



Sonning Common Primary School

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Weekly Newsletter 12th September 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

Happy News and Stars of the Week

Kites have enjoyed their first session at forest camp and doing some delicious cooking with apples!
Star of the week is Lizzie K.

Year 1 have all successfully logged in at the computer suite and shown off some excellent counting skills!
Star of the Week is Sophie M.

Year 2 enjoyed planting cress seeds in Science and making a prediction about which condition would be the best for its growth.
Stars of the week are Maia D and Marlow P.

Year 3 have enjoyed learning about where rainforests are in the world and loved taking part in playground games with the Active Leaders.
Stars of the week are Grace B and Saif HG.

Year 4 have had a busy week studying the book 'Escape from Pompeii' and they have enjoyed learning to sing 'Mamma Mia' by ABBA.
Stars of the Week are Fenix W-B and Matin D.

Year 5 have been reading different Dreamtime stories and learning about significant places in Australia.
Stars of the Week are Louie M and Riad R.

Year 6 have either enjoyed completing the Active Leader course or creating and eating healthy wraps.
Stars of the Week are Saule B and Issy C.

SCPS Explained

No children are allowed access to phones in school. If Year 6 children bring them because they walk to school alone, the phone needs to be turned off and handed to their teacher upon arrival. They cannot be turned back on until they leave the school site. Children in other year groups should NOT bring phones to school at all. If parents require an exception to be made to this, please contact the School Office or the class teacher to discuss.

Clubs and activities

Details of current after school clubs and activities for this Term are on our website:

<https://sonningcommonprimary.co.uk/parents/activities/>

PTA Colour Run Saturday 20th September 3 to 5pm.

Come and support our first fundraising event of the year. Children and adults run (or walk) laps of the field for an afternoon of colourful fun. It will be messy!! Tickets are available to purchase on MCAS. We need plenty of spectators to come and throw paint, so please bring along friends and family. Small packets of paint will be on sale for £3 each (please bring cash). There will also be a BBQ providing burgers and sausages.

We are looking for volunteers to help on the day. If you have some time to help, please fill in your availability on this form: <https://forms.gle/gey7pNEwKDCMiPLP8>

Sonning Common 10k Sunday 5th October

A reminder that we need your help in a variety of ways. If you can help at all with this event, please sign up below:

[Sign up here!](#)

Community Noticeboard

Remember to look at the [Community Noticeboard](#) for events and activities that may be of interest.

Rachel Salmons
Headteacher

Dates for your Diary

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| SEPTEMBER 2025 | |
| Saturday 13 th | Cross Country at Greys Court 9am |
| Saturday 20 th | PTA Colour Run 3pm – 5pm |
| Thursday 25 th | Perform Workshops for Kites, Y1 & Y2 |
| OCTOBER 2025 | |
| Friday 3 rd | Harvest Assembly |
| Saturday 4 th | Cross Country at Maiden Erlegh Chiltern Edge 10am |
| Sunday 5 th | Sonning Common 10K |
| Monday 6 th | Flu Vaccinations – details to follow |
| Wednesday 8 th | Flamenco Workshops for Years 3 & 6 |
| Thursday 9 th | Flamenco Workshops for Years 4 & 5 |
| Friday 10 th | INSET Day – no children in school |
| Tuesday 14 th | School Photos – year groups to be confirmed |
| Wednesday 15 th | School Photos – year groups to be confirmed |
| Thursday 16 th | Open Morning |
| Thursday 16 th | PTA Disco – timings to be confirmed |
| Mon 20 th to Fri 24 th | Year 6 at Woodlands |
| Friday 24 th | Last day of Term 1 |
| NOVEMBER 2025 | |
| Monday 3 rd | First day of Term 2 |

Link to website calendar for further dates: <https://sonningcommonprimary.co.uk/parents/calendar/>