



St George's School Bourton

A Church of England School

*work together, play together
learn together ... shine!*

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Dear Gold Base Parents,

Golden Oldies Day

The children have thoroughly enjoyed our topic this term, learning about life through the decades. It has been great to hear about the discussions which they have been having at home with yourselves and with their Grandparents. Some of the pupils have wanted to know more about the Beatles or 80s fashion, whilst others have shown a real interest in Margaret Thatcher or Princess Diana. Thank you to Jim Mann who came in and gave a really interesting talk about how cars have changed and developed over the years. The children were riveted.



As you may already know, we are planning to have a special day to celebrate our topic on **Tuesday 22nd March**. This is our 'Golden Oldies Day'. We are hoping to have a variety of activities linked to these decades including crafts, music, TV shows, food, dancing, and toys and games. Some of the things which we do on this day will depend on what resources we are able to source. If you have anything at home which you feel may be of interest and you are happy to lend them to us for the day we would be very grateful and promise to take good care of them. We would especially love to see some old toys and games from this era as well as coins, pre-decimalisation. I know we have already been offered a record player for the day, thank you. Equally, you may have a skill which you could help share such as ballroom dancing or similar.

Parents and Grandparents are welcome to join us for the afternoon and relive 'the good old days'. This will be between 1.30 and 3.15pm. During this time, we hope to play with old games and toys as well as have our own 80s disco. You would be very welcome. Please complete the form below so we can gauge numbers.

The pupils, and our afternoon guests, can come dressed in fashion from the 1950s-1999. I know some of the children have been extensively researching different fashions and have great ideas about what they are going to wear. I'm sure some of you have some treasured clothes stored safely in the loft which you would love to wear once more, now is your opportunity!

Thank you for your support both throughout the topic, it really does make a difference.

Mrs Shears

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Gold Base's Golden Oldies Day!

I would like to join you for the topic day on Tuesday 22nd March () please tick

Names:

I have items which I could lend you (please add details)

I have a special skill or talent which I could help share with the children related to life between 1950s and 1990s.

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