

JUNE 5<sup>TH</sup> 2026

SOUTHFIELD PARK



# NEWSLETTER



## Dear families

Welcome back to the final half term of the year. It was lovely to see so many of you at our Open Classroom event on Wednesday. There was a very good turnout and so many of you thanked us for the opportunity to come in afterwards.

Many of you were back the same evening for a glittering night celebrating our children's talents in the SHINE Show. There certainly was a broad range of skills on show including dance, singing and playing instruments. Well done to all of the children who performed this year and thank you to our families for providing such a supportive audience.

Next week is a busy one with the Multiplication Check in Year 4, Phonics Screening Check in Year 1, Bikeability in Year 6, District Sports events on Monday and Thursday and our Reception children heading to Bocketts Farm on Friday. Fingers crossed for more predictable weather!

Best wishes for a lovely weekend,

Sally Smith

## Dates for your diary...

### 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

### Fri 12<sup>th</sup> June

- Reception Trip to Bocketts Farm

### w/c Mon 15<sup>th</sup> June

- Year 5 Residential to PGL Liddington



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Dear Parents & Carers,

Following a rigorous and highly competitive recruitment process, we are delighted to announce the appointment of Sarah Kober as the new Chief Executive Officer of Lumen Learning Trust.

As a Board, our priority was to find an exceptional leader who embodies our values, understands the unique needs of our primary schools and possesses the vision to drive our next chapter of growth.

After an intensive series of interviews and presentations, Ms. Kober emerged as the outstanding candidate to lead our Trust forward.

Ms. Kober will already be familiar to many of you having dedicated 18 years of service to our Trust in various leadership roles. She has taught at Saxon Primary School and served as Headteacher at The Echelford Primary School and Darley Dene Primary School.

Her success against a strong field of external applicants is a testament to her exceptional leadership skills, deep expertise in primary education and unwavering commitment to our pupils and staff.

She will officially step into the role of CEO on January 1st 2027 but prior to that will be working alongside our current CEO, Mary Ellen McCarthy until her retirement in December 2026, ensuring a seamless transition and continuity for our schools, children and communities.

Please join us in offering our warmest congratulations to Ms. Kober on her well-deserved appointment.

Kind regards,

Jo Roberts  
Chair of Directors  
Lumen Learning Trust

- **Instagram Account**



We are delighted to announce that our school now has an Instagram account! By following us, families will be able to keep up to date with the latest school news, upcoming events, and the exciting learning taking place across the school.

To protect our pupils' privacy, we will not be posting photographs that show children's faces. Images may occasionally include children from behind or participating in activities where they cannot be identified.

This is an exciting step for our school community, and we look forward to sharing and celebrating the wonderful experiences and achievements of our pupils with you.

You can follow us [@southfieldparkprimaryschool](https://www.instagram.com/southfieldparkprimaryschool)

- **Bike Sheds**

I am very sorry to say that we have now been made aware of several thefts of adult bikes from our bike shed in the last two weeks. In both instances, bike locks were cut through and the bikes were stolen, and it seems that the thefts happened overnight, meaning that the thieves may have climbed over our outer fence.

We have reported the incidents to the police but I would advise that bikes and scooters should not be left in the bike sheds overnight. The school is not responsible for bikes and scooters left in the bike sheds and we therefore ask you to join us in being extra careful and vigilant.

For Year 6 Bikeability next week, bikes should be brought past the bike sheds, through the gates and left on the Year 6 playground within our locked inner gates. If your child needs to leave their bike overnight, please email your child's teacher via the school office and they will arrange for your child to bring their bike into the locked building.

- **Governor Monitoring**

This week, two of our Governors have been in school monitoring our progress against key areas of school development in our EYFS practice and provision. Many thanks to Jo Roberts and Matt Catchpole for their time and to Becky Robinson, our EYFS and KS1 Lead, for talking them through our priorities and actions this year, as well as providing evidence of the impact of those initiatives.

- **Class teachers for next year and transition information**



Next week in the newsletter, we will be announcing class teachers for each class. Families of those children being mixed will receive a separate letter on Friday to inform them of their child's new class.

