



# St Augustine's CEP School Newsletter

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## Charity Bike Ride

You may remember from our newsletter after the Easter break that Rob Minter (Sophie in Willow's dad), along with some work colleagues from SafeSite Ltd took on a cycling challenge to ride along the Worth and Forest Way. I am pleased to say that they completed the challenge last weekend and enjoyed a very well deserved beverage at the end!

We are very grateful to Rob and his team for taking on this challenge and also the parent company Kee Safety for donating £1000 as part of their Kee Giving Scheme. Donations can still be made on the Just Giving page <https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/safesiteteambikeride>



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## **Staffing News**

You will all know just how hard Mr. Furminger works across the school site to help maintain the grounds and the building so that it is a safe and welcoming environment. At the end of this term, after 7 years at the school, he is hanging up his caretaker gloves at St. Augustine's. I know you will all join with me in thanking him and wishing him well for the future.

This means that we will have a vacancy for a caretaker to join us at school. If you, or someone you know, might be interested, you can find the details on our school website.

<https://www.st-augustines.w-sussex.sch.uk/Vacancies/>



## **STAR Club**

**Don't forget! Monday 8th June STAR club will run @ church for Funday Monday**

We have added an emergency contact number onto the booking/invoice confirmation email should you be running late to collect from STAR club. Please do let Vicky know if you are running late.

'I hope everybody had a lovely half term, the children have certainly enjoyed discussing what they got up to during the week. They are looking forward to Movie Evening on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> where we will be watching The Lorax. Please book asap so we have enough popcorn and hotdogs for everyone to enjoy! We will be starting the film just after 3pm and aim to be finished by 5pm.'

Vicky

## **Book now**

<https://staugustines.magicbooking.co.uk/Identity/Account/Login>

## **STAR Vacancy**

Due to the continued success of STAR club, we are looking for an additional member of staff. We are looking for someone to help run fun and exciting activities Monday—Thursday from 3-4pm or 3-5pm. Inclusive rate of £14.40 p/h. Free spaces available at STAR club for staff members. For more information and to apply, please see the job advert on the school website <https://www.st-augustines.w-sussex.sch.uk/Vacancies/>

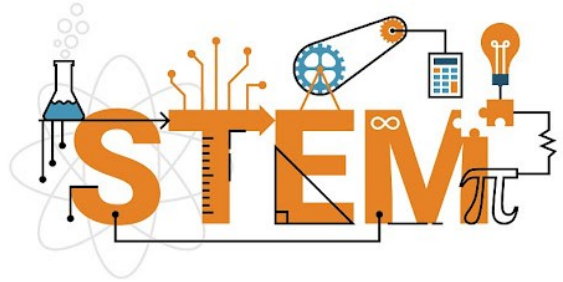
## Friends of the School—End of year workshops

The Friends work incredibly hard to provide both memorable events and also funds for the school that benefit the children directly.

You may remember that last year the Friends paid for the children to take part in an animal workshop as an end of year treat.

I am pleased to say that this year they have agreed to fund an end of year STEM workshop for all children to enjoy.

A huge thank you to them, but also to all of you, who have donated, supported and come along to the events that they have put on. It is incredible to be part of such a great community!



## Year 5 Worship

This week, our value has been courage— Being brave and facing challenges, even when you feel scared, so that we experience God's support when times are hard. On Thursday, Year 5 shared a great worship on what being brave meant to them and how we can all demonstrate our courage every day.





Meals for week commencing 22nd June 2026 need to be ordered by midnight on Thursday 11th June 2026.



Star of the week



- WILLOW** **Bella** - Showing courage when learning to use the tightrope on circus day
- BEECH** **Eva** - Showing courage when leaning to create the balloon dogs on circus day
- ELM** **Sophie** - Having the courage to admit when things are hard in her learning
- OAK** **Oscar** - Showing courage in Forest School in a tricky situation

Certificates

- WILLOW** **Arlo** - Showing a love of learning circus skills
- BEECH** **Hunter** - Showing a love of developing his circus skills
- BEECH** **Robyn** - Showing a love of learning different skills in circus day and for helping others
- ELM** **Darcie - Mai** Showing understanding when explaining a task to a friend in a calm clear way
- ELM** **Harley A** - Showing pride when standing on the stage in Production
- OAK** **Fabio** - Showing aspiration in tying a new knot at Forest School
- OAK** **Matilda** - Showing resilience during her division in Maths

**The value for next week will be Care:** Looking after others and making sure they feel safe and supported, so that we experience God's care for all of us.

## Photos of the week

At the last gymnastics/cheerleading/dance club we took a well deserved break to have some ice creams in the hot weather. Thank you to all the children for working so hard of their skills. Next half term, we will remain to focus on gymnastics skills



**Upcoming Diary Dates - Please note that these may be subject to change.**

June

Monday 8th	RHSE Consultation meeting 2-3pm <b>STAR Club @ Funday Monday</b>
Thursday 18th	Year 2 Collective Worship @ 8:50
Monday 22nd	Sports Day— 2-3pm
Thursday 25th	Year 4 Collective Worship @ 8:50
Monday 29th	Y6 Chailey Transition Day
Tuesday 30th	Y6 Chailey Transition Day

July

Wednesday 1st	Y6 Oathall & Warden Park Transition Day
Friday 3rd	Non uniform day (Donation for Summer Fair)
Monday 6th	Y6 Leavers' Service @ Christ's Hospital
Friday 10th	Non uniform day (Donation for Summer Fair)
SATURDAY 11th	Summer Fair
Tuesday 14th	KS2 Production @ 1:30pm
Wednesday 15th	KS2 Production @ 6pm
Thursday 16th	Y6 Forest School Breakfast @ 8:30 Year 6 Collective Worship @ 2:20
Tuesday 21st	Last day for children <b>End of year Friends of the School STEM Workshops for all classes</b>
Wednesday 22nd	INSET Day - School Closed to pupils
Thursday 23rd	First day of Summer Holidays

INSET Days 2026-27

Tuesday 1st September 2026

Friday 23rd October 2026

One date TBC

Friday 18th December 2026

Wednesday 21st July 2027

## Eco Team News

The Great Big Green Week is the UK's biggest celebration of community action to tackle climate change and protect nature. It runs from 6th-14th June. The Eco Team have decided to get involved this year, with a focus on re-using materials and clothes.



They will be running a clothes swap from Mon 8th June-Thurs 11th June straight after school. If you have any unwanted children's clothes (clean and undamaged) please bag them up and bring them to school before the 8th June. This can include baby clothes too. These bags can be handed to the Eco Team (Clemence, Arabella, Amara C, Hunter, Robin, James C) or Mrs Morton. If you can label the bags with the sizes it would help us when we sort them out. We will set up tables of clothes outside or in the hall (weather dependent) and you can come and fill a bag with items you'd like.



## 1st Scaynes Hill Squirrel scouts

SPACES AVAILABLE  
SEPTEMBER 26



Meeting Wednesdays  
4.30-5.30pm



For all young  
adventurers  
aged 4-6



Email  
shcs@sky.com  
to find out more



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St Augustine's Church  
Scaynes Hill

## VILLAGE BBQ

The Vicarage  
Vicarage Lane  
Scaynes Hill

Saturday 27th June 2026  
12 noon

Come along and enjoy  
delicious meats and salads at this  
wonderful village event!

GREAT FUN FOR EVERYONE  
IN SCAYNES HILL AND BEYOND!



