

Newsletter 29 14/06/2019

Dear Parents,

Our Shine Show is always a very special evening at school where we can celebrate together the many and diverse talents of the children. On Wednesday evening, I was exceptionally proud of all the children who performed and showed us all what amazing children we have here at Southfield Park. Obviously, a big 'thank you' goes to Miss David for organising the event and giving the children such a great opportunity to showcase their abilities, but I must also thank Mrs Miniuks, Mrs Greenacre, Miss Gilby and Mrs Williams who gave up their time on the evening to help out back stage. I would also like to mention three of our Y6 children who were 'front of house', acting as runners on the evening, Ethan Chaffer, Mae Ling McCarthy and Georgia Reis. They made the evening run without a hitch and were simply superb. Drinks and refreshments in the interval were organised by the amazing Friends of Southfield Park who came along for the evening despite being in the midst of their preparations for the Summer Fair on Saturday. A fantastic £110 was raised on the evening for Save the Children, so thank you also to everyone who made a donation.

On Monday, it was the turn of Churchill class to visit the Houses of Parliament and despite the heavy rain all day they had an amazing time. They were particularly excited to see the stature of Winston Churchill in one of the lobbies. Unfortunately, the weather prevented the picnic that had been planned in St James Park and the walk past Buckingham Palace but the hot chocolate and biscuits on return to school made up for it!



Bockett's farm was the destination for Britten and Elgar class on Thursday for their very first school trip and the children were certainly very excited. Rain again featured but that didn't dampen the children's spirits and they loved seeing all the animals, as well as the play areas. The teachers will use the trip as a platform for the children's learning over the coming weeks and it will certainly enrich their understanding. A big thank you to the parents who gave up their time to go along to accompany the children, we certainly couldn't do it without your support.



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We are looking forward to the Summer Fair on Saturday. As I write, the bottles that everyone kindly donated for the Tombola are being 'ticketed' and the Friends are busy putting the final touches to their preparations ready for the big day. The teachers and Governors will be manning the Tombola and refreshments stalls so look forward to seeing you all there. Fingers crossed for dry weather!

Kind regards

Kate Gee

Tweet of the Week

Follow us on
[@Southfield_Park](https://twitter.com/Southfield_Park)

Hello, nice to meet you too!



Attendance this week

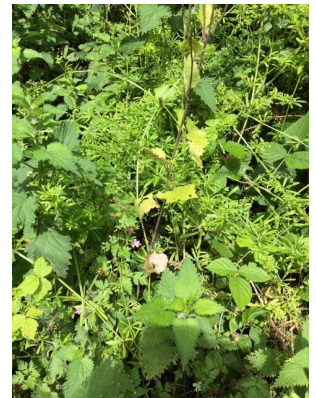


Sparky says “well done!” to **Redgrave Class**, who had the best attendance this week with **100%**, and to **Britten, Elgar, Goldsworthy, Lowry, Faraday, Nightingale, Redgrave, Holmes, Darwin, Shakespeare, Victoria and Churchill Classes**, who also had high attendance this week!

Attendance Monday 10th - Friday 14th June 2019



With their visit to the River Mole postponed yesterday, Churchill and Attenborough took the opportunity today to dodge the raindrops and take a nature walk around Horton Country Park on a scavenger hunt, looking for different species of leaves and animals.....





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One More Sleep to the 15th Anniversary Summer Fair!

The weather this week may not have been particularly summery, but that hasn't stopped the final preparations being made for tomorrow's 15th Anniversary Summer Fair! The forecast is set to improve, so we are looking forward to seeing many of you at the fair. There'll be plenty to do, including:

- BBQ & Bar, Veggie Samosas, Ice Cream, Candyfloss & Popcorn.
 - Nerf Gun Alley, Obstacle Course & Bouncy Castle.
 - Bottle Tombola, Face Painting & Coconut Shy.
 - Playball, Beat the Goalie & Crazy Golf.
 - Various gift stalls.

Gates open at 12 midday!

This week's final Summer Fair poster is from Year 6. Congratulations to Holly Smalley!

Fair Helpers

Although the gates may not open until midday, the Friends will be busy from early in the morning setting up the stalls and games, as well as tidying up long after the gates close! If you are able to spare a little time to help with putting up gazebos, setting up games, hanging up bunting, before the fair or clearing up afterwards, it would be hugely appreciated!

