



Upton Primary Moving Times

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Upton-upon-Severn CofE Primary School and Riverboats Surestart Children's Centre
Working together to support the local community

Our School Vision is to offer inspiration to young lives 'Anything is possible, we can all succeed'

Bible quote for the week:

But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience.

Romans 8:25

WORKING TOGETHER AND OUR WEBSITE

As a school we pride ourselves on working with our parents to develop our learning environment so as to enhance the educational and emotional development of the children. If at any time you have any concerns please contact either the class teacher or book an appointment to see me through the school office. If something is not right we will work hard to rectify it. Our ethos throughout the school is 'We work together as a team'.

We would like to update our website and include comments from parents about our school. Please can you email these to Mrs Cooper in the school office:

office@upton-upon-severn.worcs.sch.uk

Please also give us your views on our Ofsted Parent View page at:

<https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk/login?destination=give-your-views>

READING

On a Friday afternoon our Year 6 class are supporting Reception with their reading development.

Both sets of children are gaining a great deal from this activity and it is proving to be most successful in enhancing their reading skills.

The Year 6 children can become confident in their role as 'Teacher' and the Reception children have a chance to read with one to one support.



ACADEMY UPDATE

The Hanley and Upton Educational Trust Academy (HUET), which we are working towards with Hanley Castle High School, is continuing to progress. There are now three Primary Schools involved in the process; ourselves, Hanley Swan St Gabriel's with St Mary's CofE Primary School and Kempsey Primary School. Hanley Swan and Kempsey are in the process of joining the Academy with an aim for it happening from 1st April 2017. This school is working towards joining the HUET in the near future.



HEADTEACHER'S AWARD

- Ellie Fielding and Evan Pretty for taking part in the World Women's Day Service
- Kai Bell for giving really clear directions
- Arthur Quinn, Louise Turton and Georgia May for outstanding maths work

They will be invited to a Headteacher's Tea Party

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Rags 2 Riches Collection

The Rags to Riches collection raised £88.56.
Thank you for your generous donations.

Storks Film Night (for children)

Friday 24th March, 6.00 pm to 7.30 pm

Bridget Jones's Baby Film Night (for adults)

Thursday 30th March, 8.00 pm

Car Boot Sale

Sunday 14th May - further details coming soon

FA COACHING SESSIONS

Following on from the very popular half-term soccer sessions on Spitalfield (delivered by the WFA Skills team) they are pleased to confirm that they will be running two more days on the same basis, over the Easter holiday, as follows:

Tuesday 18th and/or Wednesday 19th April
Boys and mixed sessions in the morning
Girls only session after lunch

These sessions are for children of primary school aged 5 to 11

Please follow the link below to book (the girls sessions are free of charge):

<http://faskills.thefa.com/SkillCentres/Worcester/WellendPavillion>

SCHOOL CHOIR

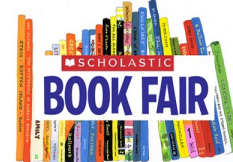
Our school choir will give an informal performance for their parents on Tuesday 21st March at 3.40 pm. Please come along.

PARENTS EVENING

Parents' Evening letters have been sent home in book bags today.

BOOK FAIR

Our Book Fair will be available in the school hall on both parent's evenings, for you to look round and purchase books.



MOTHERS DAY SERVICE



Our Mothers' Day Service will take place on Friday 24th March at 2.00 pm in the Upton Parish Church.

All are welcome to attend.

IMPORTANT SCHOOL DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Parents' Evenings	Tuesday 28th March 2017 and Thursday 30th March 2017
Easter Break	Monday 10th April 2017 to Friday 21st April 2017
Summer Term Starts	Monday 24th April 2017
May Day (Bank Holiday)	Monday 1st May 2017 (school closed)
Summer Half Term Break	Monday 29th May 2017 to Friday 2nd June 2017
Sports Day	Friday 16th June 2017
Summer Fete	Saturday 17th June 2017
Summer Term Ends	Friday 21st July 2017
TED Days (School closed)	Monday 4th and Tuesday 5th September 2017
Autumn Term Starts	Wednesday 6th September 2017
Autumn Half Term Break	Monday 23rd October to 27th October 2017

Thank you everyone from Mrs Julie Wills and the Upton Team