



Sudbourne Primary School

NEWSLETTER

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Friday 9th March 2018

FROM THE GOVERNORS

The governing board is continuing its work to appoint a permanent Headteacher. We are looking to appoint a high quality candidate who is a good fit for the school. We recently interviewed an unsuccessful external candidate. The role is currently being advertised in the Times Educational Supplement (<https://www.tes.com/jobs/vacancy/headteacher-london-brixton-1042594>) with a closing date of 6th April. We will keep you updated as progress is made.

BAKING FOR BOOKS and NUMBER DAY

An amazing **£174.94** was raised from the Baking for Books Cake Sale. Thank you for everyone who baked delicious cakes and biscuits and for everyone who turned up to support this fundraising event for Book Aid International. A big thank you also to everyone who participated in our Number Day. We raised **£125.29** for the NSPCC. Thank you for all your donations.

NEW MEMBERS OF THE 144 CLUB!

Congratulations to the following children for successfully completing the 144 Club challenge and demonstrating rapid recall of times tables up to and including 12 x 12: Abigail, Arthur C, Arthur T, Shereka, Sira and Yasmine.

NURSERY APPLICATIONS FOR SEPTEMBER 2018 ENTRY

We are still accepting applications for admission to our nursery in September 2018. If you have a child that was born between 1st September 2014 and 31st August 2015 and would like them to be considered for a nursery place in September 2018, we encourage you to register them as soon as possible. We also welcome applications for nursery aged children who do not have siblings already at Sudbourne, so do share this information with family and friends too!

30 hours free childcare

From September 2018, Sudbourne School Nursery will be offering the 30 hours free childcare provision, subject to eligibility and availability. To check your eligibility for 30 hours free childcare for your 3 – 4 year old, see www.childcarechoices.gov.uk as soon as possible.

If you are not eligible for 30 hours free childcare, we can still provide the following, subject to availability:

- 15 hours free childcare (universal free entitlement) and/or
- Additional sessions (over and above 15 hours), **for which you will be charged.**

A variety of the attendance options we can offer is detailed our updated supplementary application form, as well as our updated nursery application form. If you are interested in a nursery place for your child, please complete and return both forms to the school office **as soon as possible**. Once received, we can begin to process your nursery application. If you have any queries regarding the above, please do not hesitate to contact the school office on 0207 274 7631.

BREAKFAST CLUB FEES STARTING TERM 5

Starting from Term 5 (16th April 2018), pupil premium children will be charged £1.50 per day instead of £1.00 per day.

Non pupil premium children fees remain the same i.e. £3.50 per day.

If you are unsure if your child is pupil premium and should not be paying the higher rate of £3.50 per day, please contact the school office.

AFTER SCHOOL CLUB FEES STARTING TERM 5

Starting from term 5 (16th April 2018), infant children will be charged £35 for 10 sessions instead of £30 for 10 sessions.

Junior children's fees remain the same i.e. £35 for 10 sessions.

Pupil premium children will be charged at £15 for 10 sessions.

If you are unsure if your child is pupil premium and you should only be paying £15 for 10 sessions, please contact the school office.

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS FINISH ON FRIDAY 23RD MARCH

REMINDER ABOUT BOOKING FOR BREAKFAST CLUB FOR TERM 5 STARTING 16TH APRIL 2018

We will start taking bookings for next term on **Monday 19th March**. If you are interested in breakfast club, please don't forget to book to avoid disappointment.

Please note that all outstanding balances should be settled otherwise we are unable to accept future bookings.

Payment is due in full upon receipt of your breakfast club invoice but if you would like to set up a payment plan to stagger the payments, please contact the office.

SCHOLASTIC BOOK CLUB CATALOGUE

By now you will have received your Scholastic catalogue, full of bargains and exciting reads for Easter. Every order you make with the school means we get money off books and you get free postage.

If you would like to order, please fill out the form in the middle of the catalogue and hand it into the school office. You can use World Book day tokens to get £1 off but you must include the token with your order. Online payment must be made via School Gateway. Deadline for submitting your orders is Wednesday 14th March.

SPORTS RELIEF 2018 - Friday 23 March

We will be fundraising for Sports Relief on Friday 23 March with wacky races and "fit and strong" challenges with the children. Come to school dressed up as your Sporting Hero and donate 50p or more for excellent local and international children's charities.

SCHOOL CLOSED ON THURSDAY 3RD MAY 2018— POLLING DAY

REMINDER ABOUT SCHOOL DINNERS FOR THIS TERM

We would like to remind you that school dinner payments should be made in advance online via School Gateway. We have received very few payments so far this term and therefore kindly ask that you log in to www.schoolgateway.com to check your child's school dinner balance and make payment without delay; many thanks to those who have already.

School Dinner costs:

- £2.30* per day
- £11.50* per week
- £66.70* for this term (29 days: Mon 19th Feb to Thurs 29th March 2018)

*Subject to change

If you would like to switch your child's meal option from school dinners to packed lunches or vice versa, you **MUST** inform the school by completing and handing in a Change of Meal Option Form at the school office.

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Until this is received, you will continue to be charged £2.30* each day for school dinners.

You can download a Change of Meal Option Form, as well as the Spring Term 2018 School Dinner Menu on the following link:

<http://www.sudbourne.com/Info/School-Meals>.

Hardcopies are also available upon request from the school office.

Thank you for your co-operation and support.