Playball

Playball tickets are now on sale for both Juniors (5th July) and Infants (12th July). We have limited space so please book early to avoid disappointment. Tickets are £5 each and can be purchased through our ticket portal at: <https://www.pta-events.co.uk/friendsofsouthfieldpark/>.

Dates for Your Diaries

Sat, 15th June

Summer Fair - "15 Year Anniversary" - 12 midday to 3.00 p.m.

Fri, 5th July

Junior Playball - 4.30 p.m. to 6.00 p.m.

Fri, 12th July

Infant Playball - 4.30 p.m. to 6.00 p.m.

We now have about 60 people signed up the school lottery, with one luck winner getting around £20 each week. The more tickets we sell, the bigger that local prize is, so feel free to share the link with family and friends! And of course, every ticket holder has a chance of the national £25,000 prize!

If you have yet to purchase a ticket and would like to get in on the action, please sign up on this link:

<https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/play>

(search for “Southfield Park”).

The Giving Machine

Booking that last minute holiday or Summer activities online? Treating your garden to a makeover? Sign up to The Giving Machine and then the likes of Thomson, Eurocamp, Expedia, B&Q, John Lewis and many more will give a small percentage back to the school at no extra cost to you! It's a great way to raise some really valuable funds for very little effort!

Go to <http://www.thegivingmachine.co.uk/> to sign up, but remember to select “Southfield Park Primary School” as your cause, otherwise you'll be donating to the cause of the week! You can also install a small Shop&Give add-in for PCs, Macs, iOS and Android that will remind you when you're shopping online on a site that supports us!



Going Bonkers over Bocketts



Despite the rain, Reception had a fabulous day at the farm yesterday! We saw lots of animals and even got to stroke many of them. Some of the animals had recently had babies, so we were sure to be quiet whilst we watched the lambs, piglets and kids. A lady showed us how to milk a goat and we found out what foods are made from milk. We went on an



exciting and bumpy tractor ride around the farm and cheered on our favourite pig during the pig racing. What a memorable day for our first school trip. We were so proud of the children for their super behaviour and engagement throughout the day.



tombola



BBQ



Sport

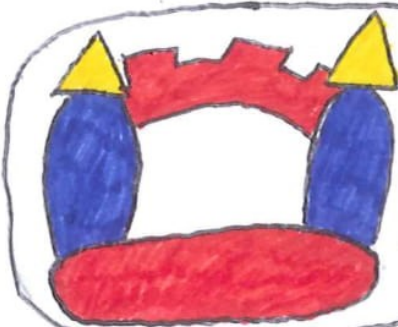


Ice-Cream

Stalls



Music



Bouncy Castle



dancing

You are invited to

By
Holly Smalley
Year 6



Southfield Park's
Primary School



15th Birthday Summer fair!
Saturday 15th June 2019
At Southfield Park Primary, 12 - 3:00 p.m.

Update on Terracycle recycling schemes

We have been running our recycling schemes for three months now and it is amazing to see the amount of 'rubbish' that can be recycled rather than going to landfill. In addition to helping the environment, we are also raising some money for the school because we are paid for the recycling that we send to Terracycle. It is not a huge amount - so far we have raised around £16 – but as they say 'every penny counts'! We do not want to encourage you all to eat lots of crisps and biscuits, but if you are eating them anyway then we would love to have your empty packets to recycle.

Thank you to those who have already placed items in the boxes in the entrance to the school. **However, please can I ask that you only put in the items that are on the list for each scheme?**

What types of waste are accepted in The Crisp Packet Recycling scheme?

Any brand of crisp packets are accepted in this scheme.

Please note that the following types of waste are not accepted in this scheme:

- Popcorn bags
- Crisp tubes
- Pretzel bags
- Meat snack bags

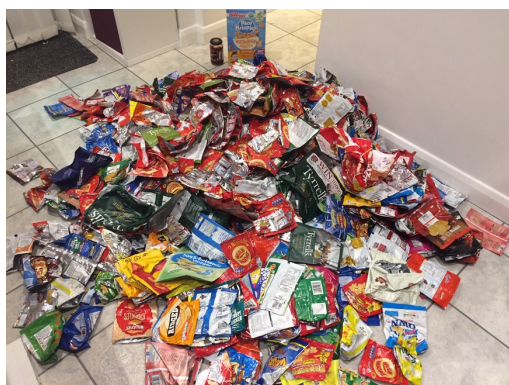
What kind of packaging is acceptable in the pladis Biscuits and Snacks Recycling Programme?

