



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:

Sanctify them in the truth; your word is truth.

[John 17:17](#)

THE TEMPEST



On Thursday the children in Years 5 and 6 were lucky enough to watch the live screening of The Tempest straight from the RSC. This was a very special event for the children. This production was particularly special as it incorporated many special effects and CGI technology. Between scenes the children watched discussions with the cast and a Q&A session with questions from local schools.

In the afternoon the children took part in their own discussions about the play, they began to explore the script and do some acting of their own. It was a hugely enjoyable day and one we hope to repeat with future productions.

PETS AT HOME STORE OPENING

Today Year 5 went to the official store opening of the new Pets at Home store at the Malvern Retail Park.

Eze had won a competition to be the junior pet owner which meant, as a class, we all went to explore the brand new store. The children held Guinea Pigs and were able to see behind the scenes in their purpose-built on-site vets.

The children all had a great time and their excellent behaviour and questioning skills were commented on.



CELEBRATION OF LEARNING

We would like to invite parents into school to share their children's learning from this half-term on the following dates:

- Years 1 and 2 - Monday 3rd April at 2.45 pm
- Years 3 and 4 - Thursday 6th April at 9.00 am
- Years 5 and 6 - Wednesday 5th April at 2.40 pm

PHONICS SESSION

Year 1 parents are invited to a phonics session on Monday 3rd April at 2.15 pm.

Can all parents please wait at the school's playground gates for a member of staff to let you in.



Our Easter Service will take place on Friday 7th April at 9.30 am in the Upton Parish Church. This Service will be led by Rev. Barry Unwin, the children will be singing and we would like to invite you all to attend.

If you are able to help walk the children to the Church and back to school, please speak to your child's class teacher. For this, you will need to be at the school's main office for 9.00 am.

Thank you.

SCHOOL BAND

We are very lucky to have members of the Upton Youth Band run an after school music group for Key Stage 2 children on Thursdays. They provide the instruments and the children learn in a band setting for a very low weekly cost.



Children can learn a brass instrument or glockenspiel and the band sound great!

If your child is interested, please see Mrs Moroni for more information and a form.



COMIC RELIEF

After our Mother's Day service we held a collection for Comic Relief and raised a total of £104.59. We would like to thank you for your kind donations.



CAKE SALE

The Friends will be holding a cake sale after school on Friday 7th April.

All cake donation are to be brought into school that morning.

We would like to thank everyone's support on the last minute disco. We raised a total of £173.

The next Pre-Loved Uniform Shop will be on Wednesday 10th May. If you are requiring anything before then please email Carol Unwin on: carolunwin@gmail.com

CANCELLED DUE TO TECHNICAL ISSUES

Bridget Jones's Baby Film Night (for adults)

CAR BOOT SALE

Sunday 14th May - further details coming soon



HEADTEACHER'S AWARDS

Alana Robinson, Evie Dean and James Grant for writing excellent explanatory letters to Mrs Wills

They will be invited to a Headteacher's Tea Party

IMPORTANT SCHOOL DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

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