# SPARSHOLT PRIMARY SCHOOL



#### Dates for your diaries

Inset Dates Inset Dates (2017/18)

Non-Uniform Day (donations for FoSS raffle) Summer Production Dates 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> July 4<sup>th</sup> Sept 17, 26<sup>th</sup> Jan 18, 19<sup>th</sup> Feb 18, 25<sup>th</sup> May 18, 23<sup>rd</sup> July 18 Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July Tue 18<sup>th</sup> 1.30pm & Wed 19<sup>th</sup> July 6.30pm

#### Weekly Update from Mrs McCarthy

Dear Parents and Carers

 ${\bf I}$  am pleased to inform you that our Mosaic Awards for this week have been presented to;

<i>Willow Class</i>	<i>Beech Class</i>	<i>Maple Class</i>	<i>Rowan Class</i>	<i>Oak Class</i>
Sam G	Madsie, Megan	Claudia	Reuben	Mima
Rory	Charlie D	Emily	William G	Abby

The pupil reports will be coming home with children today. Just a reminder that if you have any specific questions regarding the report we have arranged for parents to visit the class teachers on Wednesday 12th July from 2pm - 5pm. Please telephone the school office if you would like to make an appointment.

Letters inviting you to come and see our summer production "A Midsummer Night's Dream" have also been sent home today. Please return the booking form for hall tickets in case of bad weather, although we hope to be outside for both the afternoon and evening performances.

We have had the results back from this year's Animation17 competition! The children were challenged to make a 1minute animated film on a computer about anything they liked, either as an individual or as a team of up to 4 people. I am delighted to say we have 1 winner (KS2 group - highly commended) from the 9 animations that entered! Well done to Abby, Amelie, Jess and Grace for their animation called "Trick Or Treat". You can see the amazing winning films online at <u>www.youtube.com/user/AnimationComp/</u> Children in Year 4, 5 and 6 - think you could do better? Animation18 launches in September!

We look forward to welcoming you to our Sports Day on **Monday 10th July at 1.30pm**. FOSS will be serving refreshments throughout the afternoon. In the unfortunate event that we need to cancel due to inclement weather, we will send a text message Monday morning. Considerate parking would be much appreciated and please avoid parking on the village roads due to the service bus.

We are holding a Non-Uniform Day on **Friday 14th July**. If you can, please donate a bottle, box of bath goodies, chocolates etc for the Summer Production raffle which will take place during the Summer Productions on the 18<sup>th</sup> and 19th July in exchange for not wearing uniform for the day. All proceeds to FoSS.

Coming home in book bags today is the Shake Up passport and stickers for children. These complement the Shake Up worksheets children will be completing in school. Change4Life in partnership with Disney are running the nationwide 'Shake Up for Summer' scheme to inspire children to get active over the summer holidays.

For your information the grand total raised from the Golden Mile challenge is £2222.91 - well done everyone - all proceeds will go towards Phase 2 playground project!

Kind regards

Lindsay McCarthy - Headteacher

### Last chance! Music tuition from September 2017

With our Year 6's leaving us we have some space for paid-for music tuition. Recorder (Yr 2+) - 2 spaces, Clarinet (Yr 3+) - 1 space, Flute (Yr 3+) - 1 space, First-come-first-served. Please contact the school office if interested.

### End of Term Trip, Sports Clubs and After School Kid's Club Invoices

Invoices were sent out to parents for outstanding amounts owed to the school (school clubs, trips and extended school provision (after school club) yesterday. We would very much appreciate full settlement by Friday  $14^{th}$  July – thank-you.

#### **End of Term Lunch Invoices**

Lunch invoices up to and including **Friday**  $21^{st}$  **July** will be sent out in book bags on the last day of term. You can use our online facility (via the Sparsholt School website) to pay the outstanding amounts. If you would prefer to pay by cheque or cash, please return the invoice with your payment to school w/c 5<sup>th</sup> September 2017.

For those **Year 6** children leaving us on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July who do **not** have siblings remaining at the school, you will find an invoice in your child's book bag on **Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> July** (for meals taken up to and including Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> July). If your child is having a meal on the following Thursday and/or Friday please include an additional £2.15 per meal with your remittance which must be returned to school by **Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July** latest. You will not be able to pay on line after the end of this term.

Any outstanding invoices for Year 6 children *with* siblings in school will be transferred to that sibling's account at the end of July.

# 'CrawleyFest' returns to Crawley Village for its third year running on Friday 25th & Saturday 26th August 2017.

Co-organised by Amelia, William and Imogen Baker's Dad, CrawleyFest is a fun and friendly boutique festival in the village of Crawley.

Join us for a Friday Night Warm Up Party and a Saturday of DJs, Live Bands, Dancing, Drinking, Eating, Crafting, Meditating and Yoga with loads of cool stuff for kids to do, over the August Bank Holiday weekend.

This year the event is raising money for The Murray Parish Trust and other local good causes. The Murray Parish Trust are raising funds for the Children's Trauma Unit at Southampton General Hospital.

Info and tickets at <u>www.facebook.com/crawleyfest</u> - Under 12s go free!

## School Clubs commencing Monday 11th September 2017

We will be offering a new timetable of clubs after the school day from September. For some clubs we will be stipulating a maximum number of children; if we have more interest than places we will be pulling names out of a hat. Children not successful in acquiring a place will be placed on a waiting list.

For any child registered in an after-school club who is unable to attend, please inform us of going-home arrangements. We will always hold children at school who are in clubs that are cancelled at short notice due, for example, to inclement weather.

All after-school clubs will finish at **4.30pm** for a prompt pick-up by parents/carers, we may bring this time forward to **4.15pm** for outdoor clubs as the evenings get darker – thank-you.

Day	After-School Clubs	Notes
Monday	Computing Club <b>Yr 4 – Yr 6</b> (12 max) Hockey <b>Yr 3 – Yr 6</b> (24 max) Netball <b>Yr 4 - Yr 6</b> (24 max)	
Tuesday	Choir <b>Yr 1 – Yr 6</b> (30 max) Bench Ball <b>Yr 2 – Yr 6</b> (30 max) Rugby <b>Yr 4 – Yr 6</b> (18 max)	There will be a charge (payable in advance) for rugby club to cover coaching costs (£30 for 10 sessions)
Wednesday	Mini Football Club <b>Yr 1 – Yr 3</b> Junior Football Club <b>Yr4 – Yr6</b>	There will be a charge (payable in advance) for both Football Clubs to cover coaching costs (£30 for 10 sessions)
Thursday	Jnr Lacrosse <b>Yr 3 &amp; Yr 4</b> (20 max) Snr Lacrosse <b>Yr 5 &amp; Yr 6</b> (20 max)	Lacrosse is a paid for club (£30 for 10 sessions)
Friday	Sport Multi-Skills <b>Yr 1- Yr 6</b> Donna Vokes' Art Club ( <b>Yr 2 – Yr 6</b> ) (12 max) Integr8 Dance offer an after school dance club – please contact directly for details - 01962 832585	There will be a charge (payable in advance and directly to the provider) for Art Club and Integr8 Dance.

## After School Clubs from 11<sup>th</sup> September 2017

Complete the form and return to the school office if your child is interested in enrolling in our school clubs:

Name of child			Class				
is interested in registering for the following clubs (please tick)							
Computing	Netball	Choir	Jnr Football	Hockey			
Jnr Lacrosse	Snr Lacrosse	Mini Football	Art Club	Bench Ball			
Multi-Skills	Rugby						