
Newsletter 33 29/06/2018

Dear Parents,

Wow—what a scorching week it has been!



Our Year 5 children have been thoroughly enjoying their residential trip to PGL on the IoW and especially the sunshine. The team have been keeping parents updated about their adventures via Twitter and the photos certainly capture their excitement. It really has been a 'full on' week for the children (and the staff who have accompanied them) and I am sure we will welcome back some happy, but exhausted, 'campers' on this afternoon. A huge thank you to the staff (as well as their families), who have accompanied the children, giving up their own time - we couldn't do it without their commitment.

This week has been District Sports for both the Track and Field events and as always the children have given their all and done us really proud. There have been some superb individual performances but what is most remarkable is their team spirit and the way they support and encourage each other. Thank you to Miss Jones and Miss Smith for organising our teams and to all the staff who went along to both events to help. Thanks, too, to all the parents who came along to offer their support. A more detailed report will follow next week once we have the final results.



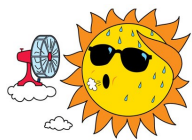
Our Year 2 children have also been out to a football tournament this week, and despite the hot weather loved the opportunity to compete against other schools. Mrs Pereira was in her element running the team, and Miss Gilbody had great fun too. Thank you as well to the parent supporters, who also put up the sun shelters as it was such a hot day.

We have finished the week on a real high with our Phase One Summer Celebration performances on the mornings of both Thursday and Friday. It is always a privilege to be part of the audience and see how far the children have come since the beginning of the year. The Year 1 children are so ready for the move to year 2 and it is hard to believe that the Reception children have only been at school for one year. The singing was beautiful and the confidence with which the children spoke was amazing. I know there were a few tissues needed and so many very proud parents. Thank you to the whole Phase One team for all the time and effort in organising the show and to Miss Brown on her final Summer Celebration before she moves on to pastures new.

This week we will be sending home our annual parent questionnaires asking for your feedback. This is invaluable to us in celebrating both what parents think we do well as well as identifying areas we can improve. These are available online via Survey Monkey which can be accessed via the following link

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/5YGV3N2>

and we are really hoping you can spend just a few minutes sharing your opinions.



Next week it is our Sports Day on Thursday and it is likely that it will be hot. We have noticed that some children still don't have PE shorts to wear for lessons and as it is currently so warm it is essential that they have these in school, as well as hats and water bottles, and especially for Sports Day next week.

Next week is moving up morning on Tuesday and later in the newsletter you will see our staffing for 2018/19 which includes some year group changes, as well as a new member of our teaching team. I am delighted to say that Mrs Carpenter (originally covering Mrs Pratelli's maternity leave) has now joined our team on a permanent basis, and we also welcome Miss Lauren Mansell as a class teacher. She has been teaching at a school in Cheam and we are really excited that she is joining the team at Southfield Park.

Finally can I just remind parents that any bikes or scooters left in the bike shed are securely locked up as we have had some go missing over the past few weeks. The school is not responsible for any bikes or scooters that are left there during the day, and for access reasons the gate near the storage shed is not locked, so it is important that they are secured.

Have a lovely weekend,

Kind regards

Kate Gee.

Tweet of the Week

Follow us on
[@Southfield_Park](#)

Up, up and away!

