



# SPS Today for 8th July 2016

## Aspiring to Excellence



Key Stage 1 children enjoying a school trip to Bird Land and come across a Tortoise.



Some of the cast from the Year 6 production of "Go for Gold" that was performed this week to their parents. Well Done everyone that took part.



Whole School Attendance: 95.77%

Winning Classes: Rainbow (Mrs Yarranton & Miss Ward), Sycamore & Rowan

### Nursery

#### Sports Day

Sports Day was a huge success, thank you to those of you that came and joined in. It was great to see the children listening to instructions and taking part in all of the activities.

#### Holiday Club

We still have spaces in holiday club which will be open from Monday 25th July until Friday, 26th August. Please see a member of staff if you would like to book your child in. Nursery will be closed the week beginning 29th August.

The Autumn term will begin along with school on Monday, 5th September.

### Year 6 Production

Well done on two terrific performances of the musical "Go for Gold" a wonderful show! Parents, thank you for your support and for supplying wonderful costumes.

### Year 5 SRE (Sexual Relationship Education) Lesson

The Year 5 SRE lesson is due to take place on Tuesday, 12th July. Please let Mrs Hopkirk know if you do not want your child to take part.



## Attendance

Whole school attendance based on pupils attending last week was up from the previous four weeks at 95.77% which is encouraging.

We had three star classes last week who all achieved the maximum 100% attendance ! These were Rainbow (Mrs Yarranton & Miss Ward), Sycamore and at the older end of the school, Rowan. Brilliantly done to all three classes. Can't do better than 100%!

In fourth place on 97.89% came Silver Birch and in fifth, not far behind came Elm with 97.65% so well done to those two classes.

The last few weeks of the school year are important as there is so much going on including transition work to prepare the children to go into a new class in September, as well as all the end of term/year activities. Let us hope that we can improve the overall school attendance again this week.

Mr Williams - Attendance Officer

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## Year 6 Leavers Assembly

Year 6 final assembly will take place on Tuesday, 19th July at 2pm. Parents/carers of Year 6 pupils are all invited to attend to say a fond farewell. We look forward to seeing you.

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## Reports

Please look out for your child's school report coming home tonight.

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## PE News

### Sports Day

Sports Day takes place on Friday, 15th July. Children will take part in sports from 10am which you are welcome to come and watch. You are invited to bring a picnic to share with your child(ren) after the event, all children are then able to go home. **SOS club is not open on this day.**

### Hay fever

If you are aware that your child suffers from Hay Fever please give them their medication in the morning before they come to school as pollen counts are beginning to rise.

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## Year 6 Leavers books

For those Year 6 pupils that ordered a leavers book, they will be coming home tonight. We also have had surprise complimentary leavers books delivered from Tempest Photography for each child in Year 6 which will also be coming home tonight.



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## Diary Dates

### Other Key Dates:

#### 13th July

Reading Open morning

#### 15th July

Sports Day

#### 18th July

Year 6 Reward Trip to  
Safari Park

#### 19th July

Leavers Assembly

### Transition

The 11th - 13th July will be transition days for the whole school. During these three days the new reception pupils will join the school, all pupils will meet their new teachers and Year 6 will go to their High schools.

Year 6 children transferring to Stourport High School and Wolverley will attend their new schools from Monday 11th July to Wed 13th July. Children not attending these schools need to come to Stourport Primary as usual.

### Year 6 Safari Park Trip

The reward trip for Year 6 to the Safari park will take place on Monday, 18th July 2016. Lunch will also be included.

### Design a Flag Competition

Bromford who are the contractors working on the former site of Stourport Primary in Tan Lane have given the children of our school the opportunity to design a flag to be placed on the large yellow crane on site which I'm sure you have seen. The competition opens today and children have until Friday, 15th July to get their entries in.

Designs are to be on an A4 sheet of paper in landscape.

The winning design will be revealed in our final assembly on Wednesday 20th July and it will then be sent off to be printed and hung on the crane in September.

We look forward to receiving lots of entries for this exciting competition.

### Dinner Envelopes

Dinner envelopes will come home every FRIDAY. Envelopes need to be in by the end of the school day on a THURSDAY. The kitchen will not be able to cater for any orders received after this and you will be required to send a packed lunch in with your child for the rest of the week.

The envelopes coming home today is for week commencing 18th July & 5th September 2016, these need to be returned by Wednesday, 20th July 2016 9.30am. Please ensure that the 5th September envelopes are returned with your child's new class name on to make it easier for Class Catering.

### Reading Open Morning

Please come and join us on Wednesday, 13th July, 9:00–10:00am in your child's new class for a reading open morning. We look forward to seeing you.

### Stourport Primary School Fundraising Group—Juniors

As part of fundraising, SPFG Juniors will be selling ice lollies at the end of the day every Friday starting after half term at a £1 each.



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