

MAY 22<sup>ND</sup> 2026

SOUTHFIELD PARK



# NEWSLETTER



## Dear families

We would like to wish you all a lovely half term and thank you for your ongoing support this year. This half term has been full of events, workshops and opportunities for our children. I'd like to thank the staff team for their continuing dedication to the children.

Today, our Junior children have been out at the Harrier Centre for the last of our Sports Days. We hope that you all enjoyed the event which really demonstrates not only sporting achievement but also the kindness, respect and encouragement that we foster at Southfield Park.

Thank you to those of you who attended our Resilient Parent Workshops this week. The feedback has been extremely positive, with many parents finding the sessions very useful.

We'd like to say 'Eid Mubarak' to those families and staff celebrating Eid al-Adha over the half term break.

School will be welcoming the children back on Monday 1st June for our final half term this year.

Best wishes,

Sally Smith

## Dates for your diary...

w/c Mon 26<sup>th</sup> May

- HALF TERM - SCHOOL IS CLOSED

Mon 1<sup>st</sup> June

- Children return to school 8.35am

Wed 3<sup>rd</sup> June

- OPEN Classrooms 9:00-9:30am
- SHINE Show 6pm

Thu 4<sup>th</sup> June

- Year 6 Geography Field Trip to the River Mole

w/c Mon 8<sup>th</sup> June

- Year 6 Bikeability Level 2
- District Sports Field Events 3pm

Wed 10<sup>th</sup> June

- Year 3 Year Group Assembly 9.15am

Thu 11<sup>th</sup> June

- District Sports Track Events 9.am



- **Staff News**

We are very pleased to be welcoming Miss Sophie David back from maternity leave after half term. Miss David will be largely based in Year 5, supporting the children as they prepare for the transition to Year 6.

I'd also like to welcome Bejal Pankhania to our admin team as our HR Assistant. Bejal will be working across both Southfield Park and Ewell Grove Primaries.

- **Local Governing Board**

I am very pleased to announce that we have a new Trust-appointed Governor, Mrs Lauren Belmonte, who will be joining our LGB. Lauren will be in school very soon, getting to know us and our priorities and meeting the team.

- **Our Local Governing Board:**

Mrs Lauren Belmonte (appointed by the Trust)

Dr Peter Brown (elected by the parents)

Mr Solomon Brown (appointed by the Trust)

Mr Matthew Catchpole (elected by the parents)

Mrs Fran Foley (elected by the staff)

Miss Lizzi Fraser (elected by the staff)

Mrs Joanne Roberts, Chair of LGB (appointed by the Trust)

Mrs Vanessa Rodnight (appointed by the Trust)

Mrs Sally Smith (Headteacher)

A decorative banner for the SHINE Show, featuring a red curtain background with three yellow spotlights shining down. The text 'SHINE Show' is centered in purple.

### SHINE Show

The SHINE Show takes place during the first week after half-term, on Wednesday 3rd June. Families involved will already have received details of the event, and we look forward to a lovely evening showcasing our children's skills.

## ● Creative Arts Week



We are very excited that our plans for Creative Arts Week, taking place during the week commencing 22nd June, are beginning to come together!

This year's theme is 'Community', and the children will be taking part in a range of exciting activities throughout the week. They will be exploring our

local area on short trips to create sketches and gather inspiration, as well as working collaboratively on large-scale art pieces that will form part of a special community parade.

The children will also be taking part in a variety of creative workshops led by members of our local community, including students from Blenheim High School and other local facilitators. These workshops will give the children the opportunity to work alongside a range of talented individuals and celebrate the importance of community connections through the arts.

The Friends are funding the whole event so that we don't have to ask you for any money towards it.

The event will finish with a whole school parade, featuring samba rhythms and class-made props, will take place on **Monday 29th June at 2:30pm**. We would love for parents, families and friends to join us and support the children. Spectators are asked to stand on the grass area in **Long Grove Park**, opposite the school and be ready to cheer, wave and dance as we pass. The parade will begin at the main gate and finish near **Cherryfields Nursery** at approximately 3:00pm. We then ask that you collect your child from their usual exit at the designated time.

We are hoping to create a wonderful community atmosphere, so please do invite family members and friends along to watch and celebrate the children's work.

After half term, class teachers will also be in touch to:

- ask for volunteers to help supervise short local area walks during the week commencing 22nd June;
- invite parents into school to watch parts of the creative workshops the children will be taking part in.

Thank you in advance for your support – we are looking forward to a fantastic and creative week!

