

## Newsletter 27 11/05/2018

Dear Parents,

After a fantastic long bank holiday weekend, it has been a gloriously sunny week and it has been lovely seeing the children enjoying the warm weather and having fun playing outside.

We have finished the week on a real high with our Reception children performing their first year group assembly to their very proud parents. The theme was Fairy Tales and the performance included 'Judge Kayla' presiding over a court hearing to decide if Goldilocks was a good or naughty girl as well as an extremely scary Big Bad Wolf chasing the Three Little Pigs! The children all spoke with poise and confidence and sang beautifully, clearly loving being on stage for their parents. Well done to all the Reception team for making sure the children were so well prepared.



As part of our RE curriculum and to develop the children's understanding of other faiths, Year 5 visited to Baitul Futuh Mosque in Morden on Wednesday morning. They travelled by train, which added to the adventure, and whilst there had the opportunity visit the prayers room, look at the minaret towers from outside and look at some artefacts, as well as finding out about the traditions and religious practices of the Muslim faith. The children really enjoyed the visit and learned so much. Thank you to Miss Savill, our RE leader, for organising the trip and to the Mosque for hosting our visit.

Tonight we have our Year 3 sleepover at school, meaning there has been a real buzz of excitement in Holmes and Redgrave classes all day. The food delivery has arrived today for the tea and includes lots of treats! Thank you to all the staff who are coming along and giving up their own time at the beginning of their weekend to make this a fun and memorable occasion for the children, especially Miss Gilby and Miss Hylands who will be here from the beginning to the end of the event (a full 24 hour shift!)

In celebration of the Royal Wedding next weekend we will hold a 'Red, White and Blue' mufti day next **Friday, 18<sup>th</sup> May 2018**. The children can wear their own clothes as long as they include red, white and blue and there will be no contribution. Chrissie, our school cook, is preparing a fish and chip lunch, followed by a crown biscuit for lunch and the teachers will also plan some party games to weave into the day to make it fun.



Have a lovely weekend,

Kate Gee  
Head Teacher

### Tweet of the Week

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

Carefully considering  
the evidence



## Attendance this week



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

Attendance for Tuesday 8th - Friday 11th May



## Long Grove Skate Park

Some of the parents at this school are concerned about the current development of Long Grove skate park and have started a WhatsApp Group to share correspondence and ideas. We have been asked by this group to share this link in the newsletter. If there are any other parents who would like to get involved they can click on the link below.

Open this link to join the WhatsApp Group:  
<https://chat.whatsapp.com/0ufj4KV8ZrqJIIRoEUCfO2>

Please note: as we all know from the car parking issues that arise from time to time, the school has no control over what happens outside of the school boundary fence. This note about the WhatsApp group is a courtesy, not an indication of school opinion.

## Lost Property Box

It was emptied only two weeks ago!

Please, come and find your children's things. It will be emptied again in a week or so, and last time some lovely items of clothing were put out to be recycled on.

And remember—we can't return items that aren't named!



# Changes to Free School Meal Eligibility under Universal Credit

The eligibility criteria for free school meals has changed. This letter explains these changes and how they might affect you.

## What are the new eligibility criteria?

Children are entitled to receive free school meals if they or their parents or guardians receive any of the benefits below:

- Universal Credit, provided they have an annual net earned income not exceeding £7,400 (£616.67 per month)
- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part 6 of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guarantee element of Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit, provided they are not entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income of no more than £16,190, as assessed by HMRC
- Working Tax Credit run-on – paid for 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit

## I do not currently claim free school meals – what does this mean for me?

If you think you might be eligible for free school meals please see Mrs Pereira in the school office for a claim form. The information you provide will be used to check if you are in receipt of a qualifying benefit described above and, if you are on Universal Credit, that your earnings do not exceed the threshold. If you claim Universal Credit, your earnings will be assessed from up to three of your last Universal Credit assessment periods.

If you are eligible, the school will be notified. Your child will receive free school meals and the school will receive extra funding.

## I am currently claiming free school meals – what does this mean for me?

Most people will not be affected by the new criteria. If you are currently claiming free school meals, but do not meet the new criteria, your child will continue to receive free school meals until the end of the Universal Credit rollout period. This will apply even if your earnings rise above the new threshold or if you stop being entitled to Universal Credit. The rollout period is currently scheduled to end in March 2022.

Once Universal Credit is fully rolled out, your child will keep their free school meal until the end of their current phase of education, i.e. until your child leaves primary school.

## Where can I get more information?

If you need any further information, please speak to Mrs Pereira in the school office. You can also visit the free school meal website: <https://www.gov.uk/apply-free-school-meals>



## Friends of Southfield Park Primary School

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or drop a note in the Friends' Postbox by the school office.

## News

### Junior PlayBall Games Night

The Infants really enjoyed last week's Playball and we have the Junior evening coming up next Friday 18th May. They are a few spaces left so do get your booking forms in if your children fancy coming along.