REQUEST

We would like to request that parents/carers please check the names inside their children's school jumpers and other items of clothing to see if they don't have anything belonging to another child. We have several children who have lost many items of clothing and they are clearly named. Thank you for your co-operation.

We also have a child in Phase 1 who has lost his navy blue ZARA coat and has gone home with someone else's navy blue coat. Can you please check that your child has his/her correct coat and if not, please return it to the school office? Thank you.

CHECK OUT TWITTER

For great pictures of the fabulous Bedtime Story event held this Tuesday, attended by over 90 children and their families, in their pyjamas, head over to @sudbourneschool on Twitter. You will also see some photos of our School Council team attending the inspiring We Day celebrations at Wembley Arena on Wednesday.

SUDBOURNE VALUES, VISION, AND MISSION

A huge thank you to the parents/carers, and staff who participated in recent focus group discussions on Sudbourne's Values, Vision, and Mission statements. We will next be sharing these with the children and looking to celebrate all that we stand for at Sudbourne over the summer.

FROM THE PTA

QUIZ NIGHT - FRIDAY, 16TH MARCH 2018

Enjoy the usual mix of general knowledge, music and picture rounds along with a spot of audience participation!

Come on your own, with friends, with family - bring whoever you like, it's open to all. Tickets are £10, including a fantastic meal, and they go on sale shortly. There's a cheap bar too.

CEILIDH

The Ceilidh, back on the 2nd February, proved to be another really fun, friendly night, with lots of laughs.

For those who have no idea what it is, a Ceilidh (pronounced kay-lee) is very similar to a barn dance or line dancing but with Gaelic folk music - which, very luckily for us, was provided by a brilliant live band made up of ex-Sudbourne parents.

This is the second year it has taken place and this time it was especially nice to have so many teachers and TAs there. Thanks so much to them, and everyone else, who came along and to Melanie Howlett-Khera and Justine Russell for organising it!

Community Notices

FAMILY FUN: Please see attached flyer.

EASTER HOLIDAY NATURE CLUB AT ROOTS AND SHOOTS – TUESDAY 3RD TO FRIDAY 6TH APRIL

Gardening, crafts and outdoor play for children aged 6 to 11. For more information see the flyer on our community noticeboard or www.eventbrite.co.uk and search 'Easter holiday gardening club.'

EASTER HOLIDAYS CREATIVE WRITING COURSES FOR AGES 7-16

For more information see the flyer on our community noticeboard or www.inkhead.co.uk or email info@inkhead.co.uk Early Bird 10% off code: earlybird18

ACTIVE CAMPS – EASTER, SUMMER AND HALF TERM CAMPS

For more information, please see the flyer on the community noticeboard or contact them on: www.activcamps.com; info@activcamps.com; 07896 546067. They accept childcare vouchers.

STREET DANCE CLASS FOR CHILDREN AGED 6-12 – TERM 3 STARTS ON 7TH APRIL AT STUDIO B, 130 BRIXTON HILL, LONDON SW2 1RS

Come along for a FREE trial class! Please see the flyer on the community noticeboard and for more information, please contact them on www.rcdance.co.uk; rcdance@outlook.com; 07432 093093

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PUPILS OF THE WEEK LAST WEEK!

Class 1	Jack	For improvement in attitude towards his learning! Well done, keep it up!
Class 2	Joshua	For absolutely amazing effort on his work from Jean!
Class 3	Carmen	For showing such passion towards our class book and then furthering her learning independently.
Class 4	Nancy	For excellent team work and imagination in creating an enchanting potion.
Class 5	Necee	For settling in so well and working really nicely with everyone in Class 5.
Class 6	Chinedum	For her fantastic perseverance in all her learning, her beautiful manners and her positive attitude!
Class 7	Lindsay	For always trying her best and doing the right thing.
Class 8	Mahmud	For coming back this term with a great positive attitude. Well done for trying to start tasks independently.
Class 9	Rose	For always being enthusiastic and making the class a vibrant place.

CONGRATULATIONS TO YOU ALL!

Dates For Your Diary

Friday 16th March 2018: Quiz Night—see above.

Monday 19th March 2018: We will start taking bookings for Breakfast Club Term 5—please see above.

Friday 23rd March 2018: Sports Relief. Children can come dressed as their sporting heroes and there will be fun obstacle races which you can sponsor. Please see above.

Friday 23rd March 2018: After school clubs finish.

Tuesday 27th March 2018: Parents/Carers Evening (Classes 1-11) from 1.30-7.00 p.m.

Wednesday 28th March 2018: End of Term 4 for nursery children.

Thursday 29th March 2018: End of Term 4—school ends at 2:00pm.

Monday 16th April 2018: Children return to school.

Friday 27th April 2018: Class photos—more information to follow.

Thursday 3rd May 2018: Polling Day– School Closed

Monday 7th May 2018: May Day holiday.

Friday 11th May 2018: Siblings and individual photos—more information to follow.

Monday 14 May 2018: Start of KS2 SATS week.

Friday 25th May 2018: End of Term 5—school ends at 3:15pm.

Monday 4th June 2018: Children return to school.

Monday 18th June 2018: Start of Year 6 School Journey.

Sunday 1st July 2018: Sudbourne Summer Fair.

Wednesday 18th July 2018: End of Term 6 for nursery children.

Thursday 19th July 2018: End of Term 6—school ends at 2:00pm.

Friday 20th July 2018: Staff INSET day.