

Stroud Valley Community School Newsletter

September Sizzle

It's that time of year again! - a week this Saturday marks the return of our annual September Sizzle, so save the date and pop along for lots of fun and games.

We're still accepting donations in the office, so if you fancy a clear out this weekend, bring it along to the office on Monday!

Raffle tickets will also be going home in your child's bag on Monday.

SATURDAY 20TH SEPTEMBER | 12PM TO 3PM

**JOIN US
STROUD VALLEY SCHOOL
SEPTEMBER SIZZLE**

FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!
GAMES | TUCK SHOP | BOUNCY CASTLE | POCKET MONEY TOYS
REFRESHMENTS | BBQ | BAR | RAFFLE

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12th September 2025
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Dates for your diary

	September
20 th	September Sizzle, 12pm
24 th	Amber—trip to Pizza Express
29 th	Phonics Morning—R & Y1, 9-9.45am
30 th	Quartz—trip to Museum in the Park
	October
1 st	Flu Immunisation
8 th	Online Safety Meeting, SVCS
7 th —8 th TBC	Parents' Evening
15-17 th	Hooke Court Residential Y5
21 st	Whole School Photographs
23 rd	End of Term 1
24 th	INSET DAY
	November
3 rd	Beginning of Term 2
14 th	Children in Need
	December
9 th	EYFS & Y1 Nativity, 2pm
10 th	EYFS & Y1 Nativity, 6pm
16 th	KS2 - Carols at the Church, 6pm
17 th	Sleeping Beauty Pantomime (except R)
19 th	End of Term 2

Parking

Please can you ensure that you do not block residential driveways with your car when dropping-off/picking-up your children.
 Thank you.

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SEPTEMBER SIZZLE 2025

Our September Sizzle is fast approaching and we'd like your help please.

- Bake or buy a cake to be sold on our refreshments stand (these can be brought to the office Friday 19th)
- Donate a bottle of wine for one of our stalls

Most importantly we need volunteers!

The sizzle cannot go ahead without support from our wonderful community. There are a host of roles on offer so you don't need to be around for the whole day.

Complete the below form to volunteer your time - thank you.

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeYU4TYwZ7biylwrbzMUUz59GIVKvK9TexGs7tFx_NJei0uPw/viewform

Online Safety Information Meeting, 8th October 6-7.30pm

Parents are invited to attend an Online Safety Information Meeting here at SVCS presented by Simon Williams, Gloucestershire Constabulary's 'Cyber Intelligence—Protect, Prepare & Prevent' Officer.

These sessions come very highly recommended, with lots of information about how you can keep your children safe online. Please put the date in your diary and come along if you can because we feel this is a very important matter in the modern world, and whilst we try to educate the children as much as we can in school, it

Doodle Maths Reminder

All children now have a log in for 'Doodle Maths' (if you do not know your child's please speak to their class teacher) which is an intuitive app that provides tailor made questions for your child. All children have completed their baseline at school which means the questions are targeting their areas of weaknesses and ones they need more practice in.

There will be a 'number a day' that comes up every day on their Doodle home screen for your child to complete. This can be done on a smartphone, tablet or any electronic device. The easiest way is to download the app but it can be accessed via the website. Depending on your child's age it may say '5 a day', '6 a day' etc. Sometimes teachers may also set 'assignments' for the children to complete. It is important children complete them independently as the app will help them if they get it wrong but the questions will become too hard if the app thinks they got it right but it was supported.

It is an expectation that all children from y1-6 complete it daily. It is quick and will consolidate their learning. Each week we will be celebrating the 'top Doodle class' with a reward. Every star helps so please encourage your child to log on and we will continue to celebrate individual performances termly, and in the newsletter weekly.



Class	Children who have earned the most amount of stars in the last week...well done to everyone!
Rainbow	Felix
Amber	Remy
Ruby	Maya
Diamond	Archie
Quartz	Juniper
Aventurine	Summer
Emerald	Mariama