We are announcing these arrangements slightly earlier this year because we are extending our transition offer and your child will be spending a little more time getting to know their new teacher. Classes that are being mixed will also have some sessions with their new classmates so that September doesn't feel so daunting.

Transition arrangements for our new Reception children are already planned and include some extra events this year, such as our Teddy Bears' Picnic. Our Reception team is also visiting nurseries and arranging home visits so that we can hit the ground running in the Autumn Term.

The biggest transition is for our Year 6 children and all of the children are being supported with some 'what to expect' sessions from us. This week, some ex pupils have visited from high school to share their insights, and the Year 7 teams are in contact with us so that we can share information and arrange for them to meet their new cohort here.

Moving up morning for everyone is on the 30th June and this is a chance to spend a whole morning in new classes with new teachers and support staff. All of our new staff are joining us for that session and will also be with us for the last two weeks of term, getting to know the children and our ways of working.

## ● Creative Arts Week



Creative arts week is quickly approaching week commencing 22nd June. It will finish the following week with a whole school parade, featuring samba rhythms and class-made props 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.

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!

## ● Working Collaboratively

This week has been no exception in our drive to work collaboratively with the other schools in our Trust. On Wednesday, the teaching staff all attended year group seminars, giving our team the chance to work with colleagues teaching the same year groups. Sharing ideas and successful strategies was the theme for this week's seminar.



- **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:
  - o admissions and open days
  - o newsletters
  - o electronic copies of letters sent home
  - o after school clubs
  - o healthy lunches and school meal menus
  - o online forms
  - o 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.



- We are delighted to announce that tickets for our Year 6 production of The Lion King Jr. will be available to purchase soon. To ensure that every Year 6 family has the opportunity to attend, ticket sales will initially be open exclusively to Year 6 parents and carers from **15th-21st June**, with **up to two tickets available per child**. Following this initial sales period, any remaining tickets will be offered to Year 6 families before being released to the wider school community. From 22nd-28th June, any tickets still available will be open for purchase by members of our wider school community. We are incredibly excited to share this spectacular production and look forward to welcoming audiences to support our talented Year 6 performers.

- **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](#)





- **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.

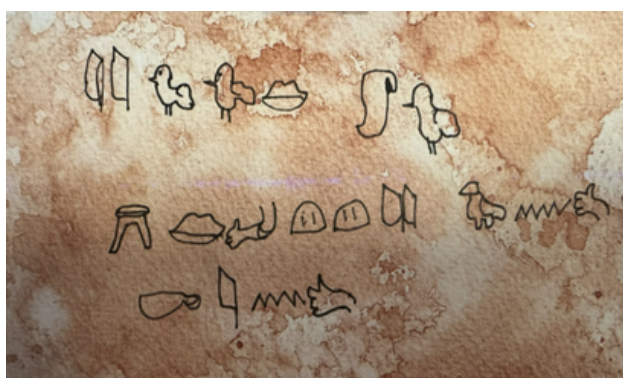
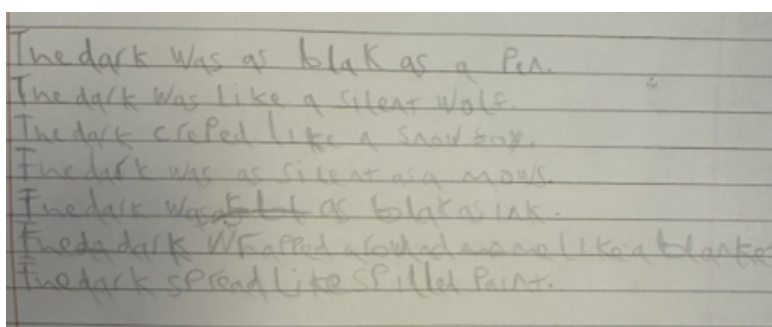
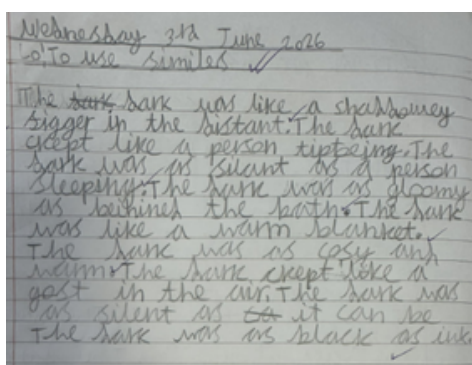
Requests for exceptional leave need to be submitted using the form on our website, at least 2 weeks before the date being requested. All other exceptional leave will or will not be authorised on a case by case basis. A child's attendance and previous requests for leave will always be considered when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

