



SURFLEET PRIMARY SCHOOL

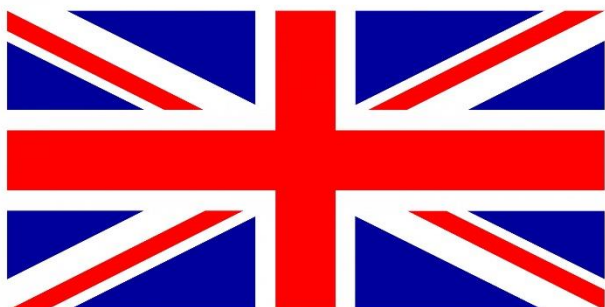
WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Week Ending – 5th May 2023



**Have a Great Extra Bank Holiday
to celebrate the
King's Coronation!**

**We will see you on Tuesday back in school to hear all
about how you celebrated.**



STARS OF THE WEEK

WILLOW CLASS

- **Chloe C** for always following school rules and her attitude to all areas of her learning.
- **Lilly A** for amazing work in Phonics, recognising all the sounds and knowing the alternative sounds.

MAPLE CLASS

- **Frankie G** for the artwork for their exhibition. He followed the video stages perfectly and added detail to make his portrait come to life.

OAK CLASS

- **Taylor L** for her brilliant efforts in reading and for working hard to be independent in maths.

GOLDEN SURFS

- **Alivija** – Fantastic commitment to reading at home
- **Xander** – detailed writing out of school
- **Raphael** – Amazing writing at home
- **Ethan** – amazing writing at home
- **Finley** – clear writing that uses all of his phonic skills
- **Jayden** - clear writing that uses all of his phonic skills
- **Rex** - clear writing that uses all of his phonic skills



SCHOOL RULES

1. We keep our hands to ourselves.
2. We try our best to complete our tasks.
3. We use our indoor voices inside the building.
4. We say three kind things to each other every day.
5. We always walk around our school.
6. We do not leave the classroom without being told.

Upcoming events!



Fri 5th May Coronation picnic during the afternoon

Fri 5th May Hockey Tournament at Glen Park

Mon 8th May Additional Bank Holiday – School Closed

KS2 SATs

Tues 9th May English grammar, punctuation and spelling papers 1 and 2

Wed 10th May English reading

Thurs 11th May Mathematics papers 1 and 2

Fri 12th May Mathematics paper 3

No absence will be authorised during this time without an official medical note

KS1 SATs various dates from May 15th to May 26th

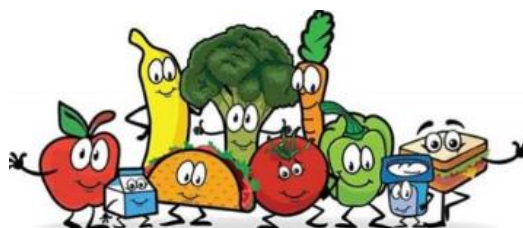
School Child Protection & Safeguarding Policy Sept 2022

Should you ever want to see a copy of our school's safeguarding and child protection policy, it is available to view on the school's website.

School Lunches

School Lunches would need to be ordered via Parentpay for the following week by Tuesday 12pm.

If you have any problems, please contact the office via telephone or email.



AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Mondays Rounders (years 2-6) with Inspire +

Wildlife Warriors with Miss Thomson (Invitation Only)

Tuesdays Hockey (years 2-6) with Inspire +

Phonics Club with Miss Bates (invitation Only)

Maths Booster with Mr Chipperfield (Invitation Only)

Thursdays Reading Booster with Mr Price (Invitation Only)

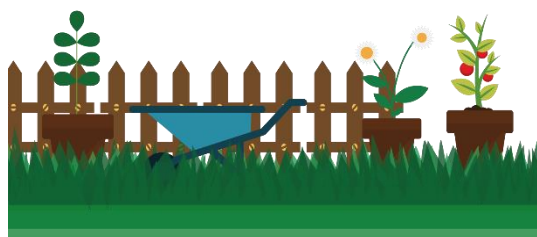
Fridays Netball (years 1-6) with Inspire +

Cricket (years 2-6) with Mr Chipperfield



Wildlife Warriors

Miss Thomson and the Wildlife Warriors would appreciate any donations of unwanted compost, bulbs, flowers etc for their garden if anyone could help please!



Reporting the Absence of your child

We have a new email address set up to allow parents to notify us of the absence of their child and any medical/dental appointments arranged.

