



Stone Lodge Academy

Spring Term Newsletter - April 2019

Dear Parents, Guardians and Friends,

Incredibly, we have come to the end of the Spring Term. Looking back I see that, as usual, we have tried to pack in as many different activities as possible alongside our day-to-day lessons in order to try to add relevance and enjoyment to what our pupils are learning.

This latest Newsletter gives you just a little flavour of the wide range of different activities that when they are all joined together, makes Stone Lodge such a special place of learning.

Once again I say thank you to all of our parents, for your generous support at our Easter Fair, we raised an amazing £988! As you know every penny that is raised is spent directly on supporting our out of class activities.



All of the staff at Stone Lodge join in with me in wishing you as safe and enjoyable Easter break.

Stone Lodge Academy reopens at the usual time on Wednesday 24th April 2019.

We have one final PD Day, and the school will be closed on Monday 3rd June 2019.

We are very proud to present our 'Spring Term 2019 Roll of Honour' on the back of this Newsletter.

A sincere "Well done to all of our **Red Carpet Award** winners!"

Yours Sincerely,

Rick Tracey M.Ed.





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Items Needed for Orchard Class

Please can anyone donate/lend any dolls, animal toys, animal teddies for their new topic "Where the Wild Things Are"

Does anyone have the game Operation they no longer use and could donate to the school?

Magic Breakfast

We are pleased to announce that we have joined the National Schools Breakfast Scheme, which will be offering a free breakfast every morning to all children for the next year.

Allergies will be carefully considered and catered for. More information to follow shortly.

Emergency Contact Numbers

The Keeping Children Safe in Education (2018) guidance has advised that in case of an emergency or welfare concern, wherever possible, there should be more than one emergency contact number for each student.

Please can you ensure that we have at least **two** emergency contact numbers on the system for your child.

Many Thanks

Dates for Your Diary

24th April - Back to School

6th May - Bank Holiday

10th - 17th May - Wales Residential Trip

27th - 31th May - Half Term

Staff Changes

We welcome Lucy Chapman to Stone Lodge Academy as a Teaching Assistant.

Mrs Turner will be taking on a new role within the school as part of our Literacy Department.



Primary students went all out in their efforts to dress up for World Book Day.

Who's your favourite character?

World Book Day 2019



See if you can spot our very own 'Where's Wally' through the pages of the newsletter, He's hiding somewhere !!!



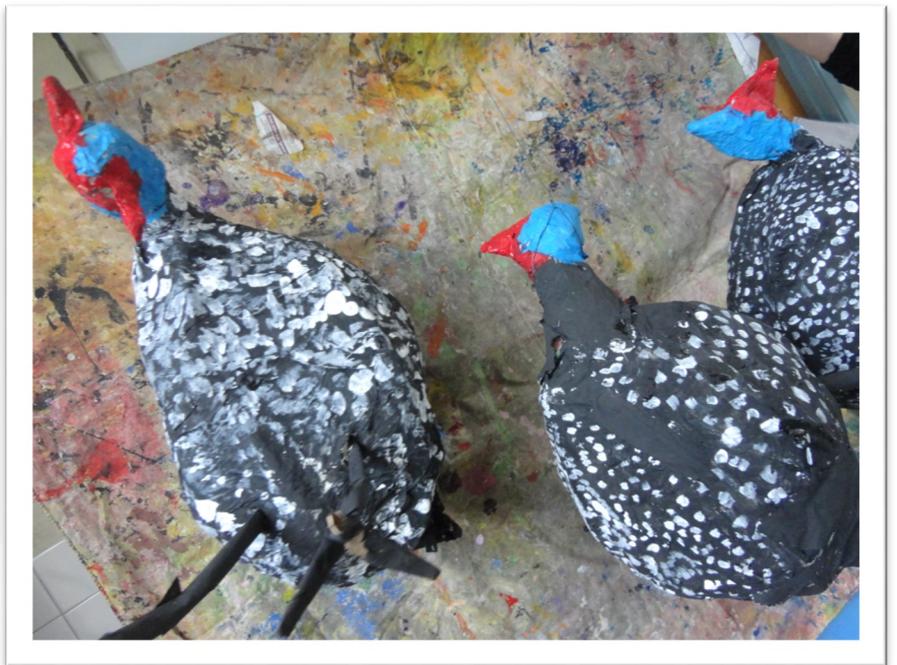
Stone Lodge Academy are Adopting a Lamb from Baylham Rare Breeds Farm



This Herdwick Sheep is pregnant and we are waiting for our lamb to be born. The lamb will need a name when it's here and we will be looking for suggestions. For updates during the Easter holiday follow our Facebook page and Baylham Rare Breeds Facebook page too.

As part of the adoption package our students will visit the farm on a Friday and also have the opportunity to take the free pass home at weekends and school holidays so you can share with your family/carers the experience of visiting our own lamb.