We accept any brand of biscuit, cracker and cake wrappers such as digestives, rich tea etc. This includes the likes of Penguin's etc but not chocolate bars like Mars, Snickers etc, or the inside plastic tray as they are made from a different material.

Unfortunately neither of the schemes accepts sweet wrappers/packets eg haribo, meat snack packets, popcorn packets or the outer wrapovers of corner yoghurts. I know that it may seem that they are made of a similar material, but Terracycle do not accept them and may reject our whole shipment if I include them. So PLEASE donate just the items on the two lists.

Thank you for your support with our recycling schemes.

Mrs Page



A Shout Out for Mrs Page!

A big thank you to Mrs Page who is taking all the crisp packets, biscuit wrappers and pens back to her house to sort before they are collected by Terracycle. As you can see, this is quite a big task!

Humanities Week Report

Last week we celebrated Humanities Week where we acknowledged the use of Geography and History of many countries and cultures around the globe. We learnt about the interesting and thought-provoking history of these countries. We also learnt about the varying exciting geographies of this nation. Each year group was assigned to study a different country. We learnt the country's cuisines and attempted to replicate their delicious delicacies so that on the final day we could represent the fantastic fares to our peers who in return showed their nations.

Each year was dedicated to a country and these many nations came from a whole range of continents so that the whole world was represented by a school. And it shows how small our world truly is and that every individual should be treated equally. The countries that were represented were:

1. China (Reception)
2. Italy (Y1)
3. Spain (Y2)
4. New Zealand (Y3)
5. Turkey (Y4)
6. Brazil (Y5)
7. Greece (Y6)

All of the children enjoyed humanities week heartily and although a universal favourite was Food Tasting Day, each aspect of the week was enjoyed by all pupils.

A few students have told us what they enjoyed.

In Reception, they were learning all about China. Grace Lin even taught her class mates to count to ten in Chinese. For Reception (and even for any child in any year), this is quite impressive as it is a very complex language.

In Year 1, we met Logan and Chiara and asked them a few questions. First, we asked them what their favourite thing was of the week. Chiara said that she liked making food and decorating the stall with the Italian flag. Logan also enjoyed making a model of the famous Leaning Tower of Pisa but he also liked learning different Italian words like "ciao", meaning "hello" in Italian and "ciao ciao", meaning "bye bye." We asked them what their favourite other stall was and Logan said that the Krygistani food was his favourite while Chiara said, "I liked the China[ese] food the best."

In Year 2, we met Lucy and Thia. Lucy's favourite thing was to learn about the different types of food they had in Spain. Thia liked learning about the Armada, the famous Spanish fleet which was sent to destroy the English Independence. Lucy's favourite activity was making a galleon, a boat which was used in the Armada while Thia preferred replicating the ferocious naval battles between the Spanish and the English. Both girls enjoyed the Italian food which was created by Year 1. We also asked whether they liked their everyday food or the Spanish food. Because they were used to English food, they would stick with their everyday food.

We met Eva and Jasmine from Holmes Class in Year 3 and we asked them a few of the similar questions. Both children's favourite part of the week was making the food. Eva's favoured fact was that the Kiwi bird was the rarest bird in New Zealand, while Jasmine's favourite fact was that the population of the country is less than five million. Out of the countries represented the hall this year, Eva liked Mexican food whilst Jasmine liked Turkish cuisine (made by Year 4). We also asked them - a difficult question - whether they would rather live in England or New Zealand. Eva said: "I would rather live in New Zealand because there are not many people and also because there are less people and [there is] better wildlife." Jasmine also liked that there was better wilderness and also that the countryside was larger in number and finer than the English one.

The next year we asked was Year 4, who did Turkey for their country. We met two children from different classes called Ruby and Tegan. Ruby liked making all the decorations like the flag whereas Tegan preferred making PowerPoints about Turkey and its culture. We then asked them what their favourite fact about Turkey; Ruby Hall said that her fact was that the colour red had been on the flag for over seven centuries. Tegan told us that, "you were allowed to drink alcohol from the age of 11! We also asked them what other country cuisine they liked the most. Tegan liked the biscuits from New Zealand and Ruby liked Syrian food.

