



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:

Here is a tragedy I have observed under the sun, and it weighs heavily on humanity.

Eccles 6:1

**Our thoughts and prayers are with everyone affected by
the very tragic fire at Grenfell Tower, London.**

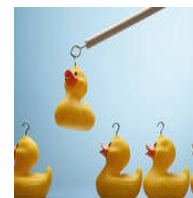
COME ALONG TO OUR SCHOOL FETE THIS SATURDAY 17TH JUNE - 2.00 PM TO 4.00 PM

Our school choir will be opening the event at 2.00 pm.



WE HAVE LOTS GOING ON

Bouncy Slide, Splat the Rat, Tug of War, Lucky Dip, Pig Roast, Hook a Duck,
Bottle Stall, Sweetie Tombola, Stocks, Silent Auction, Coconut Shy,
Face Painting, Tattoos and more.



We will also have the First Responders and our local WI attending with activities.

Friends and family are all welcome and entry is free.

FUNDRAISING IN SUPPORT OF AIR AMBULANCE

On Friday 30th June our School Council are organising a non-uniform and cake sale event to raise money for the Midlands Air Ambulance. The MAA is not only a vital aspect of rural life but has also been used by children who attend our school.

School Council would like all children and staff to come to school on this day wearing red and yellow clothes for a £1 donation. They would also be very grateful for cake donations so they can sell these at the end of the school day, again having a red and yellow theme to them (although cakes of any colour are most welcome).



If you can help with the cake sale after school on this day, please let the school office know.

We would also like to congratulate Gracie Windows who this year is undertaking a number of fundraising events on her own. She has supported St Richards Hospice in the recent charity walk raising money for the charity that helped her grandfather.

PARKING IN PRICES LANE

The parking area in front of the shed in Price's Lane, by the school's main entrance, is for visitors to the School and the Children's Centre only.

Could I please ask that you do not park in this area when dropping your child off for school or breakfast club and also when picking your child up from school or after school clubs.

COURTESY TO NEIGHBOURS

When dropping off and picking up your children from school could we please ask that you are courteous and **DO NOT**, under any circumstances, turn around in, park in or block our neighbours' driveways. We have been sent photographs from video surveillance showing someone parking in a neighbour's drive during school drop off/pick-up time.

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YEAR 6 SCHOOL PHOTOS

Leavers photos for Year 6 have this week been sent out.

If you would like to place an order, this will need to be sent into school by:

Thursday 22nd June.

If you make an order after this date, this will need to be addressed to your home address and Tempest Photography will make a charge for postage.



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School Disco

Friday 30th June

Rags 2 Riches Collection

Thursday 6th July

CLASS ASSEMBLIES/EVENTS CHANGE OF ENTRY TO SCHOOL HALL

The entrance for all future events held in the hall, e.g. class Celebration of Learning assemblies/school productions, etc. is to now be through the black gate, by the side of the school hall/school's main office entrance, rather than through the school's playground gates.

Parents/carers are to wait at the gate to be let in by a staff member, where they will then be led directly into the hall.

CHOIR CLUB

Unfortunately, Mrs Moroni has had to finish the after-school choir club earlier than planned, due to a class trip on Tuesday and staff training on subsequent Tuesdays. This means that there will be no more choir club for the rest of this term.

The choir has been absolutely super this year and she looks forward to continuing with them from September.

JON THE POTTER



On Wednesday, Years 3 and 4 were treated to a workshop led by Jon the Potter, to make clay dragons. As the weather was so beautiful (and to save on the indoors clearing up!) we made and decorated our dragons in the shade of the trees on the school field. Jon demonstrated shaping the clay, he gave us lots of tips and each child then made their own dragon.

He took them away to fire in his pottery at Eastnor and we will have them back by the end of term. The Friends funded this special event and we would like to say a big thank you to them, it was a wonderful learning experience.

IMPORTANT SCHOOL DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

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| Sports Day | Friday 23rd June 2017 from 1.00 pm |
| 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 |
| Autumn Term Ends | Friday 15th December 2017 |
| Christmas Break | Monday 18th December 2017 to Monday 1st January 2018 |
| TED Day (School closed) | Tuesday 2nd January 2018 |
| Spring Term Starts | Wednesday 3rd January 2018 |

Thank you everyone from Mrs Julie Wills and the Upton Team