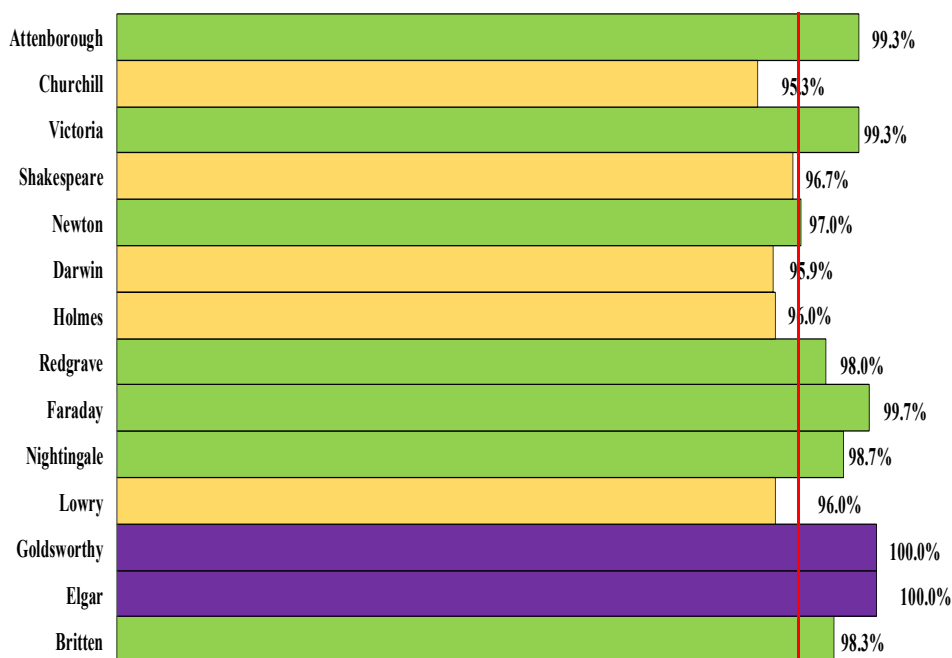


Attendance this week



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

Attendance for Monday 25th - Friday 29th June



CLASSES 2018-2019

Our 'Moving Up' morning takes place on Tuesday 3rd July, and the children are all excited to find out who their new teacher will be. I am extremely proud to lead such a professional and dedicated team of teachers, Teaching Assistants and Special Needs Assistants, and I can confidently say that whichever class your child will be in next year they will be in great hands.

Classes 2018-2019			
Class 2018-19	Teacher	TA/SNA	Moving up from old 2017-18 class
Britten	Mrs Emily Greenacre	Mrs Jackie Oakley Mrs Kate Price	
Elgar	Miss Katherine Egan	Mrs Sinead Smalley Mrs Mandie Golder	
Goldsworthy	Mrs Hollie Williams (previously Miss Gilbody)	Mrs Pam Drake	Elgar Class
Lowry	Miss Ellie Barrett	Mrs Lynne Halsberry	Britten Class
Faraday	Miss Lauren Mansell	Miss Helen McDonald	Goldsworthy Class
Nightingale	Mrs Sarah Carpenter	Ms Jacquie Votier	Lowry Class
Redgrave	Miss Lauren Gilby	Ms Nisa Parry	Mixed up
Holmes	Miss Emily Hylands	Miss Claire Cobban	Mixed up
Darwin	Miss Gemma Savill	Mrs Sara Newbould Mrs Trish Carswell (SNA)	Holmes Class
Newton	Mr Andrew Batty	Ms Shelley Anderson Mrs Sarah Bertolone (SNA)	Redgrave Class
Victoria	Mrs Christine Littlewood (Previously Miss Jones)	Mrs Clare Rolton	Darwin Class
Shakespeare	Miss Sophie David	Mrs Elizabeth Williams	Newton Class
Churchill	Miss Georgia Smith	Mrs Gill Glasspool Mrs Hanna Louis (SNA)	Shakespeare Class
Attenborough	Mrs Sally Smith (3 days) / Mrs Karen Del Medico (2 days)	Mrs Jane Radcliffe Miss Louisa Yates (SNA)	Victoria Class

SHINE Show helps Save the Children

Thank you to everyone who came to the SHINE Show recently—we are pleased to say that we raised just over £88 for the Save the Children charity. Well done!

New School Uniform

Amy Kainth will be in the playground on

Tuesday 17th July

after school to sell new school uniform. If you can't wait that long, why not order online—Amy can often drop your order off at school.

www.schoolwearinc.co.uk

Tel: 0203 051 7488

Mob: 07951 442734

We really, really need.....

Boxes of tissues

Spare PE kit

Spare ties

Girls and boys socks and pants, especially for small people

Please leave any donations under the leaflet display

Clubs Information

Next week is the last week of clubs except for those clubs where parents and children have been informed of any change.

Aladdin club is only for invited Y6 children on Tuesday.



Friends of Southfield Park Primary School

(Registered Charity No. 1110233)

Follow us on Facebook: [Friends of Southfield Park Primary](#)

Follow us on Twitter: [@FoSPPEpsom](#)

Email us: friends@southfield-park.surrey.sch.uk
or drop a note in the Friends' Postbox by the school office.

House T-Shirts

The t-shirts have arrived, and are being sorted out this weekend—they will be coming home on Monday in time for Sports Day on Thursday

Library Books

Please return all library books next week, so an audit can be carried out

Ice Lolly Fridays

Ice lolly Fridays will be carrying on until the end of term.

Aladdin

Look out for us at Aladdin when we will be doing interval drinks in true theatre style! That will be our last event of the year.