- **The Lion King**



Our Year 6 children and staff have quickly moved from thinking about SATs to putting on a show! The Lion King auditions were held last week, and the staff were so impressed by how many children put themselves forward and pushed themselves out of their comfort zone. There was also a tremendously supportive atmosphere, with children being very encouraging of each other and being proud of their classmates.

Year 6 families, we will be announcing ticket information very soon, but for now, keep the dates free.

The team are already planning props and scenery and could do with large and sturdy cardboard. If you have anything suitable, please do send it in.

- **Uniform**

You will have noticed the clothes rails that have appeared at the school entrance. The Friends are currently working on a system through which you will be able to look and buy pre-loved uniform from the atrium, as well as in the pre-loved uniform sales.

**Please use half term to ensure that you have the correct uniform for your child and that everything is named. Named lost property can be returned to the children, and un-named uniform will be kept for a short period of time before being sold as pre-loved uniform.**

- **Recruitment**

Southfield Park is looking for new support staff to join our Learning Support Assistant team and we are recruiting for an Office Manager. If you are interested, or know anyone who might be, more details can be found by following: [Southfield Park Primary School Career Site](#)

## ● Website

We are delighted to share that our new look website will be going live just after the half term break on Wednesday 10th June. The website has been redesigned with the school community in mind to embrace our new school logo and make it clearer and more straightforward to access the information needed using only a couple of clicks of the mouse.

Key features and where to find them include:

- Our Home Page which will quickly signpost you to areas of common interest for families such as term dates, online payments and newsletters. You will also see a live feed for school calendar which allows you to add particular dates into your own calendar on your personal device.
- A 'School Info' tab where you will be able to find all general information about us such as term dates, SEN information, assessment results and policies.
- Our 'Curriculum' tab will be where you will be able to find everything to do with your child's learning. It will include easy access links to all subjects your child accesses.
- A 'Parents' tab where you can find everything you need to keep up to date with what is happening in school and any administration you may need to complete as part of your child's time at Southfield Park including:
  - admissions and open days
  - newsletters
  - electronic copies of letters sent home
  - after school clubs
  - healthy lunches and school meal menus
  - online forms
  - information about our PTA body: The Friends
- Our 'Who's Who' page will list all our staff as well as class names, SLT members and the individuals who make up our local governing body.
- Contact Us' will provide information on the number of ways you can get in touch with us if you need to.



Our website will also include a number of online forms that you can use to send information to the school office. This reduces the need to visit the office – you can simply complete them from the comfort of your own home at a time that suits you on whichever device suits you and your busy life the best. For parents on the go we hope this feature will make a real difference. Forms included are – change of contact details, photographic images consent form and reporting your child’s illness absence.

We encourage you to take a look at our new website using the new web address [www.southfieldparkprimary.co.uk](http://www.southfieldparkprimary.co.uk) from 10th June.

We hope you find our new website a more streamlined and user-friendly place to visit.

**Surrey Family Learning Workshop - Resilience**  
**Thank you to all the parents who attended this**  
**week’s resilience workshops!**

Based on the idea of “*ordinary magic*” (Masten, 2001), a key take away was the importance of encouraging children to do everyday tasks independently. When adults step in too quickly, we can unintentionally reduce opportunities for children to build skills and confidence. Co-regulate and help your children sit with uncomfortable feelings; exposure to frustration can help children develop patience, problemsolving skills and the confidence to keep trying even when things feel challenging.

Encourage simple tasks such as:

Carrying their own school bag

Picking their own outfits

Tidying up toys or their bedroom

Packing their school bag

Helping set or clear the table

Small steps like these support children to develop independence, confidence, and resilience over time.

