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Dear Parents and Carers

I hope you have all had a lovely week and are ready for the Easter break. I want to say a HUGE thank you to all the staff for working so hard this term: they have been amazing! Loan't believe that it was the wilds of January when we first started back after Christmas and here we are with the spring sunshine with warmer temperatures.

We have been through such a lot this term; I can't believe how much we have managed to cram in! We had a COVID infectious few weeks where we had limited staff, an excellent Enterprise week, which included some amazing visitors, a wonderful car wash and making and selling loads of stuff at the Old Fox Ing. 3 echool closure due to a wild storm coming in; our fantastic footballers and cross-country runners came out to play and did us proud; and we even had a brilliant school disco where the children and grownups strutted their stuff! Along the way, the children have learned loads and had a great time. We have also welcomed, Jed, Willow and Sammy to the Coaley family, who have settled in so well. In school, we are all looking forward to a well-deserved rest so we are ready to see you all in the summer term, fully refreshed and raring to go!

Talking of refreshed: we have taken on board to latest Government advice and have updated our COVID guidelines. We have had to wait for a few days to get the latest updates from Gloucestershire County Council which is why we will be stafful is new guidene from the beginning of the next term.

Basically, we have been advised that for any child or member of staff who are unwell and have a high temperature, shy should stay at home and awoid contact with other people. They can return to school when they no longer have a high temperature, and they leed well enough. Adults, including those with or without a positive COV

Kilve Court Residential Trip

A reminder of the instalment dates for payments for parents of children going to Kilve Court on the residential trip in July

29th April - £50

27th May - £50

24th June - £50

Stroud High School Open day

See poster attached. As we get details of other school's open days we will let you know.

FOCS Coffee morning

FOCS are holding a coffee morning at school on April 27th after school drop off. Pop along and have a chat and help plan the Jubilee party and Coaley Fest. See poster.

School Disco

Here are some photos from the evening. A great time had by all.







Adult Education - Gloucestershire County Council

Adult education are running an Online Safety Course for parents and carers on Wednesday mornings from 4th May for 4 weeks. This course will help parents understand how to keep their children safe online. Flyer with details of how to enrol are attached.

Bag to School collection.

This year we are doing a bag to school collection of clothes in 5 week's time on the 10th May 2022

We are collecting good quality, reusable clothes and will be sending more information out before the time.

Rags 2 Riches will pay 40p a kilo for reusable clothes that people will want to buy and wear as affordable clothing around the world - all clothes need to be something you'd wear out yourself or pass on to friends and family.



Church Easter Egg hunt



Proud Cloud Certificates:

Robins: Eloise and Willow

Starlings: Ellie

Owls: Lewis

Values Certificates:

Robins: Finley

Starlings: Anna

Owls: Oscar C

Growth Mindset Certificates:

Robins: Charlotte for realising she hadn't been using a number line correctly and putting it right

Starlings: Esme for working really hard in phonics with Miss Hunt

Owls: Jasmine T for working hard in all your work

April Dates

Friday 8th April – Last day of Term 4

Friday 8th April – Easter Service in church – 9.30am

11th to 22nd April – Easter Holidays

Tuesday 19th April – Allocation day for those starting school in September 2022

Monday 25th April – Back to school for the Summer Term

Friday 29th April – 2.45pm Celebration Worship with Parents starts each Friday

May Dates

Monday 2nd May – Bank holiday

3rd to 5th May – Year 5 Bikeability

9th to 16th May - SATS week

Monday 9th May – Rages to Riches collection

10th & 11th May – Marling Open Mornings

Wednesday 18th May - Class Photographs

Friday 27th May – Last day of Term

June Dates

Monday 6th June – First day of Term 6

Tuesday 14th June – Year 6 Leavers' service at Gloucester Cathedral

Saturday 25th June – CoaleyFest

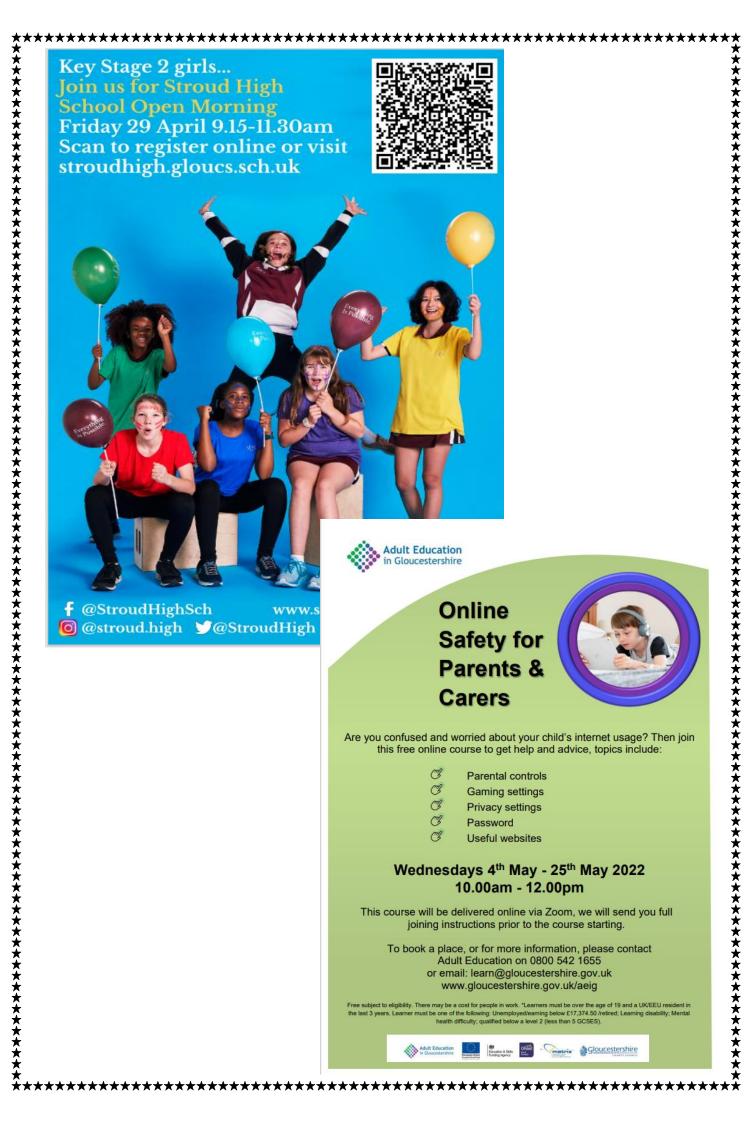
27th to 29th June – Owls' residential to Kilve Court

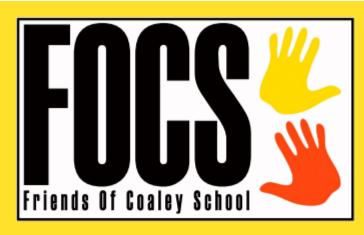
July Dates

18th to 20th July – Year 6 Bikeablilty

Thursday 21st July – Final day of the academic year

Please note- Dates and times are subject to change, and depend on Covid restriction updates. We will advise you of any changes as soon as possible.





Tea & Coffee morning

Come along for a chat about upcoming events including Jubilee 'Street' Party and Coaleyfest

Wednesday April 27th from 8:45am in the School Hall Pre-schoolers welcome

FOCS Friends of Coaley School

Charity number: 1093315