### Year 3's highlights

Year 3 have had a busy and exciting first week back after half term! The children have thrown themselves into their learning across the curriculum and have already impressed us with their enthusiasm and creativity.



In English, we have begun our new writing unit based on *The Dark* by Lemony Snicket. The children have been exploring poetry and have wowed us with their imaginative use of personification and similes to bring their ideas to life. Take a look at some of their fantastic work!



In History, we have continued our learning about Ancient Egypt. The children have been discovering more about this fascinating civilisation and have enjoyed learning about the Ancient Egyptians' writing system, hieroglyphics. They have even had a go at writing their own messages using hieroglyphic symbols! I wonder if you can tell you what they've written?

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## Stars of the week

Year RC

Star of the week: **Ralph**

Year RF

Star of the week: **Finley**

Year 1 HM

Star of the week: **Jeannie**

Year 1 CR

Star of the week: **Hassan**

Year 2 GR

Star of the week: **Samuel**

Year 2D

Star of the week: **Jodan**

Year 3F

Star of the week: **Toby**

Year 3A

Star of the week: **Lisa**

Y4 K

Star of the week: **Zayn**

Year 4J

Star of the week: **Aoife**

Year 5BS

Star of the week: **Oscar**

Year 5S

Star of the week: **Robyn**

Year 6N

Star of the week: **Emilia**

Year 6C

Star of the week: **Wright**



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# News From The Friends



## Summer Fair

**Saturday 4th July - 12:00PM-2:00PM**

**Volunteers  
needed**

Our fair can only happen with the support of wonderful volunteers, and there are lots of fun ways to get involved:

- **Setting Up & Tidying Away** – many hands make light work
- **Running the Game Stalls** – bring fun and cheer to the children
- **Providing Refreshments** – keep everyone fuelled and smiling

The more people who pitch in, the lighter the load for everyone.

**Please consider taking an active part this year and helping us create a fantastic day for the whole school community.**

**Details on how you can volunteer to follow!**

**NON-UNIFORM  
(MUFTI) DAYS IN  
EXCHANGE  
FOR DONATIONS TO  
THE FAIR**



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TO THE RAFFLE  
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BRING A DONATION  
TO THE BOTTLE  
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**SAVE THE DATES! WE WILL BE IN TOUCH SOON WITH MORE INFORMATION**

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# News From The Friends



## SECOND HAND UNIFORM RAIL AT THE LOBBY

Cardigan  
Jumper  
Dress



Skirts  
Shorts  
Trousers

White P.E T-Shirt with school logo

Tie  
Hat  
T-Shirt  
Shirt



Pair of shoes  
Any other accessory  
House Coloured P.E. T-Shirt



Please pick what you like and pay with cash at the office or in the PTA Postbox.

You can also contact the Friends to arrange a bank transfer



## Summer Term 2026 - Key Dates

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.



**Glyn School Open Evening**  
**Thursday 9 July 2026**  
**4.30pm-7.30pm**

Dear Pupils,

We would like to invite you and your family to our Open Evening on Thursday 9 July 2026 from 4.30pm - 7.30pm.

There will be talks about the school at 4.45pm, 5.45pm & 6.45pm. Even more excitingly, our current younger students will be on hand to take you and your family on a tour of the school.

We hope you are able to join us.