The Giving Machine

Booking your 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!

Stamptastic

If you're thinking about name labels for all the new school uniform you'll be getting over the Summer, then take a look at Stamptastic. They will give cashback to the school for purchases made using the following link:

<http://bit.ly/SPStamp>

Dates for Your Diaries

Tues, 10th and Wed, 11th July The Friends will be serving interval drinks at Aladdin.

Sports Day Final Arrangements

Dear Parents,

We are all very much looking forward to our Sports Day on Thursday 5th July and are keeping our fingers crossed for a dry day. I am just writing to confirm the arrangements to ensure the day runs as smoothly as possible.

We will begin the Infants Sports at approximately 10.45am and as you know, we are walking the children from school to meet you there. The gates to the Harrier centre will be open from 10.15am for spectators. The Junior House Captains will accompany the Infant classes so they can support their houses in the Infant events. When we arrive at the Harrier centre the children will use the footpath around the edge of the car park for safety, and we will then walk them across the grass and through the gate to the grass area at the centre of the track. The games will take place on the grass and parents can watch from the track, and obviously cheer everyone on!

The Junior children will arrive for lunch at approximately 12 midday, and you will be able to collect your children (Infants and Juniors) at that time from their teachers and enjoy a picnic with them on the grass. If you are not able to join them for lunch please make sure they have a packed lunch which they can carry with them. You may like to bring a picnic rug to sit on, and some shade if it's a hot day! Infant children will be signed out from their teachers for the afternoon, and are then free to go home after lunch if parents wish although they are more than welcome to stay and watch the Juniors with their parents during the afternoon.

Junior children will be signed out for the picnic lunch, and afterwards (approx 12.30pm) we will ring a bell for the Juniors only to return to their class base to be registered for the afternoon session. If you are unable to come and watch, or cannot take your Infant child home after their events due to work commitments, please make sure you have let the school office know about this. In this case they will be welcome to stay with their class teacher to watch the Junior sports events, but must be collected from the Harrier Centre at the end of the day at **3.00pm**.

The Junior Sports will begin at 12.45pm. We will have some fun games on the central grass area, which parents can watch from the track, and then complete the afternoon with some more formal running races on the track. For these track events we ask you to stand in the area next to the club house on the opposite side of the track from the children. The children will sit on the grass area next to the track in their Houses to cheer each other on and will be supervised by adults from school. For security reasons the children **will not be allowed** to cross the track to stand with their parents or receive drinks or snacks at this stage, but must stay with the rest of the children so please make sure they have a bottle of water or a drink available whilst they are competing. It makes it very difficult for supervising adults to check that all the children are present if the children are not all in one place and wander off to see their family and we are sure you all understand this.

At the end of the afternoon, parents of children in the Junior classes will be able to collect them from their class base in the centre of the arena and will be asked to sign them out. We anticipate that the day will end at **3pm** and **all children will need to be collected from The Harrier Centre** at that time.

To avoid the children having to carry too many belongings to the Harrier centre we will send home PE kits on Wednesday after school and ask the children to come to school in their **correct** PE kit on Thursday morning, please ensure the children are wearing shorts not tracksuits. If they have a T shirt in their House colour they should wear that in place of their normal PE top so we can easily identify who is in each team and add to team spirit. Please make sure you return their PE kit to school on Friday as it will be needed for PE lessons.

We have been asked by the Harrier Centre to request that ladies avoid wearing stiletto heeled shoes as they can damage the track. I hope I have covered everything but if you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact me or your child's teacher. We look forward to seeing you on Thursday.

Yours sincerely

Georgia Smith

PE Subject leader.

Projects to be proud of!

As part of Science week the children were given the opportunity to carry out an investigation of their choice at home and present their findings in an exciting way. We were blown away by the amount of entries and were so proud of all the effort the children went to. Southfield Park has some amazing scientists!