In Year 5 we interviewed Hesham and Maia from Shakespeare class. Year 5 were doing Brazil. We asked them what they enjoyed most during the seven days. Hesham said that his favourite thing was looking at the tourist attractions and he informed us how similar the sweets were to normal ones. Maia enjoyed making the food and she also found it interesting to learn about the cuisine from different nations. Hesham's favourite stall during the final afternoon was the Syrian one; Maia liked the South African food. When we asked them if they would rather eat the food they have normally or Brazilian food, we received the same answer. Hesham told us, "To be honest, I did like the chocolate treat but I would choose my normal food since I am more used to it." Maia would also prefer her normal food since she was familiarised already with the taste and with Brazilian food it was hard to tell what the taste would be like.

In Year 6, we met Lewis and Joe. Year 6 did Greece and made spanakopita, spinach filling sandwiched between layers of filo pastry. We asked them, like all the others, what country they liked best from Food Tasting Day. Joe said that he liked the Indian stall while Lewis liked the Chinese stall which was made by one of the parents. Joe and Lewis both liked cooking. Joe's favourite fact was that there are a massive 6,000 islands out of which 227 remain uninhabited. Lewis liked the fact that Ancient Greece was actually bigger than modern Greece when you would expect it to be the other way around.

To conclude the amazing week is a bit sad since it as so much fun and knowledge but this year will sadly be the last year the Leavers, Year 6, can experience this brilliant event. All the teachers had worked very hard to make this short expanse of time breathtaking, "fun and educational," (said many pupils) and honestly the best it can be.

-By Geography Prefect, Pratyush Joshi and History Prefect, Alexander Hughes

Reminders for Next Week

Monday 17th	Y6 Bikeability all week Dance Festival rehearsal at Epsom Playhouse, selected children only
Tuesday 18th	Dance Festival, Epsom Playhouse, selected children only, 5pm
Wednesday 19th	Dance Festival, Epsom Playhouse, selected children only, 5pm Y1 Transition Meeting, 2.30pm (for current Reception parents) Parent Information Meeting, 6.30pm, for Reception September 2019 parents, no children
Thursday 20th	
Friday 21st	Parent Pop in with SLT, coffee or tea, 9-10am

Parents Evening Appointments

This term, parents evenings are being held on two days for Reception and Years 1-5 and on two different days for Year 6:

- Reception and Years 1-5: Tuesday 2nd July, 4pm-6pm, and Wednesday 3rd July 4.30pm-6pm and 6.30pm-8pm
- Year 6: Wednesday 10th July, 1.30pm-4.30pm and Thursday 11th July, 2.30pm-4pm

You will be able to book appointments on Tucasi (www.scopay.com), and you will need an account with them to do so; if you don't already have one, please contact the school office for a letter containing the unique link code required to link your child to your account.

A general email will be sent out next week saying when the booking system will be open for parents to book appointments.

Bright Sparks

Well done to our Bright Sparks this week:

Britten	Krishna Tailor and Zane Waraga	Elgar	Elliott Barton-Black and Penny Lauder
Goldsworthy	Rundong Lui	Lowry	Rafi Tutton
Faraday	Lucy Vella	Nightingale	Elyssa Khan and Jacob Moyle
Redgrave	Max Mizzi	Holmes	Jasmine Hinton-Jones
Darwin	Logan Hill	Newton	Zachary Moore
Victoria	Charlie McIntosh	Shakespeare	Alison English
Churchill	Olivia Buller	Attenborough	Ethan Chaffer

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Nonsuch High School for Girls

OPEN EVENING

All prospective parents and students looking to join Nonsuch High School for Girls are welcome and encouraged to visit on:

Thursday 11th July 2019 from 4.00 - 8.30pm



This event is aimed at students starting **Year 7** in **September 2020**.

Nonsuch High School for Girls

Ewell Road, Surrey SM3 8AB

Tel: 020 8394 3400

Email: admissions@nonsuchschool.org

For further information, please visit our website:

www.nonsuchschool.org/307/open-evening

For all the latest school news, follow us on [@NonsuchHSG](https://twitter.com/NonsuchHSG)

You are warmly invited to our

OPEN EVENING

Thursday 4 July 2019
6.00pm - 8.30pm
 Headteacher talks at 6.15pm, 7.00pm and 7.45pm
 Tours will be available throughout the evening

Rosebery School

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Open Days

Main School Open Events 2019

Our Main School Open Evening will be held this year on Wednesday 2nd October 2019. Headteacher's talks will be at 5:30pm, 6:30pm and 7:15pm.