- **Attendance & Fixed Penalty Notices**

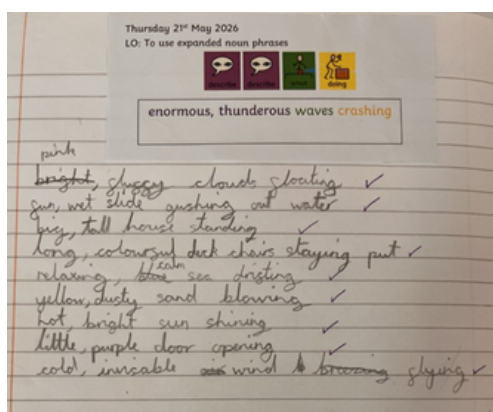
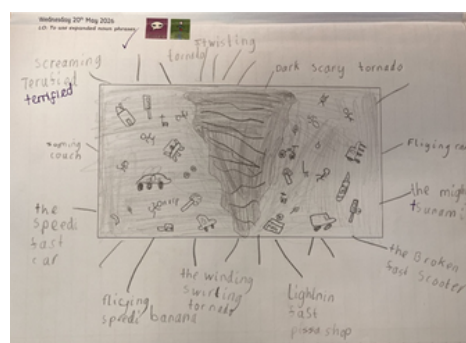
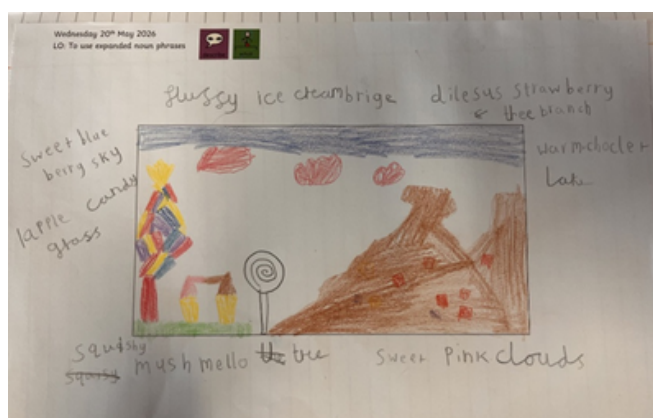
If families take their children out of school without authority for 5 or more days (which do not have to be consecutive), then the following will apply:

- If you have not incurred a penalty notice relating to this child/children in a rolling 3 year period since 19th August 2024, then the penalty notice will be charged at the rate of £160.00, per parent/carer per child, if paid within 28 days. This will be reduced to £80.00 if paid within 21 days of receipt of the notice. Failure to pay the Penalty Notice will result in Surrey County Council considering legal proceedings against you in the Magistrates Court.
- If you have incurred a penalty notice relating to this child/children since 19th August 2024, the rolling 3 year period will be activated from the date of the first penalty notice and the second penalty notice will be charged at the flat rate of £160.00, per parent/carer per child, if paid within 28 days. There will be no reduction for payment within 21 days. Failure to pay the Penalty Notice will result in Surrey County Council considering legal proceedings against you in the Magistrates Court.
- If you have incurred 2 penalty notices relating to this child/children in the rolling 3 year period since the first penalty notice was issued, then you will NOT receive a third penalty notice - Surrey County Council will have no option but to consider a prosecution, per parent/carer per child, in the Magistrates Court under s 444 Education Act 1996. Surrey County Council is not responsible for authorising pupil absence and therefore cannot withdraw any Penalty Notice requests without the written permission of the Headteacher.

Requests for exceptional leave need to be submitted using the form on our website, at least 2 weeks before the date being requested. All other exceptional leave will or will not be authorised on a case by case basis. A child's attendance and previous requests for leave will always be considered when making a decision.

- This week, **Year 2** stepped through a secret wardrobe into the magical world of Narnia. Inspired by the story, the children used super expanded noun phrases to write exciting setting descriptions about snowy forests, mysterious castles and enchanted lands. They worked hard to choose interesting adjectives and ambitious vocabulary to make their writing detailed and engaging for the reader as they described what they saw as they climbed through their own wardrobes!

Linking their learning to the book April's Garden, the children also designed their own dream gardens. They thought carefully about the plants, colours and special features they would include, such as fountains, secret pathways and cosy reading areas. The children showed fantastic imagination and creativity, and it has been lovely to see their confidence grow in both their writing and design work.



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- Congratulations to **Elsie** and **Hallie** for their amazing performances in the TJ's Dance Nest Show! We are incredibly proud of you both and all the hard work and dedication you've shown.

Well done, girls – you were fantastic!



Well  
Done  
Hallie



Well  
Done  
Elsie

- We would like to say a huge thank you to all the parents who generously volunteered their time to help with the Year 4 pizza-making activity on Wednesday. Your support, enthusiasm, and willingness to get involved made the experience extra special for the children, who had a fantastic time creating (and tasting!) their pizzas. We are so grateful for your help and continued support of our school community.



MAY 15<sup>TH</sup> 2026



## Stars of the week

Year RC

Star of the week: **Nancy**

Year RF

Star of the week: **Morayo**

Year 1 HM

Star of the week: **Liam**

Year 1 CR

Star of the week: **Mia**

Year 2 GR

Star of the week: **Karman**

Year 2D

Star of the week: **Emily & Sienna**

Year 3F

Star of the week: **Isla**

Year 3A

Star of the week: **Esma**

Y4 K

Star of the week: **Yusef**

Year 4J

Star of the week: **Amber**

Year 5BS

Star of the week: **Lexi**

Year 5S

Star of the week: **Hunter**

Year 6N

Star of the week: **Theo**

Year 6C

Star of the week: **Kayvan**



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# News From The Friends

THE FRIENDS OF SOUTHFIELD PARK



Thank you for being so kind at last week's doughnut sale. Every child got a doughnut, and families who wanted a box were able to get one. We really appreciate your support.

