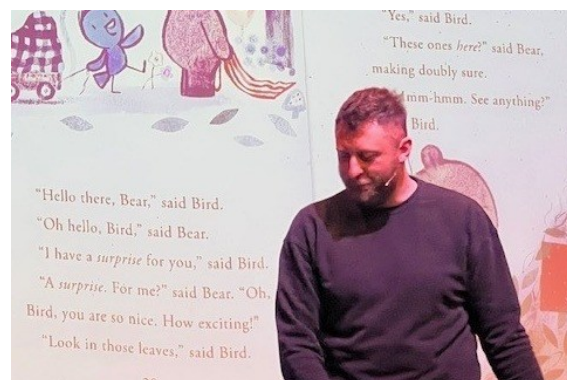


Stroud Valley Community School Newsletter

Stroud Book Festival

Today we took Amethyst Class down to the Subrooms to listen to 'Jarvis' talk about his book 'Bear and Bird' .
There was lots of fun and laughter and after handing out paper and pens to the children, Jarvis gave a step-by-step guide on how to draw his characters 'Bear' and 'Bird'.

The children, as always were a joy and we were very proud of them!





7th November 2025
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Dates for your diary

NOVEMBER	
13 th	Cinema Trip— Amber, Amethyst, Diamond, Ruby & Quartz
13 th	Library Visit—Aventurine
14 th	Children in Need
14 th	Cinema Trip— Sunshine & Rainbow
18 th	Whole School Photographs (rescheduled)
19 th	Cinema Trip— Aventurine & Emerald
24 th	The Living Rainforest— Aventurine & Emerald
25 th	Library Visit—Amber
27 th	Museum in the Park—Rainbow
DECEMBER	
4 th	Museum in the Park—Amethyst
6 th	SVCS Winter Fayre
9 th	EYFS & Y1 Nativity, 2pm
10 th	EYFS & Y1 Nativity, 5.30pm
17 th	Sleeping Beauty Pantomime (except R)
17 th	KS2 - Carols at the Church, 6pm
19 th	End of Term 2
JANUARY	
5 th	INSET DAY
6 th	Beginning of Term 3

Class	Most amount of stars last week
Sunshine	Isla
Rainbow	Felix
Amethyst	Lyra
Amber	Samual
Ruby	Juno
Diamond	Isla
Quartz	Juniper
Aventurine	Khadija
Emerald	Aleyna



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Pre-loved uniform

A reminder that we run a second hand uniform website
<https://uniformerly.co.uk/listing-categories/>

All items £1 or £2. Low sales mean we are considering whether it's feasible to continue. (We are not accepting donations at present.)

We'd really appreciate your feedback in this short survey:
<https://forms.gle/MyCJ4FjMQsSe6zdl9>

Waitrose tokens

A reminder that Stroud Valley are in the running for the Waitrose token scheme. Please consider grabbing a token when you next visit. It's very close at the moment between the three causes, and it would be great for us to edge ahead!

An important message from Miss Sleep

Dear Parents and Carers,
 After careful thought, I have made the decision to retire at the end of this academic year.

Stroud Valley and its amazing children have been an important part of my life for the last 22 years, which has flown by. I can still remember the first time I came to look around the school; I instantly knew it was the right place for me. A story I often tell is that my plan then was to stay for a short time, gain leadership experience and return to a life abroad. Stroud and this school proved hard to leave so hence 22 years later I am still here. I leave knowing the school has the most dedicated, caring staff and it will continue to thrive and put the needs and lives of our children first. It really is a special place - thanks to our families and children.

Thank you, from the bottom of my heart, for your support and partnership over the years. I will always treasure so many memories of Stroud Valley.

Debbie Sleep

Children In Need

Next Friday, the 14th November is Children in Need. Please join us in helping to raise money by wearing something spotty! Your child will come home with a sponsor form. Each class is going to be completing a '25' activity that children can be sponsored for. Please see your child class activity below:

Sunshine	Dance Party for 25 minutes
Rainbow	Dance Party for 25 minutes
Amethyst	Dance Party for 25 minutes
Amber	25 minute Wheelathon
Diamond	25 Just Dances
Ruby	25 laps around the playground
Quartz	25 Just Dances over 5 days
Aventurine	25km over 3 weeks
Emerald	25 acts of kindness



100 Club Winner

Congratulations to this month's 100 Club winner—Holly Day!