

Family Update

7th July 2023



Updates

Hello everyone. It's been a week of **mixed emotions** for Saxon Hill this week; we have laughed and we have cried. On Wednesday we had to say goodbye to our wonderful nurse Emma whose beautiful and moving funeral was held at Fradley Crematorium. Thank you to the nursing teams, staff and families for pulling together, helping to lighten the load in school to enable several of us to attend and give the support we want for Emma's family.

There have been lots of lovely things happening in school this week too; a **trip to the zoo for Hub 3** class were generously supported by **volunteers from Premier Foods**, and all had a wonderful time. Today we have held Sleepover Club's **Childrens University Graduation Ceremony** and a big thank you to all the families who came to support their children and join in those celebrations today.

As we near the end of this term and prepare for September, may I remind all families of **the times of the school day, the arrival and departure times**. The doors are opened at 8:50am ready for class at 9am. Anyone arriving after 9:30am will be marked as late and unless we have received prior warning, families will be phoned to check that all is well. Formal lessons finish at 3pm and there is work on individual targets until 3:30pm when transport begins to leave school. Any families routinely needing to collect their children earlier than 3pm will need to provide a written rationale for their child missing their statutory education and this will be discussed with Governors before being approved.

A **calendar of next year's term dates and holidays is attached** on the back page for your reference. Shaw Education Trust recognise the need for the 6 Training Days as we have so much statutory training associated with Special Needs. Please see Key Dates below for times of **Sports Day** and **Meet the Teacher Evening**. The café area will be available from 2:30-3:30pm for families to look after their own children between these events if it helps? Many thanks for your continued support.

From Your Leadership Team

Parents Recommend

Please see page 4 for some lovely sensory music sessions that have been recommended in Burton. This is for children aged 0-10 with a focus on exploring instruments, sounds, lights, puppets and other fun resources.

Please send future recommendations to:

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Key Dates



Wednesday 12th July @1:15 - Sports Day - families welcome

Wednesday 12th July from 3:30-6:00 - Meet the Teacher

Friday 14th July - Post 19 Leavers Prom

Thursday 20th July morning - End of Year Awards (pupils only)

Friday 21st July morning - Leavers' Assembly (invites for leavers' parents will be sent out)

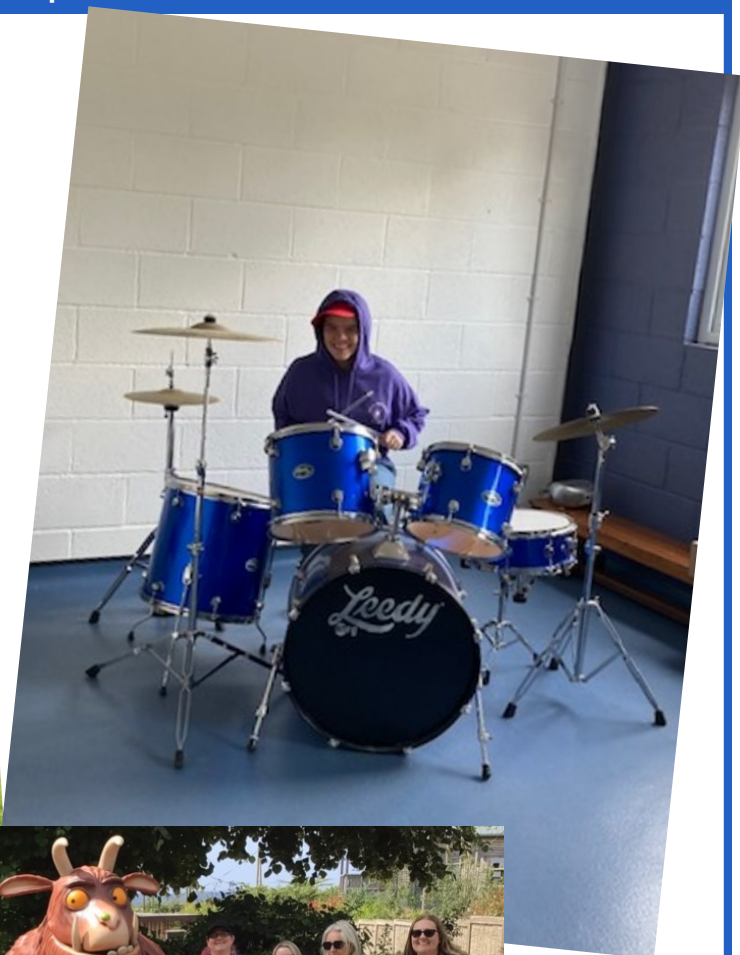
Monday 24th July - Summer Festival & Ice-cream

Headteacher: Melanie Newbury

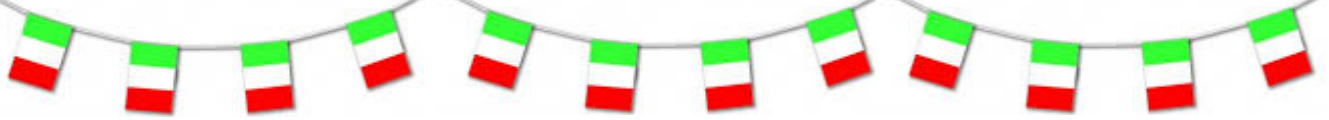
Designated Safeguarding Lead: Kim Thomas

Deputy Designated Safeguarding Leads: Melanie Newbury & Helen Bowers

What we have been up to this week ...