### Summer Fair

The Friends are hard at work continuing to plan for the Hawaiian Luau Summer Fair, on **Saturday, 9th June**, from 12pm to 3pm. You may have had a request from your class rep to sign up to the rota to help on the day. We really can't run these events without extra help and we value your support so do please sign up to help if you can.

We are also looking for cakes and biscuits for the fair to be brought in the night before so if you fancy baking/buying some biscuits cakes that would be brilliant!

We have so many fun things planned for the day, including a surf board simulator, bouncy castle, coconut bungee, crockery smash and lots of themed games for the children. There will be a BBQ and a Samosa stall, along with pop corn, candy floss, ice creams and a Tiki Bar selling lots of refreshments, including Pimms, Iced Teas, soft drinks, tea and coffee.

This weeks Year 2 Poster design winner is Evie Thompson. Well done Evie, great work!

### House T-shirt's for Sports' Day

We introduced House T-shirts a few years ago. The T-shirts are available in the children's House colours with their House names on the back. It really adds to the fun and atmosphere on Sports' Day and the children can also get to wear them for other House events. A percentage of your purchase goes straight to the Friends. Please see the order forms attached - we need these back by **Friday, 8th June**, so that we have them back before Sports' Day on Thursday, 5th July.

### Fathers' Day Gifts

Don't forget that the order forms need to be back at school by **Friday, 18th May** so that the gifts can be delivered in time for Fathers' Day on Sunday, 17th June.

## Dates for Your Diary

**Fri, 18th May**

**Fathers' Day Gifts** - order forms to be returned to school.

**Fri, 18th May**

**Junior PlayBall Sports Night** - 4.45 p.m. to 6.00 p.m. See Booking Form for more information.

**Fri, 25th May**

**Bags 4 Schools** - details to follow closer to the time.

**Fri, 8th June**

**House T-Shirts** - forms to be returned to school.  
**Bottle Tombola** - donations for tombola to be brought in.

**Sat, 9th June**

**Hawaiian Summer Fair - 12.00 midday to 3.00 p.m.** - More details coming up.

## What should your child have with them at school?

While we have the lovely weather, everyone needs a suitable hat and water bottle (with fresh water every morning), and have a layer of suitable sun cream on. The children can bring sun cream in with them, but the container must be labelled with their name and kept in their bag, and they must be able to apply it themselves. Maybe consider a cream which will last the whole day, instead.

Lip salve—again this must be labelled and kept in their bag, so it isn't shared with other children. Anything without a name on will be brought down to the office and if it isn't claimed quickly, then it will be put in the rubbish bin.

Full PE kit, named—why not leave it here for the half term so you don't have to remember it each week?

## Has your child borrowed a tie from the school office?

Ties cost £4 and the school has bought a lot of them over the years, which have been borrowed and not returned. All the Juniors should wear a tie, unless a teacher says they don't have to, for example because it is very hot, but we don't have any more to lend out.

Please have a look around at home for ties with SPPS on the back, and ask your child to return it on Monday.

Thank you!

## Changes to School Meal Patterns after the half term break

### Two Weeks to Change Patterns

Please come to the school office to fill in a form if your child is going to be on a **different** school meal pattern after the half term break (starting Monday 4th June) or email ([info@southfield-park.surrey.sch.uk](mailto:info@southfield-park.surrey.sch.uk)). Thank you!

Children in Y6 have a new option at lunchtime — the very popular paninis—in addition to the main meal now available. **This will only be offered to children who have already said that they are having a meal on a Tuesday and / or Thursday.** On those mornings, at registration, the children having a school dinner will be asked if they would like to have a panini for lunch and which filling they would like. They will be able to choose from one or more of cheese, tuna or ham, or if there is a suitable item from the main meal, such as meatballs, they will be able to choose that. Jacket Potatoes will still be available too, on a 'first come, first served' basis.



YOU ARE INVITED TO  
SOUTHFIELD PARK'S HAWAIIAN  
SUMMER FAIR

ON  
SATURDAY 9TH JUNE 2018  
12pm - 3pm  
AT  
SOUTHFIELD PARK  
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BBQ

STALLS  
TOMBOLA  
GAMES

Southfield Park  
Primary School

ICE CREAM

By Eric Thompson Year 2

## Reminders for Next Week

Monday 14th	Y6 SATs Breakfast Club, 8.15am all week
Tuesday 15th	Open Classrooms, 3.10/3.20—5pm
Wednesday 16th	Y4 trip to Horton Country Park, am—walk in trainers, bring school shoes to change into afterwards
Thursday 17th	
Friday 18th	Children can wear mufti clothes / accessories in celebration of the Royal Wedding, which should include red, white and blue

## Bright Sparks

Well done to our Bright Sparks this week:

Britten	Logan O’Farrell	Elgar	Rundong Liu
Goldsworthy	Libby Price	Lowry	Noah Williams Sadler
Faraday	Oscar Lawson	Nightingale	Aharon Scafidi
Redgrave	Rami Katmawi-Sabbagh	Holmes	Alex Foulger
Darwin	Alice Smalley	Newton	James Arnold
Victoria	Benny Duffus	Shakespeare	Rylea Coggins
Churchill	Ben Harris	Attenborough	Iris Trivyza

Phone: 01372 743104

Fax: 01372 729436

Absence Line: 01372 847965

After school clubs staff: 07824988216

E-mail: [info@southfield-park.surrey.sch.uk](mailto:info@southfield-park.surrey.sch.uk)

Polly Sawyer After school club: 07921 147335

### Southfield Park House T-shirt Order Form

T-Shirts are £5 each. Please enclose cash or cheque made payable to "Friends of Southfield Park" and return orders by Friday, 8<sup>th</sup> June 2018.

