

# Stebon Primary School



## Newsletter

2018-19  
Issue 1, 7th  
September  
2018

Gate opens 9:00  
Classroom doors open 9:10  
School starts 9:15  
Gate opens 3:15  
School finishes 3:30  
Nursery gates open at 9:10 and will remain open longer to enable parents to drop off/pick up children in Reception—Y6

**A BIG WELCOME BACK to everyone & thank you for making it such a brilliant start to the new school year!**

### Parent Welcome Meetings

Welcome meetings for parents of children in all year groups are a great opportunity for you to meet your child's new class teacher and the teaching support staff, to find out what your child will be learning during the course of the academic year and for you to ask any questions.

The welcome meetings will be held in your child's classroom on the dates and times mentioned below:

Year Group	WELCOME MEETING DATE	Time
Year 1	Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> September 2018	3pm
Year 2	Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> September 2018	9.30am
Year 3	Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> September 2018	9.30am
Year 4	Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> September 2018	3pm
Year 5	Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> September 2018	3pm
Year 6	Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> September 2018	3pm

If you are unable to come to the welcome meeting, do make an appointment to see your child's class teacher at a convenient time. They'll make sure you get all the information you need.

### Stebon Mela

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> September 2018

Stall costs £15

To book a stall see the office.

### An exciting new topic

In preparation for their topic on Ancient Greece, Martin Luther King class have been learning about different types of countries this week. They have created their own country, deciding which political system to use in their government, inventing laws, names and flags!

### Summer Reading Challenge Ends Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> September 2018.



Many of our children have read several books & started reading others but have not quite finished ... so the lovely people at the Idea Store have extended the finish date until Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> September... Children have to have read **6 books** to receive a prize so ..... get down to the Idea Store to complete the summer reading challenge!

**There's still time.**



### **FAMILY LEARNING Course Enrolment Week 10<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> September 2017**

At Stebon we offer many opportunities for parents and carers to learn, gain experiences and continue their professional development.

Parents and carers will have the opportunity to enrol on various courses we have planned to run in the Family Learning Room this term.

#### **Introduction to helping in schools**

**Monday 9am - 12pm**

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This 5 weeks' course will provide an opportunity for adults to learn about the role of a teaching assistant. This will then lead onto the level 1 & 2 courses, planned for later in the year. Only 15 places available. The course will be free of charge for parents on benefits, so please bring proof.



#### **Get ready for English - Level 1**

**Mondays 12.30pm - 3.30pm**

This course is for students who have a good level of understanding of the English language, and would like to gain a recognised qualification. This could lead to a GCSE equivalent qualification. An assessment will be carried out on enrolment to ascertain which level you are working at. This is a popular course and many of our parents have gained qualifications previous years.

Only 12 places are available. The course will be free of charge for parents on benefits, so please bring proof.



#### **Functional Maths – Level 1**

**Tuesdays 12.30pm - 3:15pm**

This course will provide the opportunity for students to brush up on their maths skills and prepare for a recognised qualification.

An assessment will be carried out on enrolment to ascertain which level you are working at. Only 12 places are available. The course will be free of charge for parents on benefits, so please bring proof.

#### **Coffee mornings**

**Thursdays 9:15am - 11am**

Come along and get to know your school better. Make new friends and find out what is going on in your local community. Learn how to knit with our specialist knitting teacher. This is drop in session.



#### **ESOL**

**Friday 9am - 12:30pm**

This course is for parents who would like to gain confidence to speak English and learn basic reading and writing skills. An assessment will be carried out on enrolment to ascertain which level you are working at.

Only 12 places are available. The course will be free of charge for parents on benefits, so please bring proof.



#### **Friday Afternoon Tea**

**1:30pm - 3pm**

These are drop in sessions to find out about healthy cooking and nutrition.

**All sessions are held in the Family Learning Room at Stebon.  
For further information please speak to Chanel.**