

Sprowston Junior - July News

11th July, 2019



We reach the last couple of weeks of term and it is always time to reflect on the academic year and time to wish all our leavers the very best for the next chapter in their school career.

To all parents/carers leaving us too, thank you for your support over the past 4 years and we look forward to hearing about the children's successes at high school.

We have 5 key values at Sprowston Junior (resilience, confidence, respect, independence and positivity) and it was lovely to read all the children's reports and to constantly see those values stated. I see examples of these values in children daily and we will continue to strive to work together to ensure that we develop these strongly in the children during their time here.

Regards

Matt Walton, Headteacher

Family Week

We hope you all enjoyed Family Week 2019 and loved having so many parents/carers and family members join us. We've had some good feedback on the different activities that we put on, this always helps us to plan next year's events.

Children's University

We were delighted to see 5 of our pupils graduating at Children's University last week. They all graduated with over 100 hours of extra-curricular activities which is very impressive. Well done to you all!



City Sports

We were very happy with the children's efforts at the recent athletics event. All the children ran their hearts out! There were some very exciting races, including the Year 3 boys' relay (Oliver, Sebastian, Max and Harry) who came 1st place and Emily D who came 2nd

Diary Dates	
Tue 16th July	Year 6 Leavers' Play - Matinee @ 2pm
Wed 17th July	Year 6 Leavers' Play @ 6:30pm
Thur 18th July	Leavers' BBQ @ 5pm
Thur 18th July	Friends' Disco @ 6:30pm - 8:15am
Tuesday 23rd July	Leavers' Assembly @ 9am
Wed 24th July	End of term
Wed 3rd Sept	Autumn term begins
Mon 9th Sept	Year 4 Parents' Information Session - 2:30pm
Tue 10th Sept	Year 6 Parents' Information Session - 2:30pm
Wed 11th Sept	Year 5 Parents' Information Session - 2:30pm
Mon 16th Sept	Clubs begin
Fri 27th Sept	Macmillan Coffee morning & Friends' AGM - 9am

Please remember that whilst we let parents take photos of their children at school events, we do ask that you do not put pictures of other people's children on social media.

place in the Year 4 60m sprint. Congratulations also to Tom W (3rd) in the boys' high jump and the Year 3 girls' Relay team who came 3rd (Mia, Robyn, Darcy & Neve).

F1 Team

Congratulations to the Year 5 F1 team for being nominated in the marketing category at the F1 finals. They spent a lot of time putting together their marketing strategy and it was brilliant to see them recognised. Well done to Coco, Megan, Finan, Mason and Chester.

Sprowston Snippets!

- We all enjoyed Sports Day and thought the occasion was one of the best for a while. The weather certainly helped! The children will find out the winners in next week's celebration assembly
- We have noted recently a number of children arriving frequently after the 8:50am buzzer. This puts the children behind and makes for an unsettled start to the day. Please help us to ensure your children are punctual in the mornings. The total of lost minutes over the last year is quite considerable and leads to the loss of valuable minutes of learning time.
- If you are buying new footwear for school this summer can we please remind you that trainers are not school uniform. School shoes should also be completely black. Thank you for your help with this.
- Congratulations to our Year 3 and Year 4 Korfball teams for success at the recent tournament. Both teams showed that great team work and effort can win the day!
- I hope your children have enjoyed our 8 Week Outdoor Learning Plan. The children have taken part in many different activities, including the excellent raft building day. We hope the children have been enthused by it.

