
wonderful work they do out
in the community
www.trusselltrust.org



Remembrance Day

We would like to share some of our lovely poppy displays from around the school. We held a 2 minute silence socially distanced under our special flag on Remembrance Day.



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Mrs Lofts School uniform wardrobe

Good quality school uniform and lots of coats are available from Mrs Lofts our FLO please send her a text on 07507 416621 with requests and she will get back to.

We know that lots of parents are struggling at the moment. Mrs Lofts is here in school to help you in many different areas, whether you need advice with finances or are feeling overwhelmed and need to chat Mrs Lofts has many contacts that she can call on to help and support you. *Sharing is caring*

Free school meals

If your circumstances have changed and you think your child may qualify for FSM entitlement please don't hesitate to get in contact with us by

Emailing :Office@southavenue.kent.sch.uk we will need your name, National Insurance number and date of birth. To check.



PE Timetable

Year R	Tuesday and Thursday		
Year 1	Tuesday	Year 2	Monday
Year 3	Thursday	Year 4	Wednesday
Year 5	Friday	Year 6	Friday



South Avenue Primary School Nativity

Well, the best laid plans of recording our Nativity were sadly hampered when we had to close our Year R bubble this week. Recording of Years 1 & 2 did go ahead and we are waiting for Year R to return in January when we will record their section. The DVD will then be produced and forwarded to those who have ordered and paid for them.

It just leaves us to say that at the end of what has been an exceptionally challenging year, we wish you all a Very Happy, Healthy Christmas and look forward to seeing you all in 2021!

Please go to <https://www.southavenue.kent.sch.uk/> and watch the staff challenge video.

We look forward to watching yours!



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