All proceeds raised will go to help our school

## SAVE THE DATE!



4th July – Summer Fair



## PRE-LOVED UNIFORM



Thank you to the volunteers who helped with the Pre-loved Uniform sale on Monday!

We're also trying out a new trust system. Children and parents can now buy items any time from the clothes rail in the school atrium.

Just pick the item(s) you want and either:

- \* Pay cash at the office
- \* Drop the money in the PTA Postbox
- \* Contact us to arrange a bank transfer

Prices:

Purple/logo/grey items: £1 each

White items & accessories: £0.50 each

## Summer Term 2026 - Key Dates

<b>w/c Mon 25.05</b>	<b>HALF TERM – SCHOOL CLOSED</b>	
Wed 03.06	9:00 – 9:30am	Open Classrooms
Wed 03.06	6:00pm	SHINE Show
Thu 04.06	Year 6 Geography Field Trip to the River Mole	
w/c Mon 08.06	Year 6 Bikeability Level 2	
Mon 08.06	3:00pm	District Sports Field Events
Wed 10.06	9:15am	Year 3 Year Group Assembly
Thu 11.06	9:00am	District Sports Track Events
Fri 12.06	Reception Trip to Bocketts Farm	
w/c Mon 15.06	Year 5 Residential to PGL Liddington	

Wed 17.06	Time tbc (early eve)	Choir event at The Horton
Thu 18.06	New Reception parent information evening 6:00pm -7:00pm	
Fri 19.06	New Rec intake Teddy Bears Picnic 9:15 – 10am, 10-30-11:15	
w/c Mon 22.06	Creative Arts Week	
Mon 22.06	Summer Fair hamper donations (MUFTI)	
Mon 22.06	Dance Festival rehearsals at Epsom Playhouse (daytime)	
Tue 23.06 + Wed 24.06	Evening	Dance Festival at Epsom Playhouse
Wed 24.06	Grow, Cook, Enjoy cooking with Year 3	
Thu 25.06	Year 3 Sleepover	
<b>Fri 26.06</b>	<b>1:15pm</b>	<b>Year 3 finish early</b>
w/c 29.06 for 2 weeks	Reception home visits	
Tue 30.06	Moving up morning New Rec intake Stay and Play + parent coffee morning 9:30am – 10.30am, 10:45am-11.45am	
Tue 30.06 and Wed 01.07	Year 6 Transition Days at Secondary Schools	
Tue 30.06 and Wed 01.07	15:00-18:30 16:00-18:00	Y1-6 Parent Consultations (no clubs in Hall or Drama Studio)

Date	Time		Event
Wed 01.07	Grow, Cook, Enjoy cooking with Year 4		
Thu 02.07	Summer Fair bottle donations (MUFTI)		
Fri 03.07	Year 6 trip to London		
Sat 04.07	12:00 – 2:00pm	Summer Fair	
Mon 06.07	Grow, Cook, Enjoy cooking with Year 6		
Tue 07.07 and Wed 08.07	6:00pm	Year 6 Production	
Wed 08.07	Grow, Cook, Enjoy cooking with Year 5		
Thu 09.07	9:15am	Year 2 Summer Sing-a-long	
Fri 10.07	Year 6 to Chessington World of Adventures		
Mon 13.07	3:30pm	Sayers Croft information meeting (current year 3 parents)	
Wed 15.07	5:30pm	Year 6 Leavers' Party	
Fri 16.07	9:00am	Year 6 Leavers' Assembly	
<b>Fri 16.07</b>	<b>1:30pm</b>	<b>Break up for Summer Holidays</b>	



We're delighted to share an exciting opportunity for your children this summer ( Stagecoach Performing Arts Cheam & Worcester Park are hosting a magical Wizard of Oz Summer Workshop in Cheam Village and all our pupils are invited to take part at a discount rate!

Over one action-packed week, children aged 4-16 will step into the world of Oz, learning songs, choreography and scenes from this much-loved classic. They'll build confidence, make new friends, and take to the stage in a final performance for family and friends, a memory they'll treasure long after the summer ends.

