

# Springfield Newsletter

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8<sup>th</sup> February 2019

Term 2, Issue 6

## Dates for Your Diary

### Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> February

Parent Oracy Workshop  
9am

### Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February

SEND Coffee Morning – 9am

### 18<sup>th</sup> February – 22<sup>nd</sup> February

HALF TERM

### Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February

- Year 2 Great Fire of London Workshop
- Phonics Workshop for Reception Parents – 3.30pm
- PTA Meeting – 7pm

### Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> February

Year 3 Wiggly Wild Workshop

### Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> February

Year 4 Bake Sale – 3.00pm

### Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March

Reception trip to Brooklands Museum

### Monday 4<sup>th</sup> to Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March

March

Book Week – more information to follow

### Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March

Year 2 Woodpecker Class Assembly

### Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March

PTA Comedy Night

### School Dinners:

The dinner menu for w/c 11<sup>th</sup> February will be **Week 3** of the new Autumn/Winter Surrey Catering Menu.

Please ensure all meals are booked online in advance by no later than Friday lunchtime of the preceding week.

## A note from the Headteacher

Dear Parents,

Bat Class, in their impressive assembly have reminded us this week of the importance of kindness. Mrs Walker and the class have invested much time in practising and this paid dividends in such a thought provoking assembly; well done!

Thank-you to all parents who will be able to attend the ADHD coffee afternoon later today. We hope you will find it useful in developing connections with other parents.

The development of oracy is a key school priority for this year. In this we have focused in lessons on developing the children's understanding and application of language. To support this, we are holding an afternoon oracy event for parents on: Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> February at 9am in the Infant Hall. All are warmly welcome to attend, finding out more over coffee, tea and cake.

As part of our development this year of outdoor learning, we are looking to enhance provision at lunchtimes for the children. We would like to improve our imagination zone. If you have any unwanted teddy bears, prams and dressing up clothes, we would be very grateful for any donations to the school office.

As Spelthorne's Sports School of the Year, we have been learning a lot about how to look after our bodies. In this, please could I ask for your help, with break time snacks being only fruit.

I wish you a restful weekend.

Mrs Caroline Gibbins  
Headteacher

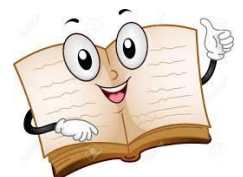


## General Information

**Reporting absences** – Please be reminded of the dedicated absence reporting option on the school telephone line. In the event of your child being absent from school, we kindly ask that parents/carers ring through to this line by no later than 9am to report the absence. Any calls after this time should be directed to the main office option. Please do not email the school to report absences.

**Phonics Workshop for Reception Parents** – The phonics workshop for Reception parents will now be held on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February at 3.30pm. Please do come along to hear how you can support your child.

**Book Week Author** – We are really excited to have Karen Inglis visit the school during Book Week. Please look out for the order forms coming home next week if you are interested in purchasing any of her books for her to sign for your child during her visit.



**Oracy Workshop** – Please return your slips as soon as possible if you are able to attend the workshop.

## Lead Learner and Super Citizen

This week's Lead Learners were celebrated today, the focus being 'creating excellent art work':

Sparrow	- Chloe	Otter	- Elijah
Nightingale	- Maria	Stoat	- Samuel
Woodpecker	- Wyndham	Buzzard	- Tilly
Bat	- Emily	Osprey	- Rachel
Mole	- Aiden	Eagle	- Paige
		Falcon	- Aimee
		Hawk	- Albanie

This week's Super Citizens were celebrated today, the focus being 'helping others to achieve their goals':

Sparrow	- Joshua	Otter	- Sophie
Nightingale	- Keira	Stoat	- Zavannah
Woodpecker	- Kamron-Dontae	Buzzard	- Aryan
Bat	- Bethany	Osprey	- Alaynah
Mole	- Sienna	Eagle	- Sadie
		Falcon	- Harry
		Hawk	- Tom

Reception classes are celebrating King and Queen of the week for each Reception class:

Fox class		Badger class	
King	- Pesandu	King	- Cody
Queen	- Layan	Queen	- Ivy

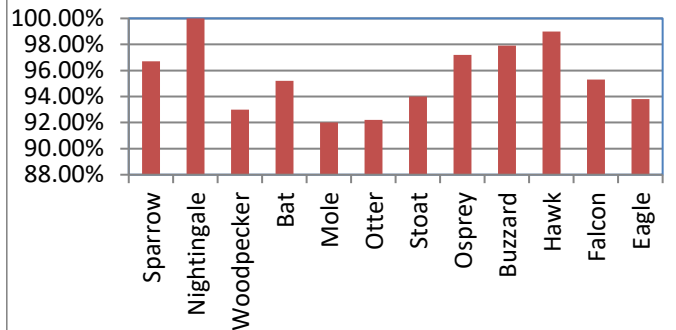


## Home Learning Stars

Well done to Jamie who created a very informative leaflet all about Mount Snowdon.



## Home Learning Stars



**Attendance** - The winners this week are:-  
 KS1 – Nightingale Class with 100% (fantastic!)  
 KS2 – Hawk Class with 99%

**House Point Winners** – St Andrews (Blue)

**Gugafit Winners** – Osprey Class



## Safer Internet Day

The whole school celebrated Safer Internet Day on Tuesday with a range of activities around the theme of 'Together to make a Safer Internet'. They worked specifically on the idea of asking and giving permission to share personal information, including 'informed consent' and not pressuring others to change their decisions.

There are various other useful resources available for parents at the Safer Internet Day 2019 website:  
<https://www.saferinternet.org.uk/safer-internet-day/2019>

A guide for parents in the digital age from 2Simple (who provide our computing scheme of work) is also available at <https://2simple.com/free-stuff/>.



Finally, there has been much concern recently around an app called TikToc; an information sheet about this app will be attached to the weekly emails you receive this week.

## Springfield School Association PTA Update

### BAKE SALES



Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> October 2018	Year 1	Raised £99.21
Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> February	Year 2	Raised £157.70
Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> February	Year 4	
Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> March	Year 5	
Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 3	
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	Reception /Nursery	
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6	



Well done to Year 2 who raised a fantastic £157.70 from their Bake Sale yesterday! All the money which is raised from the bake sales goes towards year group school trips.



**Do not forget we go "LIVE" at the Sunbury Tesco and Black dog Tesco Express, from 1<sup>st</sup> March 2019.**  
**PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU COLLECT THE BLUE TOKENS TO DROP IN THE BOX AND SUPPORT THE PTA AND THE SCHOOL!!!**

Money Raised so far:

Fireworks night	£1300.00
Market night	£475.00
Christmas fete	£2000.00