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Class: \_\_\_\_\_

#### House – Ruxley – COLOUR RED

SIZE	Quantity	Total £
3 - 4 yr		
5 - 6 yr		
7 - 8 yr		
9 - 11 yr		

#### House – Stamford – COLOUR GREEN

SIZE	Quantity	Total £
3 - 4 yr		
5 - 6 yr		
7 - 8 yr		
9 - 11 yr		

#### House – Court – COLOUR ORANGE

SIZE	Quantity	Total £
3 - 4 yr		
5 - 6 yr		
7 - 8 yr		
9 - 11 yr		

#### House – Woodcote – COLOUR YELLOW

SIZE	Quantity	Total £
3 - 4 yr		
5 - 6 yr		
7 - 8 yr		
9 - 11 yr		

#### House – Town – COLOUR PURPLE

SIZE	Quantity	Total £
3 - 4 yr		
5 - 6 yr		
7 - 8 yr		
9 - 11 yr		

#### House – Ewell – COLOUR BLUE

SIZE	Quantity	Total £
3 - 4 yr		
5 - 6 yr		
7 - 8 yr		
9 - 11 yr		

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## JUNIORS' GAMES NIGHT

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Do you fancy an evening of fun and excitement with your friends, developing sports skills and playing many different ball sports games? If you do, then look no further.....

Once again, we are very lucky to have secured a team of excellent Playball coaches to visit our school and run this Juniors' Games Night along with Friends of Southfield Park committee members.

**On:** Friday 18<sup>th</sup> May 2018

**From:** 4.45pm to 6.00pm

**At:** Southfield Park Primary School on the Junior Playground (In the school hall if wet)

**Cost:** £5 a ticket, which includes a drink and snack at half time.

Please come dressed in appropriate clothing for sporting activities and trainers. If hot and sunny, a hat and sun cream is also advisable. You are welcome to bring a named water bottle for an additional drink.

To secure your place, complete the attached form and return by **FRIDAY 11<sup>th</sup> MAY 2018**, along with the correct money. Cheques should be made payable to Friends of Southfield Park. Please note unless you hear from us, you can assume you have been successful gaining a place on the evening.

**Do not delay, places are limited and will be allocated on a first come, first served basis.**

Thanking you in advance for your support, raising valuable funds to support all our children.

Friends of Southfield Park

### **Juniors' Games Night Booking Form**

Name of Child: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

would like to attend the Juniors' Games Night, on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> May 2018, from 4.45pm to 6.00pm.

I enclose £\_\_\_\_\_ in CASH / CHEQUE made payable to Friends of Southfield Park.

Emergency Contact Telephone Number during the evening: \_\_\_\_\_

Does your child have any medical needs or dietary requirements that we need to be aware of?



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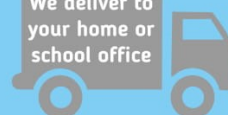


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## TRIAL FOR UNDER 12'S



Epsom & Ewell Colts are holding trials for next seasons U12 teams (White's & Gold's)  
(Going into Year 7 in Sept 2018).

Date: **13 May 2018**

Time: **10.30am**

Venue: **Court Recreation Ground, Pound Lane, Epsom**

Both teams are currently playing in Division 1 of the Epsom and Ewell League, so will be looking for players who are at a similar standard, all positions considered.

For more information please contact, **please register to attend trials.**

Matt Stevens (White's) [mwcstevens@gmail.com](mailto:mwcstevens@gmail.com) 07884 338145

Wayne Howard (Gold's) [wayne.howard71@googlemail.com](mailto:wayne.howard71@googlemail.com) 07884 235335



# Kingstonian Youth FC



Trials for next season's youth teams will take place on;

**Saturday 19th May**  
at Churchfields, Compton Crescent, Chessington  
KT9 2HD

U7s to U11s (school years 2 to 6)  
10am registration

U12s to U16s (school years 7 to 11)  
12 noon registration  
&

**Sunday 20th May**  
at Dinton Field, St Agatha's Drive, Kingston-upon-Thames KT2 5TT

U7s to U11s (school years 2 to 6)  
10am registration

U12s to U16s (school years 7 to 11)  
12 noon registration

Trials will be for next season's age groups. Simply turn up on the day complete with football kit and boots.



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