Phase winners

Phase One – Jude Yass

Phase Two – Rosie Nicolaou

Phase Three – Cordy Myhill

Class winners

Elgar – Lillie-Ann Sweeney

Britten – Erasmia Makri

Goldsworthy – Saanvi Makhecha

Lowry – George Yeld

Nightingale – Olivia Tuck

Faraday – Sofia Makri

Holmes – Logan Hill

Redgrave – Joshua Mayston

Darwin – Forrest Williams

Newton – Aaron Hasselwander

Victoria – Lily Hunter

Attenborough – Toby Grant

Reminders for Next Week

Monday 2nd	<p>Last week of Clubs except for special arrangements children / parents should know about.</p> <p>Churchill class visiting Houses of Parliament</p> <p>Reception, Y1-5 parents unable to book parents evening appointments after 12 midday—please call the office for help</p>
Tuesday 3rd	<p>Moving up day for all children, Y6 children go to their new secondary school, or come to Southfield if their introductory day is another day</p> <p>Parents Evening, for Reception, Y1-5 only, 4-6pm</p>
Wednesday 4th	Parents Evening, for Reception, Y1-5 only, 4.30-6pm, 6.30-8pm
Thursday 5th	Sports Day—please read the note earlier in the newsletter. ALL children need to be collected from the Harrier Centre, by 3pm latest
Friday 6th	

Bright Sparks

Well done to our Bright Sparks this week:			
Britten	Arlo Masters, Jenson Morgan and Libby Pitchford-Smith	Elgar	Ella Avis, Ayaan Islam and Holly Plows
Goldsworthy	Liam Hill	Lowry	Jude Yass
Faraday	Joseph Saunders	Nightingale	Alice Barratt
Redgrave	Kara Hill	Holmes	Lokesh Dasan
Darwin	Kitty Yeld	Newton	Samuel Selvakumar
Churchill	Sadie Smith	Attenborough	Eden Mander

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Polly Sawyer After school club: 07921 147335

The Voice Kids will be returning to our screens on ITV in 2019 and we're looking for super talented singers and duos aged 7-14* who have what it takes to take over The Voice Kids stage.

I was hoping to touch base to see if you know of any exceptional young singers that might attend your school and who might be interested in taking part in the next series?

Parents are welcome to email me directly to chat further or can feel free to send videos of their children performing direct on ross.fiddes@itv.com Alternatively parents can apply directly through our site here: <http://www.itv.com/thevoicekidsuk/apply> (eligibility criteria and terms and conditions will apply).

If you would like to discuss this further then please feel free to contact myself on 0161 952 0510

Thanks so much!
Ross

Your personal information and that of any Children will be collected and processed in accordance with our Privacy Notice at www.itvstudios.com/privacy-notice/talent-contributors-audience.

A child friendly version of this same notice is available to view at:
www.itvstudios.com/privacy-notice/children

**We can also see 6 year olds if they turn 7 by 1st December 2018 and 14 yr olds if they are still of age until 30th April 2019.*

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*Remember 2016 - Summer of Pokémon Go
and 1st MGSo4 festival?*



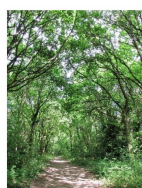
For one weekend only

Christ Church Epsom Common

Youth Group have created an interactive walk across the Common from the historic Epsom Well to the church itself.

DISCOVER

- Our 10 street art panels
- Scan the QR codes
- Learn more about local history and architecture
- Enjoy your Common!



Saturday 7th & Sunday 8th July

10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.





TICKETS & INFORMATION AT
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epsom and ewell arts festival

Epsom celebrates the 400-year-anniversary of the discovery of Epsom Salts

We've all heard of Epsom Derby but did you know that the multi-billion pound global market in Epsom Salts originated from a single well in Epsom in 1618?

The local waters filled with magnesium sulphate attracted the likes of Samuel Pepys and Nell Gwynne to spend the summer season at Epsom Spa (England's very first spa town) to drink and bathe in the health-giving mineral waters - and enjoy some riotous entertainment on the side...

Next week [2-8 July] the borough is celebrating this 400-year anniversary with a unique creative arts festival. There will be 40 events, exhibitions and activities over 7 days.

Festival highlights include:

A whole day of events and activities for families at Bourne Hall, Ewell on 7 July

A communal multi-coloured dissolving sculpture created with Epsom Salts, with artist Bea Haines. (Her work is currently attracting attention at the Royal Academy Summer Exhibition).

Amy Johnson: Last Flight Out theatre show

The first-ever street theatre performance of 17th century comedy *Epsom Wells* - so good King Charles II saw it two days running. (Sunday 8 July) FREE event

Free live music every lunchtime



Summer Holidays 2018

Cooking Sessions

Southfield Park Primary School

Aged 5-11 years

Tuesday 14th August Mediterranean Cooking

Thursday 16th August American cooking

Drop off 10am - Collection 1pm

£25 per child

We make our lunch too!

Family Session

Everyone welcome, parents stay

Thursday 16th August

2pm - 3.15pm

£15 per child

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