



FOSP update:

A huge thank you to everyone who came along to Inflatables Day - it was fantastic to see so many families enjoying the sunshine, slides and all the fun. We're still adding up the final figures and hope to share the fundraising total with you very soon.

We're also really grateful to everyone who took the time to explore the village scarecrow trail. There were some truly brilliant entries this year! The winners are:

Coggie-STRAW-us - Hawkes Road

Bluey - Tilkey Road



Father's Day gift stall

Father's Day is coming up, and we've got some great gifts for your children to choose from!

The gift stall will run on two dates, with the final one being Thursday 12th June. Please note, the deadline to pay for gifts is Tuesday 10th June. You can pay online via Ticketsource: <https://bit.ly/3ZQkDmX>

Gifts cost £3 and will be wrapped. Some are fragile, so please take extra care with backpacks - you never know what's inside!

Any questions, please let us know by emailing ptafofsp@gmail.com, and you can also take a look at the list of FAQs we have put together about the gift stalls: <https://stpeterscofeprimaryschoolcoggeshal.org.uk/calendar#gift-stalls>

Final fundraisers

With the end of the academic year now in sight, we're still busy behind the scenes with a few plans in the works. Our last committee meeting of the year will be on Tuesday 17th June at 7.30pm at the White Hart boardroom. Everyone is very welcome to come along and get involved! After that, we'll be able to share dates for our final fundraising efforts of the year.

Have your say - MUGA and recreation ground improvements

The Parish Council is asking for feedback on ideas to update to the multi-use games area or MUGA for short (currently the basketball court) in the Recreation Ground. They are also asking about other ideas for improvements to the surrounding space, such as lighting.

Thanks to funding from recent housing developments, there is a rare opportunity to make meaningful changes that could benefit people of all ages. Whether you'd like to see minimal updates or an expanded MUGA with a running track around it, your views are important.

Share your thoughts via the short survey: bit.ly/456w7q7



Homework

We recently discussed children's homework at the latest Parent Forum, and many of you have completed a questionnaire on the subject which we will use to inform decisions for homework going forward.

For those of you who have not done so yet, please can you complete the Homework Survey [here](#).

Thank you!

Local Authority Survey

The Local Authority have asked schools to share a link to a survey they are carrying out. They are asking for parents of children aged 0-19 who are living in Essex to complete the survey by 13th June.

Please [click this link](#) to complete the survey.

School dates	
newly added items or any changes are highlighted in yellow	
June	
12th	FOSP Fathers' Day Gift Stall
13th	'A Day of Welcome'
16th - 2-3pm	New Reception intake - Stay & Play (September 2025 starters)
19th	Oak class library visit
20th - 2.45pm	Mulberry class assembly
23rd (TBC)	September 2025 class lists shared with parents
26th	'Moving up' morning (1 of 3)
26th = 3.45pm	Preschool - new parent meeting
26th & 27th	Year 6 - Honywood transition days
July	
3rd	'Moving up' morning (2 of 3)
3rd	Holly class library visit
4th	Coffee morning at Honywood (STAY project) - details to follow
8th	iRocks concerts 9.30am and 2pm
8th-9th	Year 5/6 performance - 6.30pm
9th	Y1/2 Wyvenwood trip
10th	Silver Birch library visit
10th	'Moving up' morning (3 of 3)
11th	School reports out to parents
13th 10-11.30am	FOSP - New Reception intake (Sep 2025) 'Meet & Play' - Coggeshall Village Hall
14th	Parent coffee morning (ASD) - external host - details to follow
16th 5pm-7pm	Celebration evening
18th	Year 6 church leavers' service (Y6 parents welcome)
18th	Parent Picnic (details to follow)



This Friday 13th June, children take part in activities to mark 'A Day of Welcome' in their classes.

A Day of Welcome is an annual day of solidarity and learning in schools that aims to build a culture of welcome and understanding for people seeking sanctuary.

One of the broader objectives of the day is to enable us to better build a culture of welcome, belonging and solidarity within our school. While the theme for the day is around those seeking sanctuary, predominantly as refugees, the wider message of solidarity is in keeping with our new Christian Vision launched in January this year, underpinned by the Bible quote **'I will show you my faith by my actions'** (James 2:18):

Our Christian Vision

- As part of a church school family that grows together in compassion and kindness, we aspire to be the best that we can be.
- We flourish through the connections and relationships we nurture, guided by our Christian values.
- Our uniqueness is embraced; our faith and beliefs guide us to be courageous enough to stand up for what is right; and bold enough to evoke change in our world, just as Jesus did.

How to talk to your child about war and conflict

Although the content taught throughout the day will be age appropriate, we understand that some children can feel upset by some themes explored.

The Newsround website has some helpful advice if your child ever expressed that they are upset by conflicts around the world: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/138650>

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Are you concerned about a child's safety or wellbeing? Do you have a safeguarding concern about a child or family?

Please don't hesitate to contact our school's Designated Safeguarding Leads:

- Miss Wilding - headteacher
- Mrs Sullivan - deputy headteacher

They are available at school to discuss any concerns you may have.

Additionally, anyone can make a referral directly to the social care team via this link: [MAKE A REQUEST FOR SUPPORT](#)

If your concern is urgent and requires immediate attention, please call: 0345 603 7627

Out of hours: 0345 606 1212

Your vigilance helps us keep all children safe.