Glyn School, The Kingsway, Ewell, Epsom, Surrey, KT17 1NB  
020 8716 4949  
[www.glynschool.org](http://www.glynschool.org)

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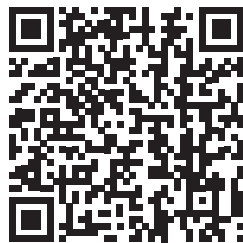
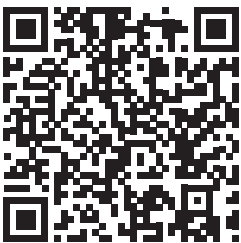


[www.glynschool.org](http://www.glynschool.org)



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## Transition to

# Secondary School

## Summer Holiday Support Sessions

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

Learning Space & YMCA East Surrey are offering 1:1 young person & parent/carers support sessions during the summer holidays to help ease the transition.

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  
<https://forms.office.com/e/GHtAgndK3z>



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for girls aged 5-11  
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#### TIME AND DATE

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#### LOCATION

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#### NEXT STEPS

Head to [thefa.com/WeetabixWildcats](https://thefa.com/WeetabixWildcats) to book on to a session,  
or for more info contact us via: [stoneleighathleticfc@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:stoneleighathleticfc@yahoo.co.uk)



# ADVICE CAFE

WelcomePack

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FRIDAYS  
10AM-12PM

Freedrop-in hub with cake and refreshments for advice on debt, benefits, and other important issues.

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Our regular advisors can help with:

Mental Health

Physical Health

Debt Help

Employment

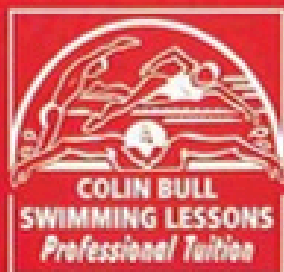
Housing

Benefits

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

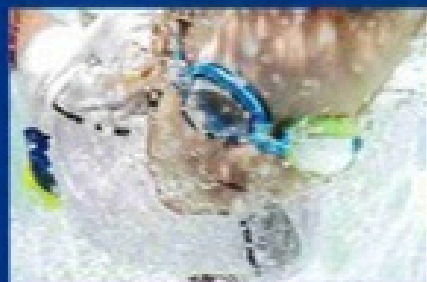
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Every Sunday from 3<sup>rd</sup>  
May 2026

Epsom and Ewell High  
School

09:00-10:00

Suitable for ages 6-10

£7 per session




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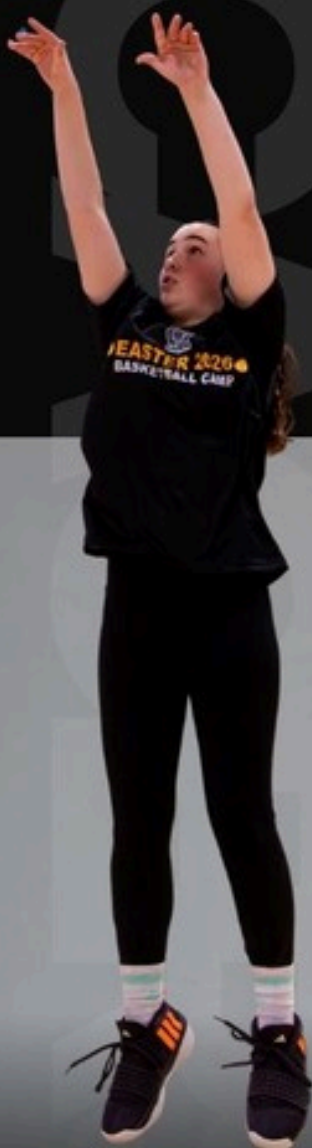


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May 2026

Epsom and Ewell High  
School

09:00-10:00




Suitable for ages 8-16



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Drop us an email to sign  
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# JOIN US ALL GIRLS BASKETBALL

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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



There is no need to book, just turn up and have fun!  
For further details please see our website  
[www.stoneleighathleticfc.co.uk](http://www.stoneleighathleticfc.co.uk) or email  
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AGES  
4 - 14

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

 **July 17** 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?

✅ Healthy snacks & light tea at 4pm, for those staying till 5.30pm

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