In addition to our Open Evening, we are holding Open Mornings on the following days, commencing at 9.15am:-

- Wednesday 3rd July 2019
- Thursday 4th July 2019
- Friday 5th July 2019
- Tuesday 1st October 2019
- Wednesday 2nd October 2019
- Friday 4th October 2019
- Friday 11th October 2019

There is no need to book a place for any of our Open Events, however, we would ask that you arrive promptly for a 9.15am start for our Open Mornings

We are more than happy to arrange a [tour of the school](#) for you at any time throughout the year, if you cannot make any of these dates.

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Announcements

Open Evening 2019 - 10th October

POSTED ON: 2019-03-03

We are pleased to announce our next Open Evening will be on the 10th October 2019.

Come and see how good we are. For more details about the transition from primary to secondary school, follow the link below:

<https://www.epsomandewellhighschool.com/477/year-6-transition>

OPEN EVENING 2019
 Thursday, 10th October
 6pm - 9pm

OPEN MORNINGS
 Monday, 1st October to Friday 10th October



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Open Evening

Glyn School will be holding an Open Evening on Wednesday 10 July 2019 for prospective entry into Year 7 in September 2020 and 2021. Further details will follow nearer the time.

At Glyn we hope to make your transition from primary to secondary school, or later on as an in-year transfer, as smooth as possible. Below you will find some useful information about the admissions process and links to relevant websites and contacts.

Frequently Asked Questions

You may find the following document useful, however if you have any further queries If you have any further queries please do not hesitate to contact the Admissions Department on 0208 716 4949 or admissions@glynschool.org

GCSE dedicated class

art-K

TASTER sessions available

create learn
paint explore
experiment imagine

Art club for children 6-16yrs

Children love to draw and paint but there's never enough time at school to enjoy all the different artists and media.

art-K is an art club based in Ashted which provides the time for artistic development. It is a multi-age art club for 6-16 year olds, that has been running for 16 years.

Session Times		
Tues	10.30 - 12.00	4 - 16 yrs (home-schooled)
Tues	16.30 - 17.45	6 - 16 yrs
Wed	16.30 - 17.45	6 - 16 yrs
Thurs	16.15 - 17.30	6 - 16 yrs
Thurs	19.45 - 21.00	14 - 16 yrs (GCSE)
Sat	09.00 - 10.30	6 - 16 yrs
Sat	11.00 - 12.30	6 - 16 yrs

Come see us...

art-K pupils have won many art scholarships to local notable schools and their work features twice a year in local exhibitions.

Upcoming events are:-
Leatherhead Theatre - December 1st - 31st
Denbies Vineyard - January 2nd - 9th.

If you are interested in joining art-K please contact Kathryn on 01372 273160 or by email at kmharper@btinternet.com Please also visit our website www.art-k.co.uk for more information.

acrylic oil watercolour mixed media modelling collage clay

ASD Newsletter

Dear Parents/Carers

Thank you to those who were able to attend the April group. It was really lovely to see so many of you and also many new parents. We had an interesting session with Nicole Berry who spoke about her role, the support offered in schools, and shared useful strategies. Also having an open space for you all to ask questions was much appreciated by all.

Please note that our next session is on the **19th June 2019** which is a **Wednesday**. It is in our usual room.

Nicky and I are planning to have an open space to discuss sensory awareness. How sensory overload can have such an impact on children with ASD. What does this mean? How can we support our children who find sensory overload, possibly anxiety provoking?

All parents or carers of children on the Autism Spectrum or with traits are welcome. We usually have a speaker every week, after which we chat, drink coffee and eat biscuits. I look forward to seeing you all, and also to welcome new group members.

If you want to be able to contact or be contacted by other members of the group, Sara Lawler sara.lawler@outlook.com is in charge of the Parent Support Group contact list (separate from the CAMHS email list) and I am sure she would be happy to help.

Best wishes

Pat Griffin and Nicky Radford

KEY DATES

19th June 2019 – Sensory Awareness Nicky & Pat

17th July 2019 – Last session before the summer break.

Coffee morning and discussion regarding presentations for the next 12 months.

The ASD Parent Support Group Sessions are **Wednesdays or Thursdays from 9.30am until 11.30am in Room 1-04, Gatton Place, St. Matthews Road, Redhill, RH1 1TA.**

Next Date : 19th June 2019 at 9.30a.m. at Gatton Place, St Matthews Road, Redhill. RH1 1TA

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