

Spring Bank Primary School

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Friday 24th November

Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope you are all well and have had a good week.

Year 5 Parent Workshop

Our first Parent Workshop will take place next Friday for parents of children who are in Year 5. The workshop will take place next Friday 1st December after Friday's Good Work Assembly and you can either come into school to attend Good Work Assembly at 9:10am or arrive for the workshop at 9:30am where you will be able to take part in learning alongside your child and other children in the class.

Year 4 Visit Veolia Recycling and Energy Recovery Centre

To start off their new Geography topic on energy, Year 4 visited Veolia Recycling and Energy Centre to discover where all the waste from our black bins go. It was a really interesting visit and a special mention to KP and Ettie who had a go at operating the huge cranes from the control room!



Football Clubs (Girls, Years 3/4 and Year 5/6)

Next week is the last week for all the football clubs until the Spring. Thank you to Mr Wrangmore for keeping the clubs going a bit longer with lights provided by the PPA.

Year 6 visit Lotherton Hall

Last Friday, Year 6 visited Lotherton Hall as part of their History topic on World War 1. They learnt all about the different jobs needed to look after the soldiers returning home from the front line during the war as well as developing their historical skills by looking at different sources of evidence.



Year 5/6 Girls Premier League Stars

On Thursday a group of girls from Year 5/6 represented Spring Bank at the Premier League Primary Stars Football Competition. The girls played 7 matches and performed brilliantly, coming third in each league. Excellent achievement girls!



Teaching Assistant Vacancy

School are currently recruiting for a teaching assistant as Caroline Twedde will be leaving at the end of this term due to her studies. The job advert, job description and application form can be found here <https://www.springbankprimary.org/page/?title=Vacancies&pid=72> and the closing date is next Friday 1st December at 4pm.

D-Side Visit to Spring Bank

Next Week D-Side will be visiting school on Thursday and Friday to teach KS1 and KS2 children all about how to stay safe on the internet. D-Side visit Spring Bank twice a year as part of the school's safeguarding curriculum. The topics which will be covered on the visit next week are:

What we use the Internet for (KS1)

What is/is not safe to share online (KS1)

What to do if we are not sure about the internet (KS1)

Using emails safely (KS2)

Social networking and safe profiling – including use of Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Snap, Chat, Oovoo, etc. (KS2)

'Chatting' with care (KS2)

Responsible and safe use of the internet (logins, email, photography, password protection, personal information and self-protection). (KS2)


Behaving responsibly (KS2)

Good Work Assembly

The following children received certificates in Good Work Assembly today: Remy and Hal (Rec), Mishel and Harrison (Year 1), Daisy and Cece (Year 2), Kian, Dalya, Aleena (Year 3), Sera and Connie (Year 4), Abdullah and Zakir (Year 5), Dewru and Darcy (Year 6). Well done everyone!

Winter Fair – Message from the PTA!

 Desperately Seeking Elves 

We are seeking some elf support for the school winter fair on Saturday 9th December. Santa can't do it all alone 

If you or someone you know would like to make lots of children smile this Christmas, please let the PTA know.

Attendance

Our attendance target for the year is 97%. We currently have 103 children in school whose attendance is 97% and above which is excellent. All pupils with 97% and above attendance at the end of the Autumn Term will be rewarded with a special certificate. Attendance meetings will take place next week for children who are classed as being persistently absent (below 90%).

Have a lovely weekend! Please do not hesitate to contact me at a.houldsworth@springbankprimary.org if you have any questions or queries.

Amy Houldsworth

Acting Head of School

DATES FOR THE DIARY

Training Days for this year

Monday 8th January 2024

Monday 3rd June 2024

Dates for This Half Term

Thursday 30th November and Friday 1st December D-Side Internet Safety

Friday 1st December Year 5 Assembly and Workshop 9:10am

Wednesday 6th December Tales from the Stone Age Year 3 Workshop

Thursday 7th December Jolly Christmas Postman Workshop for Reception

Friday 8th December Year 6 Assembly and Workshop 9:10am

Saturday 9th December Spring Bank Winter Fair 12-2pm

Tuesday 12th December Year 1 Toys Workshop

Tuesday 12th December Samuel Pepys Theatre Visit to Year 2

Tuesday 12th December Flu Immunisations

Thursday 14th December Weight and Vision Check Reception and Year 6

Tuesday 19th December Years 1-6 Christmas Performance 2:15pm

Wednesday 20th December Reception Nativity 9:15am

Wednesday 20th December School Christmas Lunch

Wednesday 20th December Years 1-6 Christmas Performance 2:15pm

Friday 22nd December Autumn Term ends

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WINTER FAIR

STALLS, CRAFTS, GAMES, TOMBOLA,
REFRESHMENTS, SANTA'S GROTTO, RAFFLE
AND MORE..

SATURDAY 9TH DECEMBER

12PM - 2:30PM

Suggested donation:

£2/adult





How you can help...

WE WILL NEED DONATIONS OF THE
FOLLOWING:

- LUCKY JARS
- RAFFLE AND GAME PRIZES
- CAKES AND SWEETS
- CRAFTING SKILLS & SUPPLIES

ARE YOU A MUSICIAN OR PART OF A BAND
WHO COULD PERFORM?

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COULD DONATE A VOUCHER?

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