# Sparsholt C of E Primary School



#### Dates for your diaries

Inset Dates
Inset Days from September 2018

23<sup>rd</sup> July 18 3<sup>rd</sup> September, 19<sup>th</sup> October 2018 15<sup>th</sup> February, 22<sup>nd</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2019

# Dear Parents and Carers

We awarded our 2018 annual sports awards this week in Celebration Worship. These children have been recognised for their commitment and performance in sport and also for inspiring others. Our sports achievers received a gold and blue cup badge to wear on their uniform.



- Year R Zac, Molly
- Year 2 Charlie, Charlie, Florrie, Cecily
- Year 4 Tom, Elliss, Olivia, Elin
- Year 1 Sophie Sh, Sam
- Year 3 Lucas, Eddie, Amelia, Orla
- Year 5 Daniel, William, Elsa, Maisie
- Year 6 Cassie, Joshua, Jackson, Lucy, Esther, Mima,

#### Go, Go, Go Joseph!

Thank you to everyone who came to our magnificent outdoor production of Joseph and The Amazing Technicolour Dream coat. We are so proud of every single child in the school, who shone like bright stars on the Stage.

A massive well-done to our super-talented and amazing Yr 6 who led our brilliant and unforgettable show!

Whole School Summer Holiday Reading Challenges

We have set two whole school reading challenges, which we invite every child in the school to take part in. The first challenge is to complete the Reading Agency and Library Summer Reading Challenge 2018. This year the reading challenge is called Mischief Makers, inspired by the much loved iconic Beano, which celebrates its 80th anniversary . To take part your child should register at The Winchester Discovery Centre and read six library books and as a reward they will receive a medal and a certificate.





The second challenge is for every pupil and member of staff in the school to take part in our 'Extreme Reading Challenge'. Be creative and think of all the fun, safe and extreme places you can enjoy a book and take a photograph of you reading your book in that place. We will display all photographs around the school in September.

#### Year 6 Leavers' Thanksgiving Service

It was an emotional day today as we said goodbye to our year six pupils at our Leavers' Thanksgiving Service led by Rev Jax at St Stephens Church. We are incredibly proud of all they have achieved and what wonderful, confident people they have become. All the staff and pupils would like to wish them every success and happiness in their new schools and we hope to hear about their progress in the future.

#### Welcome Meeting

I would like to invite you to attend a Welcome Meeting on Thursday 13th September. The timings of the meetings are as follows:

- 5.30pm Year 1 Willow Class & Year 1/2 Beech Class
- 6.00pm Year 3 Maple Class
- 6.30pm Year 4/5 Rowan Class
- 7.00pm Year 5/6 Oak Class

This will be an opportunity for you to meet the staff, visit your child's classroom, look at class routines, and find out about the curriculum, year group expectations and homework.

## End of Year Reflection

It's the end of a successful year! It's amazing how much has been achieved by the pupils, staff and governors in one year. The achievements extend from the outstanding SATs results in Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2, to our success in the sporting arena, the arts and the excellent fundraising efforts of FOSS. We have all lived our school values of Courage, Compassion and Creativity on a daily basis. We achieved so much because we work together as a team and because of the strength of our home school partnership.

As we all wish you a very restful, fun-filled and happy summer holiday, we would like to share the final blessing from our Leavers' Service:

I rise today

Through the strength of heaven

Light of the moon,

Splendour of fire,

Speed of Lightening,

Swiftness of wind,

Depth of sea,

Stability of earth,

Firmness of rock.

My very best wishes and kind regards

Lynn Laver (Headteacher)

#### Home to School Transport - Applying & Schools Distributing Bus Passes

Hampshire School transport have asked us to remind parents that you need to apply for transport for the September, if your child is eligible and not already on transport, ideally by Friday 27<sup>th</sup> July 2018. Please refer to their website to view the full HTST policy:

# https://www.hants.gov.uk/educationandlearning/schooltransport

HTST is moving to an electronic process for those who will be travelling to and from school by bus. All information this year will be sent to parents via email. They are creating a 'Contact Form' which parents/guardians can complete to provide them with their information either if their contact details have changed or if they don't think they hold this currently. More information to follow,

HTST is planning to send all bus passes directly to schools so that these can be distributed to pupils at the start of the Autumn term. All schools should receive the bus passes by the 31 August 2018 along with further information on routes and bus stops.

Please note that school bus drivers will be instructed to let children travel to and from school without a bus pass for the first week of the new term to give them the opportunity to collect their passes from the school.

#### FoSS News

Thank you all so much for all your help and support during the show evenings. We raised £1,584! An amazing amount to support our fabulous school.

- Littleton and Harestock Show Sat 1st Sept 12-5pm.