Sleepover Club



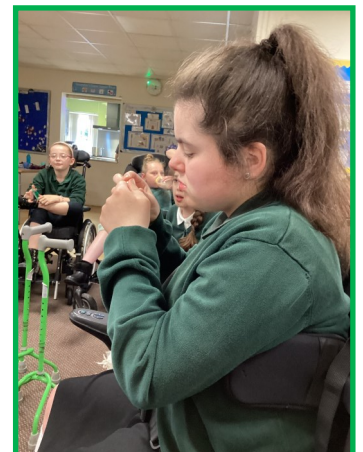
Italian culture and food tasting.



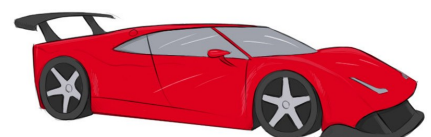
Ciao

Grazie

Arrivederci



We couldn't manage a Ferrari car but we had a genuine Ferrari bike!



Chipmunk Music
presents...

S.E.N Sessions

Join our magical musical and fully immersive SenSory Sessions, designed specifically for children with additional or special educational needs.

Sessions will include sparkling light shows, music and singing, parachute fun, puppets, musical instruments and bubbles, all sprinkled with our special Chipmunk magic!



Monday 31st July
10.30am & 1.00pm

Priory Centre,
Stretton,
Burton on Trent.

For more information and to book your space, please visit:

www.chipmunkmusic.com



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£10 per child. Siblings are half price with a full paying child.

★ Ages 0-10 welcome however please note, content will be aimed at children with a cognitive development level of 0-5 years.

Little Saxons

Stay and Play

A specialist provision for children 0-4 years with additional needs.

Song
Time

Rebound
Therapy

Messy
Play

Hydrotherapy

Refreshments

Sensory

Story
Time



Little Saxons

Monday & Thursday Afternoons 12.45-
2.15pm

(Term time only)

£2.00 including a tea/coffee/cold drink

For more information or to book your place please contact -
Tel: 01543 414892 Email: little.saxons@saxon.set.org
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WS14 9DE

School Terms and Holiday Dates 2023/2024

September					
Monday		4	11	18	25
Tuesday		5	12	19	26
Wednesday		6	13	20	27
Thursday		7	14	21	28
Friday	1	8	15	22	29
Saturday	2	9	16	23	30
Sunday	3	10	17	24	

October					
Monday		2	9	16	23 30
Tuesday		3	10	17	24 31
Wednesday		4	11	18	25
Thursday		5	12	19	26
Friday		6	13	20	27
Saturday		7	14	21	28
Sunday	1	8	15	22	29

November					
Monday		6	13	20	27
Tuesday		7	14	21	28
Wednesday	1	8	15	22	29
Thursday	2	9	16	23	30
Friday	3	10	17	24	
Saturday	4	11	18	25	
Sunday	5	12	19	26	

December					
Monday		4	11	18	25
Tuesday		5	12	19	26
Wednesday		6	13	20	27
Thursday		7	14	21	28
Friday	1	8	15	22	29
Saturday	2	9	16	23	30
Sunday	3	10	17	24	31

January					
Monday		1	8	15	22 29
Tuesday		2	9	16	23 30
Wednesday		3	10	17	24 31
Thursday		4	11	18	25
Friday		5	12	19	26
Saturday		6	13	20	27
Sunday		7	14	21	28

February					
Monday		5	12	19	26
Tuesday		6	13	20	27
Wednesday		7	14	21	28
Thursday	1	8	15	22	29
Friday	2	9	16	23	
Saturday	3	10	17	24	
Sunday	4	11	18	25	

March					
Monday		4	11	18	25
Tuesday		5	12	19	26
Wednesday		6	13	20	27
Thursday		7	14	21	28
Friday	1	8	15	22	29
Saturday	2	9	16	23	30
Sunday	3	10	17	24	31


April					
Monday		1	8	15	22 29
Tuesday		2	9	16	23 30
Wednesday		3	10	17	24
Thursday		4	11	18	25
Friday		5	12	19	26
Saturday		6	13	20	27
Sunday		7	14	21	28


May					
Monday			6	13	20 27
Tuesday			7	14	21 28
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Thursday		2	9	16	23 30
Friday		3	10	17	24 31
Saturday		4	11	18	25
Sunday		5	12	19	26

June					
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Saturday	1	8	15	22	29
Sunday	2	9	16	23	30

July					
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Wednesday		3	10	17	24 31
Thursday		4	11	18	25
Friday		5	12	19	26
Saturday		6	13	20	27
Sunday		7	14	21	28

August					
Monday		5	12	19	26
Tuesday		6	13	20	27
Wednesday		7	14	21	28
Thursday	1	8	15	22	29
Friday	2	9	16	23	30
Saturday	3	10	17	24	31
Sunday	4	11	18	25	

 Inset Day

 May Day

 School Holiday

 Weekend