

### SURFLEET PRIMARY SCHOOL WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

#### Week Ending - 21st July 2023

Work Hard, Be Kind, Achieve.

#### STARS OF THE WEEK

#### **WILLOW CLASS**

• Jayden R for confidently reading out loud in guided reading.

#### **MAPLE CLASS**

- **Jorgie G** for her meticulous presentation throughout all of her books and for her efforts and participation in all subjects.
- **Isla F** for her continued enthusiasm towards all school activities, for being a role model for the school and for her kindness towards others.

#### **OAK CLASS**

• Ned L for his improved attitude and making good use of the regulations.

#### **GOLDEN SURFS**

The below children have been awarded Golden Surfs for amazing published work in English.

- Caiden H
- Freddie F
- Peyton PH
- Xander CG
- Millie C
- Daisy FB
- Gokay D
- Logan E



#### **Upcoming events!**

- Weds 6<sup>th</sup> Sept First day of Term 1
- Mon 11<sup>th</sup> Sept After School Clubs Start
- Mon 11<sup>th</sup> Sept Swimming starts for Year 3 Children
- Thurs 19th Oct Last day of Term 1
- Mon 30<sup>th</sup> Oct First day of Term 2

Please check our calendar on our website for upcoming events and information

#### **Things New for September**

#### PE Kits / PE Days

Children must bring in their PE kits on the first day of each term. They should remain in school until the last day of term. Children must come to school in uniform.

#### School Lunches for wc 4<sup>th</sup> September 2023

Please remember to order your child's school lunches via Parentpay for the first week back after the summer holidays

#### by Tuesday 29th August 12pm.

If you have any problems, please contact the office via email on <a href="mailto:admin@su.keystonemat.org">admin@su.keystonemat.org</a>



#### **AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS**

Mondays Football (Years 1-3) with Inspire +

Wildlife Warriors with Miss Thomson (Invitation Only)

Arithmetic Booster (Year 6) with Mr Chipperfield

Wednesdays Multi Skills (Years 1-3) with Inspire +

Hockey (Years 3 - 6) with Miss Bates

Thursdays Dance/Gym/Cheer (Years 1-5) with Inspire +

Reading Booster (Year 6) with Mr Price

Fridays Netball (Years 1-3) with Inspire +

Football (Years 3-6) with Mr Chipperfield [20 children max]

- Boys and Girls both encouraged to attend.



#### **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!



#### **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.

#### 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.

#### **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.



#### **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/Opticians appointments during school hours will not be authorised unless an appointment card, hospital letter or text from the GP/hospital/dentist/Opticians 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.

#### **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 <u>www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/school-pupil-support/apply-free-school-meals</u> to apply and more information.

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



# LOOK OUT FOR OUR FREE ACTIVITY ROUND THE DISTRICT, BROUGHT TO YOU BY THE COMMUNITIES TEAM

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY... Skate Jam Tuesday 8th August Crowland Skate Park, PEG ONN 10am - 3pm

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Wednesday 2nd August 11am - 3pm

Weston Playing Field, PE12 6HU Wednesday 16th August

11am - 3pm

Sutton Bridge Memorial Park Playing Field, PE12 9SA

Gosberton House Academy School Field, PE11 4EW Wednesday 23rd August 11am - 3pm

www.sholland.gov.uk/summerfun

Sunday 13th August

11am - 3pm Winfrey Avenue, Spalding, PE11 1DA Halley Stewart Playing Field,







community@sholland.gov.uk SHDC\_Communities

Photographs and video may be taken at these events for

## Why not come along to...



### Fun Holiday Club for 5-11s

Mon 21st to Thurs 24th August

At Spalding Baptist Church

10-12.15

Rory and Corey dino dancing!



For more info or to book in email: davidjudy@talktalk.net or call Debbie on 07536 173563

All leaders are DBS checked



Arctic theme







#### The details!

Is it free? YES! It is a totally free event!

Where? Spalding Baptist Church, PE11 1BT (on Swan Street next to Scooby Doo)

**Ages?** 5 – 11s

When? Monday 21st to Thursday 24th August

What time? 10am - 12.15pm

Please collect the children from inside the building at home times

Parent Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> – join us for a cuppa at 11.15am and see what the children have been doing.

And finally..... Saturday 26th August 5-7pm @ Spalding Baptist

## Free family fun night

Parents, siblings, grandparents... all the family are welcome at our family fun night! Prizes from holiday club and other activities. Lots of fun games to enjoy together, buffet tea... Come along!

Please request the Registration form via emailing <a href="mailto:admin@su.keystonemat.org">admin@su.keystonemat.org</a>

#### 2023/2024 Term Dates



Term 1

First day of Term Wednesday 6th September

Last day of Term Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> October

Staff Training Days: Monday 4th September, Tuesday 5th September & Friday 20th October

Term 2

First day of Term Monday 30th October

Last day of Term Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December

Term 3

First day of Term Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January

Last day of Term Friday 9th February

Term 4

First day of Term Monday 19<sup>th</sup> February

Last day of Term Thursday 28th March

Good Friday: Friday 29th March - School Closed

Term 5

First day of Term Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> April

Last day of Term Friday 24th May

May Day Bank Holiday: Monday 6th May - School Closed

Staff Training Days: Monday 15th April

Term 6

First day of Term Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June

Last day of Term Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July



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As another fantastic year at Surfleet Primary School draws to a close, all the staff at Surfleet Primary School would like to say 'good luck' and 'all the best' to our Year 6 leavers – and any other leavers - who are about to embark on their next adventure.

For our new starters joining us in Reception right up to our new year 6 children, we will see you Weds 6<sup>th</sup> September for another great year.

## Have a fantastic summer break and we will see (most of) you in September!

