



STOCKLAKE PARK SCHOOL WEEKLY BULLETIN – Friday 8th December 2023

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Message from the Head of School:

Firstly, a big thank you to everyone who came along to the Christmas Craft Fayre today. We always feel very lucky to have the support of our wider school community whether you donate items, send money in with your child, or come along to events. It feels right to have families together for our Christmas celebrations.

While we are trying to keep the routines and timetables as familiar ones for the majority of the time, we also acknowledge that an element of change is a good opportunity to teach the students that change can be OK. One example of this will be Wednesday 13th when we will be having a very special day with musical performances from the Royal Latin School and a Santa's grotto. Students will have their lunches in their class groups as usual, with Christmas lunches for those who have opted for them and are invited to wear Christmas jumpers if they would like to.

Have a lovely weekend.

Rhonda

Message from the SaLT team:

Please be aware that the SaLT team do not attend all Annual Review meetings as standard unless there is a particular clinical reason, or this is requested by families or staff. This means that we can spend more time working directly with pupils to deliver therapy. If it is very important to you that SaLT attend your child's annual review, please contact the school to request this, and we will do our best to accommodate this wherever possible.

Class update: Life Skills and Enrichment

In Sixth Form, Stocklake Park students continue their journey into the world of work through their WRL lessons (Work Related Learning.) There is an emphasis on Health and Safety, using equipment correctly, enterprise, and teamwork through practical tasks including horticulture and site maintenance activities and projects. Students learn about aspects of different workplaces, roles, and responsibilities, and begin to identify personal skills and qualities.

Sixth Form students are actively encouraged and expected to seek work placement opportunities in an area of their choice; we have had a successful placement at a local car garage, local supermarkets, and charity shops as well as students delivering an activity to younger students in school.

Pathways, a new WRL course for Sixth Form, gives students the chance to both use and develop transferable work skills, develop working relationships, promote a positive attitude to work, and employability potential. We are currently offering General services and Maintenance, Business and Enterprise, and Performing Arts.

Being able to give our students a variety of work experiences, they are able to make informed choices about their next steps in life.

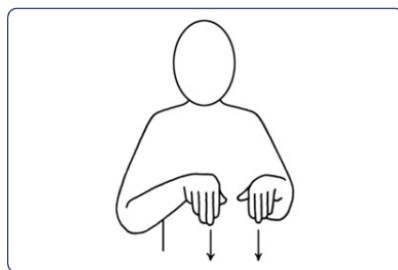
If you have any connections in our Pathways sectors, who may be interested in a work talk or activity, please contact Hannah Zerdzinska, hzerdzinska@thevalefederation.com

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Signs of the Week:



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Mental Health
Support Team
Buckinghamshire



MALE CARERS DROP IN

Lets talk about: Common Childhood Behaviours

Session Overview:

- Arrival/general introductions
- Introduction to MHST - Who are we and what can we offer
- Overview of Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD and Attention Deficit Hyperactive Disorder (ADHD)
- Behaviours and Strategies
- Increase confidence in managing child's behaviours
- Parenting Programmes
- Q & A/Feedback

Venue: Princes Risborough Family Centre
Wellington Avenue
Princes Risborough
Bucks, HP27 9HY
Time: 6.30pm - 8pm
Date: 14th December 2023
www.oxfordhealth.nhs.uk/camhs/bucks/mhst
buksmhst@oxfordhealth.nhs.uk
01865 904 566



Can you help?

6th Form Pathways Course Maintenance and general services

Have you any donation of tools, deocating tools, or horticultural items?

Students are learning how to make, maintain and service.

Horticulture - Painting and decorating - woodwork - bike maintenance - window washing



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Do you work in this sector and like to talk to our students/share skills?

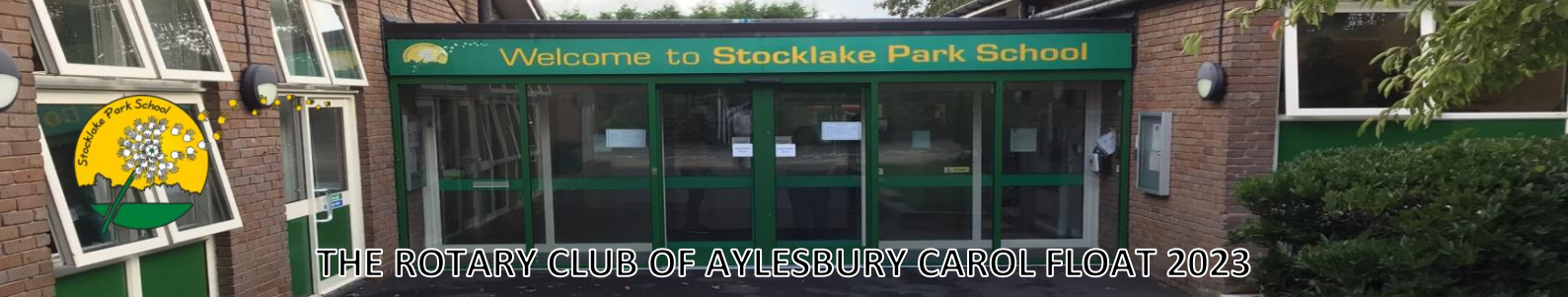
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| Theme: Friendship and Kindness | |
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| Date | Event |
| Wednesday 13 th December | Christmas Lunch & Christmas jumper day |
| Wednesday 13 th December | Royal Latin School Music event |
| Thursday 14 th December | Makachat Café |
| Tuesday 19 th December | Last day of term |

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THE ROTARY CLUB OF AYLESBURY CAROL FLOAT 2023

"Ho Ho Ho and Seasons Greetings.

From Thursday December 5th Santa will be visiting Aylesbury and the High Street.

From 6-8pm on weekdays and 5-7pm at the weekends.

Or visit Santa in the High Street between 10am and 4pm on Saturday 9th and 16th."

ROUTES

Friday December 8th - HAYDON HILL

Saturday December 9th - HIGH STREET from 10am - 4pm

Saturday evening - RIVETTS/STOKE MANDEVILLE HOSPITAL area

Sunday December 10th - WATERMEAD SOUTH

Monday December 11th - HAWKESLADE

Tuesday December 12th - ELM FARM NORTH

Wednesday December 13th - MEADOWCROFT/QUARRENDON

Thursday December 14th - THE COPPICE /IVINGHOE VIEW

Saturday December 16th - HIGH STREET 10am - 4pm

Saturday evening - WEEDON ROAD & SAVERNAKE

Have a great weekend.

Bradley Taylor
Principal



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