

# Sunnyfields Newsletter



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Summer Term

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Dear Parents and Carers,

We have all been so very busy this half term! The SATS process has finally come to an end, but learning is still, as always, our main focus. There have been several very successful class visits including: Orienteering for Year 4 at Golders Hill Park; Science Museum 'Forces' session for Year 3; Golden Hinde Tudor experience for Year 5; and Year 1 had a great time learning about plants in the 'Plant Detectives' workshop at Golders Hill Park.

Our Sports Days this week were enjoyed by the whole school and the District Sports squad had a great day at Allianz Park yesterday. We are proud to say that several attendees commented on their good behaviour.

## **Thank You to all Parents for your Support**

### **Grenfell Towers**

Our recent appeal for the victims of the Grenfell Tower disaster raised £459.00. By far this is the most ever raised in the school for such an appeal and we would like to thank everyone for their kind generosity. The fund has been sent to the Red Cross Grenfell Tower Support unit.

### **Summer Fair**

What a wonderful day we all enjoyed on 26th May. Our very sincere thanks go to everyone who helped make the event a success. We are now in a very good position to buy new nursery playground equipment as the funds raised were an amazing £3,200.00!

## **Eid al-Fitr Assembly on Friday 30th June at 8.55am**

Several parents have volunteered and are meeting with Mr Hirani to deliver our Eid al-Fitr Assembly next week. As with all our parent-led assemblies all parents are very welcome to join us for the celebration.

## **So Sad to Say Goodbye**

We are very sad to inform you that Mrs Milner and Mrs Gordon will be retiring from Sunnyfields at the end of this term. Mrs Milner has been with us for over 25 years and Mrs Gordon for 23 years.

There will be a special retirement picnic on 14th July and we hope that you will join us. Details will be emailed to you separately.

Buying Your Child's Class Photograph  
You can order your child's class photograph at  
[www.successschools.co.uk](http://www.successschools.co.uk)

## The School Budget

As you are probably aware, most schools are facing huge budget issues and we going to have to be more careful than ever.



## What Parents Can Do Help

**If you think that you might be eligible for Pupil Premium funding PLEASE LET US KNOW as it will really help the school budget and your children will benefit**

Pupil Premium is additional funding for schools in England to raise the attainment of disadvantaged pupils. Additional funding is given to the school for children who are either registered as eligible for free school meals or have been entitled in the past 6 years. It is available if the parent/parents of a child in **ANY** class are receiving any of the following:

- Income support
- Income-based jobseekers' allowance
- Income-related employment and support allowance
- Support under Part IV of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guaranteed element of state pension credit
- Child tax credit, provided that you are not also entitled to working tax credit and have an annual gross income of £16,190 or less
- Universal credit

We will be sending you further information about Pupil Premium, but meanwhile, no matter what class your child is in, please feel free to call in and collect an application form..... You never know!

## Lettings

The governors have given approval for the school premises to be hired out for regular meetings/groups such as weekly fitness classes, adult learning classes etc. This would really help the school financially...And you never know; You may find yourself enjoying a Zumba class or something similar. If you, or anyone that you know, would like to find out more please speak with or call Mrs Fox on 020 8203 3113.

## After School Clubs

Please remember that all clubs will finish on 14th July. Unfortunately, next year we have fewer clubs to offer as they actually cost the us a lot of money which the school budget cannot sustain.

Thank you all for your continued support.

Best wishes,

Lisa Meyer  
Headteacher

### **Year 6 £10 Challenge**

Year 6 are currently undertaking the £10 Challenge. Each group has to show their entrepreneurial skills by turning a £10 float into a profit. Their target is £500 which would pay for the coach to take them to the seaside for a day at the end of term. They have two more fundraising sessions:

**Friday 30th June at 3.25pm**

**Thursday 6th July at 3.25pm**

**You can buy a range of delicious treats from Year 6 whilst supporting their very good cause!**

### **Year 6 Leavers Production and Barbecue**

All Year 6 parents are invited to attend this very special evening.

The children should return to school at 6.30pm and parents should take their seats in the hall by 6.45pm.

We will be sending home more information very soon.

We can no longer sign passport applications as we cannot guarantee that the formal query sent to us by the passport office will reach us in time to respond before 21st July.

## Sunnyfields Diary

Mon 26th Fri 30th	Oral Health Team visit Nursery, Reception and Year 1 Eid al-Fitr Assembly at 8.55am in the hall. Parents are invited Zoo to Zoo Cycle Ride event
<b>July 2017</b>	
Mon 3rd	Kurling Festival at Burnt oak Leisure Centre
Wed 5th	Cheerleading event at Allianz Park
Thurs 6th	Year 6 fund raising in infant playground at 3.25pm
Fri 7th	Reception Class assembly at 8.50am. Parents are invited Year 6 leavers visit their new secondary schools Count On Us Maths Challenge Final at City Hall
Fri 14th	Last swim for Yrs 3 & 4—morning sessions Whole School End of Year Celebration with Parents at 1.15pm Retirement Picnic for Mrs Milner and Mrs Gordon
Tues 18th	New Reception Induction Visit at 9.30am Classes meet their new teachers Year 6 leavers Performance and Barbecue at 7.00pm Year 6 leavers day trip to the seaside—Shoeburyness
Wed 19th	<b>School closes at 1.00pm</b> for Summer Holidays
Fri 21st	
<b>Sept 2017</b>	
Mon 4th	INSET Day. <b>SCHOOL CLOSED</b>
Tues 5th	Years 1 to 6 return to school at 8.45am
Mon 11th	New Reception children start Nursery reopens for current children

### REPEATING LESSONS AND EVENTS

#### **Monday afternoon**

Football teams A and B train until 4.30pm

#### **Tuesday morning**

Brass—Trumpet, Tenor Horn and Trombone lessons

#### **Tuesday afternoon**

Clarinet lessons  
Maths Scrapbook Support at 3.00pm

#### **Wednesday morning**

Piano lessons

#### **Friday afternoon**

Classes 3 and 4 have swimming lessons. Last session on 14th July will be

## Sunnyfields Term Dates

Term	Autumn Term Dates 2017	
INSET DAY	Monday 4 September	School Closed
First Term (34)	Tuesday 5 September—Friday 20 October	Years 1 to 6 Return. N & R tbc
Half term holiday	Monday 23—Friday 27 October	School and nursery closed
Second term (38)	Monday 30 October—Wednesday 20 December	School and nursery open
Christmas holiday	Thursday 21 December—Wednesday 3 January	School and nursery closed
Term	Spring Term Dates 2018	
INSET DAYS	Thursday 4th and Friday 5th January	School Closed
First term (25)	Monday 8 January—Friday 9 February	Years R to 6 Return. Nursery tbc
Half term holiday	Monday 12—Friday 16 February	School and nursery closed
Second term (29)	Monday 19 February—Thursday 29 March	School and nursery open
Easter holiday	Friday 30 March—Friday 13 April	School and nursery closed
Term	Summer Term Dates 2018	
First term (29)	Monday 16 April—Friday 25 May	School and nursery open
May Day Holiday	Monday 7th May	School and nursery closed
Half term holiday	Monday 28 May—Friday 1 June	School and nursery closed
Second term (35)	Monday 4 June—Friday 20 July	School and nursery open

**PLEASE DO NOT BOOK HOLIDAYS IN TERM TIME.  
YOU MUST SEEK PERMISSION FROM THE HEADTEACHER BEFORE BOOKING ANY KIND OF JOURNEY THAT WILL AFFECT YOUR CHILD'S ATTENDANCE**