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# Sundon Park Junior School

## Weekly Newsletter

### News

It's been an exciting week, as children met their class teachers for next Year. We spend a great amount of time each year looking at the best fit for each child and we hope this is apparent in the relationships that develop between both children and staff throughout the year.

Good luck to anyone taking part in 'Katie's Walk' on Sunday which is being held to raise money for one of our pupils who suffers from Cystic Fibrosis and CF related Diabetes. All proceeds will go towards her freestyle libre monitor which records her blood sugar levels and has to be changed every two weeks.

### Transition Day

Children were extremely excited to find out who their teachers will be next year and to spend some time in their new classes on Thursday morning.

Our current Year 6 spent the day at their chosen secondary schools and got to meet, not just their new teachers in each subject, but also new classmates who will be joining them from other primary and junior schools.

We also welcomed our soon-to-be Year 3 pupils, who quickly relaxed and made themselves at home at SPJS.

We hope this day dispelled any nerves that may have existed and got children excited for September.

### 3AF Class Assembly

On Tuesday we were treated to a fantastic class assembly by 3AF. With a mix of the Roman Empire and Star Wars, a combination appreciated by many of the dads, they showed us some of the excellent work they have been producing in class. We particularly liked the cameo by Darth Vader.



### Dangerous Driving

Once again, we have had another incident of a pedestrian narrowly avoiding being hit by a car performing a 3-point-turn outside our school gates. It is incredibly dangerous to use such manoeuvres in this location, especially at these busy times of the day, with small children and pedestrians often positioned in blind spots.

We will not hesitate to pass on details to the appropriate authorities of any vehicles driving or parking dangerously outside our school gates.

### Wear Something Yellow Day

To raise money for our chosen charity this year, the Cystic Fibrosis Trust, we will be holding a 'wear something yellow and afternoon tea' event on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> July. We are requesting that children remain in school uniform but wear something yellow, such as socks, hairbands, sash or badge. A donation of £1 is recommended. There will then be an afternoon tea with an entrance fee of £1. Children of parents attending will be able to join us for the afternoon tea.



## Weekly Awards

### Star Readers (30/06/2017)

Chosen by class teachers for great improvement and ongoing commitment in their reading.

#### **Year 3**

Rebecca  
Joni  
Adi

#### **Year 4**

Isabel  
Kyle  
Elijah H

#### **Year 5**

Elijah W  
Sara  
Naila

#### **Year 6**

Andrew  
Charleigh  
Aisha

### Class Leaders (30/06/2017)

This title is awarded to pupils who act as an example to the rest of their class.

#### Year 3

Harry  
Rhea  
Phoenix

#### Year 4

Elisabeth  
Maikael  
Elicia

#### Year 5

Charlotte M  
Rhys  
Kasey

#### Year 6

Gracie  
Muntazir  
Chloe K



## PE Awards

Jenefails

Kenzie

Ellie

Michael

## Upcoming Dates

3 <sup>rd</sup> July	Year 5 Lealands Transition Morning
4 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Camping Trip (Overnight)
6 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 4 Camping Trip (Overnight)
7 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 5 Shared Learning Experience – 1:35pm
10 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 3 Shared Learning Experience – 2:30pm Year 3 Roman Day
13 <sup>th</sup> July	Music Concert – 3:45pm End of Term Treat
14 <sup>th</sup> July	End of Term Treat Summer Picnic – 4pm-7pm
17 <sup>th</sup> July	Charity Afternoon Parents vs. Staff Rounders Challenge Book Fair
18 <sup>th</sup> July	Dance Show
20 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Leavers' Performance Year 6 Leavers' Celebration- 7pm – 9pm
21 <sup>st</sup> July	Last Day of Term

## Student Bus Passes

Arriva have launched a new Scholar saver ticket, which is now available to all secondary school students up to and including Year 11. This may be relevant to our current Year 6 pupils who will be starting secondary education in September. Tickets allow for unlimited travel across the Arriva network in Luton and Dunstable and cost £1.35 a day. Please visit the website below for more information:

<http://www.arrivabus.co.uk/ss-bedsbucks>

## Lunch Menu



### Monday

Sausage Sub and Wedges  
Chicken, Leek and  
Mushroom Bake  
Veg. Sausages ✓  
Chocolate Orange Mud Pie  
Date Slice

### Tuesday

Chicken and Sweetcorn Pie  
Jacket Potato with Filling  
Vegetable Pie ✓  
Oaty Cookie  
Mixed Berry Jelly

### Wednesday

Roast Beef  
Tuna and Sweetcorn  
Roast Pepper Quiche ✓  
Pear and Cocoa Sponge  
Crispy Flapjack

### Thursday

Moroccan Lamb  
Chicken Paninette  
Roast Veg. and Cous Cous ✓  
Mango and Banana Muffin  
Toffee Waffles and Ice  
Cream

### Friday

Cheese and Tomato Pizza  
and Chips ✓  
Fish and Chips  
Raspberry Bun  
Lemon Meringue Pots

**Please note that changes to the menu may take place due to unforeseen circumstances such as late deliveries.**

## English Next Week

### Year 3

In English next week, Year 3 will be learning to identify the features and structure of an explanation text in order to write their own.

### Year 4

Next week in English, Year 4 will be learning a non-fiction text linked to our work on Greek Myths. We will be learning techniques and tools for writing an information text.

### Year 5

Next week in Year 5, we will be looking at instructional texts. We will learn our own text 'How to defeat a dragon'.

### Year 6

Year 6 will be performing plays, written and produced by themselves, to show off their writing and acting abilities. They will also be auditioning for their parts in the Year 6 performance

## Maths Next Week

### Year 3

Next week in maths, Year 3 are going to be exploring data. We will look at different ways in which data can be presented, collect our own data and present it in a range of forms.

### Year 4

Next week in Year 4, we shall be continuing our work on problem solving; focusing on multiplication and division.

### Year 5

In maths next week, Year 5 will be looking at information in tables (such as timetables) and then revising previous topics to identify any misconceptions.

### Year 6

Year 6 will be using thinking and reasoning skills to solve problems. Much of this will be linked to the 'Year 6 Camp'