  We will have a stall at the Show in Littleton and need volunteers to help man it for an hour during the afternoon. Please contact Bonnie Stagg or Lisa Robinson if you can help.
- Yr 4, 5 and 6 parents... any unwanted, good quality toys needed for our stall at Littleton Show. We have
  lots of toys for preschool aged children and lots of games but very little for older children (lego, knex,
  my little ponys, dolls, craft sets etc)

Save the Date - Saturday 29th September 2018

There will be a FOSS Autumn Social event on the evening of Saturday 29th September for parents, carers and friends of the school. For tickets contact FoSS by email: <a href="mailto:friendsofsparsholtschool@gmail.com">friendsofsparsholtschool@gmail.com</a>

- Location: Winchester Racquets and Fitness Club, Bereweeke Road
- Ticket Price: £20 per person to include a two course dinner and a live band
- Raffle, cash bar and dancing! More details to follow.

#### Littleton and Harestock Show (Saturday 1st September) and the Pet Show (Thursday 30th August)

- Don't forget to add the dates to your diary! This fine, traditional village show will be brought to you again on Saturday, 1st September, from 12:00 to 5:00pm at the Recreation Ground in Littleton.
- There will be some new attractions and many old favourites, including a funfair, ferret racing, a flight simulator, traditional stalls and games, live music and plenty of local food and refreshments. If you have any potential prize-winning flowers, vegetables, cakes, photographs or artwork, the last date for entries is Tuesday 28th August. There are classes for all ages from 2 to 102!
- Whichever category you enter, from fairy cakes to floral art, poetry or photography, collage, greeting cards, cress, carrots or chutney, we can't wait to see your entries.
- The Pet Show will be on Thursday 30th August, 4.00pm til 6.00pm. All pets, furry or not, are welcome!
- More information on the Facebook page <u>www.facebook.com/lhshow.org.uk</u> and website <u>www.lhshow.org.uk</u>

#### End of Term Lunch Invoices

Invoices for lunches and overdue music tuition, clubs and trips are coming home with pupils today in bookbags.

## Please remember that from September 2018 KS2 lunches must be paid 6 weeks in advance

For the half term, Mon 3rd September to Fri 19th October 2018 (7 weeks), the amounts we're looking for you to pre-fund are follows:

Number of days lunches are taken	One day/week	Two days/week	Three days/ week	Four days/week	Five days/ week
1 child at school	£16.10	£32.30	£48.30	£64.40	£80.50
2 children at school	£32.20	£64.60	£96.60	£128.80	£161.00

#### Breakfast Club?

We would like to know if any of our parents would find a breakfast club a useful addition to our list of extracurricular clubs?

We are in talks with an outside provider about running a Breakfast Club from 7.45am to 8.30am every school day. We would expect the cost to be in the region of £5 per child per session. Booking for places would have to be in advance so that the correct level of staff are in attendance.

Children would be provided with a healthy breakfast (specific dietary requirements will be met wherever possible). Every day there will be a wide range of activities, games and toys to play with.

If you think you would be likely to use breakfast club facilities, please complete the form, over so we can get an idea of numbers, thank-you

#### Breakfast Club interest

I would like to make use of a breakfast club on	1	2	3	4	5	days per week (pls select)
for(number) children						
Name			<b>.</b>			

#### School Clubs commencing September 10th

All after school clubs will commence from Monday  $10^{th}$  September (Extended School provision "After School Kids Club" commences from  $4^{th}$  September - see over).

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, parent/carers **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 become darker – thank-you.

Registration form overleaf

Day	After-School Clubs	Notes
Monday	Computing Club Yr 4 - Yr 6 (12 max) Netball Yr 4 - 6 (24 max)	Rugby Club - registration and payment directly to Integr8 Sport 01962 808398
	Integr8 Rugby Yr 4 - Yr 6 (18 max) Artiology Club Yr 2 - Yr 6	Artiology Club - registration and payment directly to Halli Ormerod
Tuesday	Choir Yr 1 - Yr 6 (30 max) Bench Ball Yr 2 - Yr 6 (30 max)	
Wednesday	Integr8 Mini Football Club <b>Yr 1 - Yr 3</b> Integr8 Junior Football Club <b>Yr4 - Yr6</b>	Football Clubs - registration and payment directly to Integr8 Sport 01962 808398
Thursday	Jnr Lacrosse <b>Yr 3 &amp; Yr 4</b> (20 max) Snr Lacrosse <b>Yr 5 &amp; Yr 6</b> (20 max) Recorder Club (Lunchtime) (Yr 1 - Yr 6) Fencing Club (12 minimum)	Lacrosse is a paid for club through the school (£30 for 10 sessions) Fencing is a paid for club registered and payment directly to Jonathan Mann 07554 442320 jdsportscoaching@gmail.com
Friday	Integr8 Multi-Skills <b>Yr 1- Yr 6</b> Integr8 Dance	Multi-skills Club - registration and payment directly to Integr8 Sport 01962 808398 Integr8 Dance - registration and payment directly to Integr8 Dance 01962 808398

# After School Clubs from 10th September 2018

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

Name of child							
is interested in registering for the following clubs (please tick)							
Computing	Choir Bench Ball Netball						
Jnr Lacrosse Sn	nr Lacrosse Recorder Club Artiology Club						
Fencing							
New from September 2018 - Lunchtime Children's Yoga (Yr 3 and above)							
Every Wednesday lunchtime 12.30 - 1p.m							
12 weeks £30.00							
Book by email: discoveryoga@btinternet.com or telephone 07985 119810							