

Stroud Valley Community School Newsletter



Trip to Brazil

Today we went to Brazil as part of Amethyst's class adventure into the Rainforest. We packed suitcases, dressed for the weather, brought our passports and flew 11 hours to Rio. We had to go through passport control where our bags were packed. We had boarding passes and had to find our seat. Then we flew. No seat belts off until told. Over the weeks we will learn to dance, play drums, discover the secrets and tragedies of the rain forest.



May 12th
School and Governor
Contact
(- 01453 764400)
Parentline Plus Helpline
(- 0808 800 2222)
School Nurse Contact
(- 0300 421 8959)

Dates for your diary

	May
17th	Deadline for parent governor nominations
22nd	PTFA meeting 9am
	June
6th KS2	Sports day
7th KS1	Sports day

There will be an assembly to show all parents of Amethyst Class what they have been doing during their topic on the Rainforest on Fri 26th May at 2pm in the hall.



REMINDER: PARENT GOVERNOR ELECTION

A reminder that we have a vacancy for two parent governors which we need to fill as soon as possible. Parent governors are elected by and from the parents of children that currently attend our school.

If you haven't received the letter and nomination form and would like one, please ask at the office.

If you are interested in becoming a governor please hand in your nomination form to the school office by **12noon on Wednesday 17th May.**

School Dinners

There is an option for **dairy** or **gluten free** puddings everyday—if your child would like one of these please see the school cook—Clare to arrange.



A POLITE REMINDER

The playground is staffed from **8.40am** however, a number of children have been turning up either at school or on the road near the school before this time. Please help keep our children safe by arriving no earlier than 8.40am.

PTFA

Message from PTFA

The PTFA needs support from new volunteers if it is to continue to raise much needed funds for the school. The majority of the current committee members are standing down from their roles in the autumn term. Without the PTFA, events like the September Sizzle will not take place, the children would not have a Christmas Fair and funds will not be available to subsidise the extras provided by school like school trips. This year the PTFA is also funding three major projects within the school - books for reading corners, resources to support learning and playground improvements.

If you would like to find out more about the PTFA and how you could help us, please either contact our secretary Katy on katylmb@googlemail.com or come along to our next meeting on Monday 22nd May. Meetings start at 9am but if you are a bit late due to dropping off a younger child, that is absolutely fine.



Sunshine and Rainbow classes are off to Southfields Care Home on Tuesday 23rd May at 1.50pm to sing our class assembly songs for the residents - if you are available to help us walk there and back please let Mrs Fathers or Mrs Hawkins know. Thank you