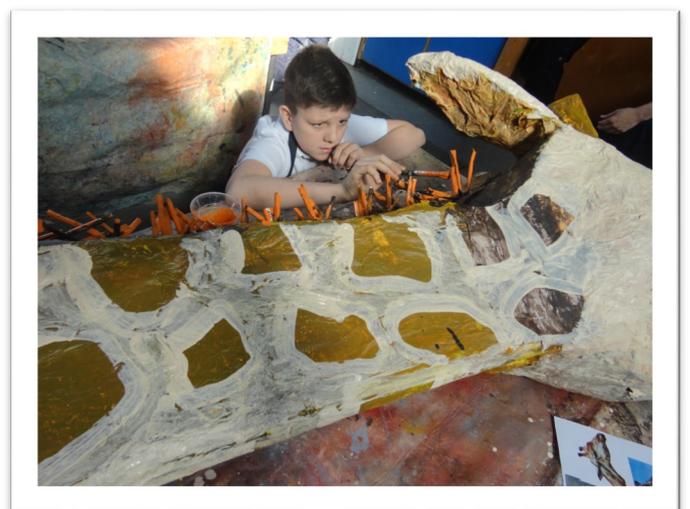
Sculpture Trail

Pupils have been preparing for the first Spring Road Allotments, Field 17, Sculpture Trail.

Using chicken wire and papier-mâché, pupils have so far created a giraffe, a baboon, guinea fowl, a peacock and an alpaca! Watch this space as the orang-utan emerges!

The trail will open at 10:30am on the 1st and 2nd of June and gates will close at 3:30pm. Entrance is via Alexandra Road gates and there is a donation of 50p towards the allotment funds.

Refreshments will be available and let's hope the sun shines!



**COMIC
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**Stone Lodge
Academy's
Got Talent!**

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We were truly entertained for the afternoon as some of the pupils and staff showcased their talents.

There was singing, dancing, jokes and a magic show.

Unfortunately for Mr Tracey and Miss Zocchi it wasn't to be as the judges in the shape of Simon Cowell, Alesha Dixon, David Walliams and Amanda Holden buzzed them off the stage!!!!



Everyone put in a lot of effort and enjoyed their time on the stage, however there could only be one winner, so well done to Sammy for his beautiful rendition of 'Someone You Loved' by Lewis Capaldi.

We are very proud to announce that Stone Lodge Academy raised a huge £326.49 for Comic Relief!

We would like to say thank you to all the Pupils, Parents and Carers for their continued support.



Cake glorious cake



We had an overwhelming response to the Comic Relief Bake sale, with an extraordinary amount of wonderful cakes and biscuits landing upon us, all unique and made with love.

Congratulations to Mary who won first prize and the two runners up -Taylor and Rian.

I am sure you will agree that the results are all very impressive.

We raised a massive £187 towards Comic Relief, just from the cakes!





Year 11 pupils have been studying the work of Joseph Cornell, an American artist and film maker. They have made their own wish boxes based upon his works in 'assemblage'.



Design & Technology

Year 11 Entry Level Coursework

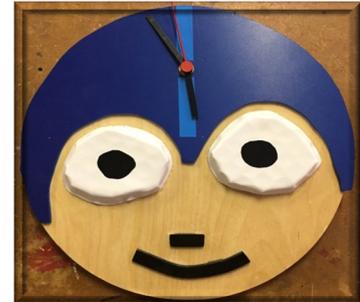
Jamie—Swimmer Clock



Josh—Car Alloy Clock



Ben—Justin Beiber Clock



Cameron—Mega Man Clock



Year 11s have worked extremely hard to complete their coursework for their Entry Level.

Completing a design brief of creating a product that is decorative and serves a purpose.

Each piece is inspired by their own interest using a range of materials and manufacturing process.

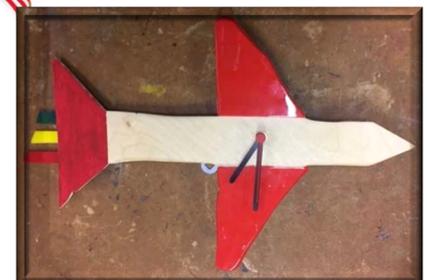
Anna—Mirror with Storage



Joseph—Cadet Clock



Samanta—London Eye Clock



Ben—Red Arrows Clock

ActivLives

Changes Lives ●●●



Music students from Stone Lodge Academy raised £114 for ActivLives and presented their donation on: 19th March 2019. We visited the community gardens at Chantry Park and met the founder of this Charity.

Red Carpet Award Winners

April 2019

Wrens — Amy

Sparrows—Sabastian

Doves — William

Kingfishers — Lyah

Orchard — Connor

7H — Bailey

7T — Lola

8C — Curtis

8G — Alex

9C — Josh

9G — Toby

10B — Nick

10M — Aaron

10S — James

11B — Samanta

11R — Lisa

Congratulations!