

EVENTS AND INFORMATION

ROYAL GARDEN PARTY – 18TH SEPTEMBER

On Friday 18th September children in Year 1 are invited to a Royal Garden Party to end our Learning Challenge about Queen Elizabeth. They can come dressed as princes, princesses or in a smart outfit suitable for a party. Parents/carers can join us at 2.30pm. More details to follow.

FOPS – (FRIENDS OF PARK SPRING)

FOPS are our Parents Association. They do lots of fund raising in and around school to provide the children with treats, extra equipment and discos and much more besides. If anyone has some spare time and is interested in helping or just seeing what they do please come along to one of our meetings. The next FOPS meeting will be on Wednesday 16th September. We will be meeting in the staff room from 3.15 – 4.00pm. A crèche will be provided and everyone is welcome.

CELEBRATION ASSEMBLIES – CERTIFICATES

If your child has earned a certificate for Reading Eggs or Athletics you will receive a text message inviting you to their Celebration Assembly. The text will let you know the date and time when you should attend.

If you change your telephone number at any time please let us know, this will ensure that texts go to the correct numbers. Thank you.

MESSAGE FROM THE OFFICE

Before the holidays we sent out Data Checking sheets, Medical Forms and Dinner/milk letters.

Attached is the Medical Form and Multiple Permission Letters for local visits, photos and Internet use.

It is vitally important that we keep all our pupil records and your contact details up to date. Can you please make sure that all these forms are returned to school as soon as possible. If you have misplaced them, or did not receive them, can you please request copies via your child's class teacher. Thank you.

MUSIC IN SCHOOL

The importance of music within Primary Education is growing and so, as a school, we would like to broaden the opportunity for our children to learn to play a variety of musical instruments. We have decided to offer this to all children from year 2 to year 6.

This is an exciting opportunity for them to learn to play an instrument without any cost to yourselves. The music lessons will be during school time and all instruments will be provided. Some lessons will be taught by class teachers and some will be taught by specialist music teachers from outside agencies.

The instruments the different year groups will be taught are as follows:-

Year 2 – Ocarina

Year 3/4 – Recorder

Year 5 – Trumpets

Year 6 – Steel pans and further development of talented trumpet players.

I hope that the children are looking forward to their music lessons and if you have any questions, please feel free to come and ask.

Thank you, Miss Benson

COMMUNITY EVENT AND MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING – 26TH SEPTEMBER

After last year's successful event we will be having another Park Spring Community day on Saturday 26th September. This will be an opportunity for all friends, families and the community to have a morning of fun and have a friendly natter with a cuppa. There will be plenty of activities for the children to do along with Miss Horton's annual mega dance mix.

This is also a special occasion as we will be raising money for Macmillan Coffee Morning in memory of Kay Robinson. We will be asking for donations of cakes and buns (details to follow closer to the day). We are sure you will join us in supporting this very worthy cause.

Please come along and join us on the day. Thanks in advance.

Big Dig & Pond Area Opening

Saturday 10th October - 10.00 am onwards. Bacon sandwiches to follow for all volunteers.

This is an exciting time to be part of the Parkspring Nature Club.

We have received funding to develop a pond and nature area be its grand opening! To help maintain the area we are looking for volunteers to join our nature club to help maintain the area.



Come and help maintain our green space at 3.15 -4.15 on the first Friday of each month. Everyone welcome and tea, coffee and cake will be provided.

2015/16 dates for the Park Spring Nature Club. All welcome please come along 3.30-4.30 to help maintain our new pond and nature area.

Friday 5 February

Friday 6 November

Friday 4 March

Friday 4 December