#### Workshop details

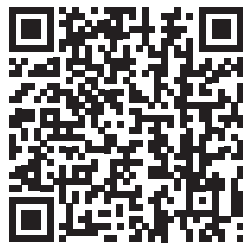
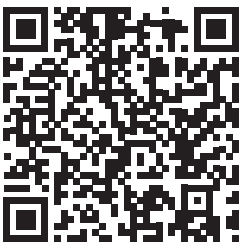
- Dates: Monday 10th – Friday 14th August 2026
- Venue: St Andrews Church, Cheam, SM2 7BZ
- Ages: 4-16 years old
- Discount: £30 OFF
- Discount code: **CEM001**

No prior performing experience is needed, just enthusiasm and a sense of fun. Whether your child loves singing, dancing, acting, or simply trying something new, they'll have a wonderful time.



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## Transition to

# Secondary School

## Summer Holiday Support Sessions

### Is your Year 6 child feeling anxious about starting secondary school?

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These sessions focus on addressing anxiety, worries, building resilience and celebrating each child's strengths.

Sessions are offered in various locations throughout East Surrey, as well as online. Please choose your preference on the form.

Spaces are limited and will be allocated on a first come, first served basis.

Parents and carers can sign up using the QR code/link  
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or for more info contact us via: [stoneleighathleticfc@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:stoneleighathleticfc@yahoo.co.uk)



# ADVICE CAFE

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FRIDAYS  
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Our regular advisors can help with:

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Physical Health

Debt Help

Employment

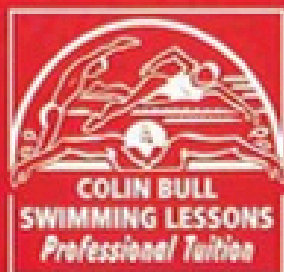
Housing

Benefits

Other areas of support are also available, please get in touch to find out if we can help support you.

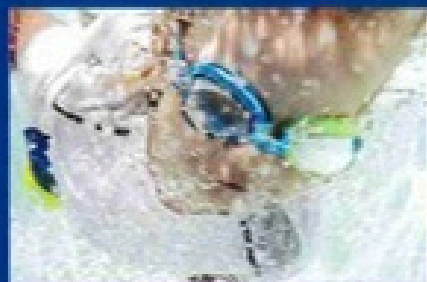
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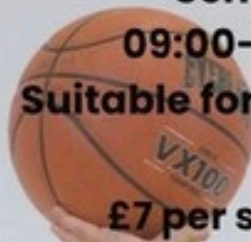
Epsom and Ewell High  
School

09:00-10:00

Suitable for ages 6-10

£7 per session




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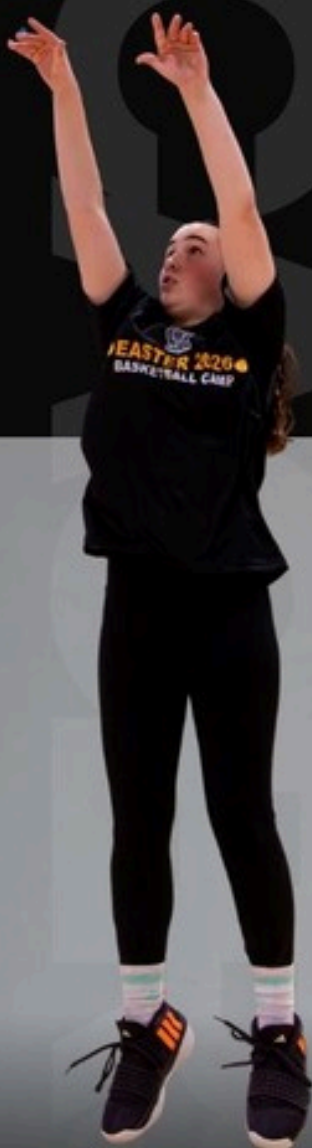


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# FREE GIRLS FOOTBALL

Stoneleigh Athletic FC and Gold Coaching are offering free football training for girls aged 4-11 throughout May 2026 on Saturday mornings in Girls-Only sessions at Aurioi Park from 9.30am-10.30am



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For further details please see our website

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# ☀️ CLUB VALE SUMMER HOLIDAY CLUB 2026 ☀️

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📍 Location: Rainbow Room, St Martins Infant School, Worple Road,  
Epsom

📅 Dates: 20th - 24th July & 27th – 31st July 2026

🕒 Session Times:

Full Day: 8:15 AM – 5:30 PM

Standard Day: 10:00 AM – 4:00 PM

👧👦 School Years: Current Reception – Year 6

🌈 All children from all schools welcome!

🎨 Activities Include:

Arts & Crafts

Sports & Games

Dance & Music

Baking Sessions

Movie Days & Cinema Trip

Outdoor Adventures, Park Trip

🍏 What's Included?

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