Please use **attendance@su.keystonemat.org**

*If a child is absent, parents must contact the school as soon as possible on the first day of absence **by telephone** and communicate in writing (e-mail to attendance@su.keystonemat.org or by letter) on the first day they return with an explanation of the absence – parents must do this even if they have already telephoned the school. Alternatively, parents can call into school and report to reception in person.*



Medical & Dental Appointments



We do ask to attempt to make all medical and dental appointments during school holidays or after school hours where possible.

Medical/Dental appointments during school hours will not be authorised unless an appointment card, hospital letter or text from the GP/hospital/dentist is forwarded to school.

Providing these retrospectively is acceptable. Absence will only be authorised for the duration of the appointment plus any reasonable travel time.



We have a Luna request!

We would really love some fast growing grass seed to create grass trays for Luna to munch on. We would also like to receive some cress seeds to grow for Luna for a little snack!

Luna loves a treat and would definitely love more healthy greenery in her diet so hopefully someone out there can help her out...

Thanks in advance.

Free School Meals

Parents did you know you may be able to claim for Free School Meals if you receive any of the following:

- Universal Credit - your household income must be less than £7,400 a year (after tax and not including any benefits you get)
- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guaranteed element of state Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit (provided you're not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income of no more £16,190)
- Working Tax Credit run-on - paid for four weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit

Children who receive any of the qualifying benefits listed above in their own right are also eligible to receive free school meals and they can also access free holiday clubs during the:

- Easter holidays
- summer holidays
- Christmas holidays

Clubs provide a wide range of activities, for example:

- sports and games
- arts and crafts
- music
- drama
- learning about food as well as healthy meals and snacks

Please visit www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/school-pupil-support/apply-free-school-meals to apply and more information.

You can also contact the free school meals team on 01522 782 030

Parent Workshop – Thurs 18th May 2023

We are very excited to let you know that the schools across the Keystone Academy Trust have organised some online parent workshops to support you. We recognise that if your child has special educational needs or is experiencing some difficulties, that it can be difficult to find and access help. We have looked at the topics that parents tell us are difficult to manage at home and have asked an Educational Psychologist to provide two workshops for us over the summer term. These workshops will be delivered online via Teams so that they are more accessible for you. You can either join in the session live, or access the recording at a time convenient to you and your family.

The first session is to support 'Managing challenging behaviour after school' and will run on Thursday 18th May 9.30 – 10.30. The second session is to support 'Managing sensory needs at home' and will run on Thursday 22nd June 9.30 – 10.30. There will be the opportunity to ask questions, however if you wish to access the session more privately, cameras can be turned off.



 **ONLINE PARENT WORKSHOP** 
DR LISE GRIFFITHS, EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGIST

MANAGING CHALLENGING BEHAVIOUR AFTER SCHOOL

THURS 18TH MAY 9:30-10:30
FOLLOWED BY 15 MINS Q&A

Distressed behaviours at home which are difficult to manage?

Do you feel your child may 'mask' this at school?

If you would like to find out more about how to support your child at home, this workshop can help you to understand more & to build helpful strategies.



Have your say on childcare!

IN LINCOLNSHIRE

Lincolnshire County Council is asking families to complete a short survey to help assess demand for and availability of childcare places in the county. The information will help identify any gaps locally, which we can then look to address with providers. Please take the time to share your views before 21 May 2023

www.letstalk.lincolnshire.gov.uk/parental-childcare-survey-2023

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JUNIOR CRICKET

Spalding Town Cricket Club are welcoming boys and girls of any ability to join our junior teams for the 2023 season.

As the new season approaches it's the perfect time of year to get involved, make new friends and most of all have fun! We have a great team of coaches who can support your child as they learn to play cricket, and matches in local leagues for all age groups.

TRAINING EVERY FRIDAY 6.00 TO 7.30PM

Under 9's (school years 3 & 4)

Under 11's (school year 5 & 6)



£3 PER SESSION

WHERE: HALL LANE, MOULTON SEAS END, PE12 6LB

EMAIL: SPALDING.TOWN.CC@GMAIL.COM

FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK : SPALDING TOWN CRICKET CLUB

It all starts with...



Give your little star an **endless summer** packed full of fun and friendship

All Stars Cricket is the best first experience for all **5-8 year-olds**

Participants receive a **personalised kit bag** including bat, ball and t-shirt!

Starting Friday 19th May 6-7pm at Spalding Town Cricket Club

Sign up today at allstarscricket.co.uk

