



Week 9
22 June 2023

Attendance News

The highest attendance for the week beginning 12 June was Y4 Polar Bears with 95.1%

Sport

In the middle of all the current issues, the children were able to enjoy sports day on Friday. Thank you to all the families who were able to join us on what was a very hot day. A big thank you to Mr Lamb for organising the two sessions with the support of the Sports Leaders and House Captains.



EYFS/KS1 results: 1st Dyson, 2nd Grylls, 3rd Hawking, 4th Pocock

KS2 results: 1st Grylls, 2nd Hawking, 3rd Pocock, 4th Dyson

Overall results: 1st Grylls, 2nd Dyson, 3rd Hawking, 4th Pocock - well done to them all!



We had confirmation this week that both our boys and girls football teams are league champions! This is the first time and we are all very proud of the children and staff involved.

And yet more fantastic sports news - we have been awarded the School Games Gold Award for the second year running.



None of this would have been possible without Mr Lamb's enthusiasm and commitment. Since he joined Springfield, he has transformed sport provision and opportunities for our children to take part in sports events and competitions.



Events

Bearing in mind the ongoing concerns in school, we have tried really hard to keep everything running normally for the children and we were pleased to be able to run sports day last week.

Unfortunately, some events have had to be cancelled or the date changed - please see diary dates below.

Breakfast & Afterschool Club

These will run as normal until the end of term for all children as will all after school activity clubs.

Pup-date



It's been an eventful week here. I've been helping everyone to get the junior end of the school cleared and ready for the new roof works to happen - it's been thirsty work. I've really missed my year 5 and 6 friends this week and I hope they are looking forward to their adventures to new schools next week. Thank you to everyone who has been so understanding and sent lovely emails and wishes of support for all my adult friends here. They've all been so busy sorting everything they've barely had time to tickle my tummy.

Crucial Crew

It was great to see our year 6 children, if only briefly, yesterday as they went off to Crucial Crew. They took part in an immersive theatre experience, created by TIC Box Productions which explored difficult issues that can affect young people. The workshops provide a rehearsal for real life events and educate Year 6 pupils in important community safety issues before their transition to secondary school. Our children were praised for their politeness and behaviour and were a total credit to themselves, their parents and their school. We are very proud of them all.

Dinner Menu w/b 19 June

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Meaty pizza (ham & pepperoni) Meat, gluten, dairy, may contain egg & soya ~~~OR~~~	Malayan curried chicken & naan bread Gluten ~~~OR~~~	Roast chicken ~~~OR~~~	Beef pastitsio (like lasagne) Gluten & dairy ~~~OR~~~	Fish fillet Fish ~~~OR~~~
Margherita pizza Gluten & dairy, may contain egg & soya ~~~WITH~~~	Veggie Quesadilla Gluten & Dairy ~~~OR~~~	Herby Quorn fillet Gluten ~~~WITH~~~	Jacket potato with beans or cheese Dairy ~~~WITH~~~	Omelette Egg & dairy ~~~WITH~~~
Side salad Coleslaw	Jacket potato with cheese & salad ~~~WITH~~~	Yorkshire pudding Gluten, dairy & egg Seasonal vegetables	Garlic bread Salad Gluten	Chipped potatoes Beans
Fresh fruit platter	Rice Garden peas Shortbread biscuit Gluten & dairy	Fruit jelly with ice cream May contain nuts & dairy	Strawberry milkshake cupcake Gluten & egg	Pancake or waffle with berries Gluten, egg & dairy
Drinking water, bread, yoghurt and milk available on request				

PTA

Tuck Shop - Next week Friday 30 June

Find us in the playground after school. Sweets, chocolate, donuts - everything 50p.

Adventure Island, Southend Tickets

We are selling ride tickets for £18 each which is a great saving on the 'on the door' price. Please email springfieldprimarypta@gmail.com or message us on our Facebook page to arrange payment and collection.

Your School Lottery

<https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/springfield-primary-school-chelmsford>

This is a really easy way to support the school without having to do very much. Purchase tickets by copying & pasting the link above into Google. A weekly draw takes place between Springfield supporters, and you will also be put into a larger draw to win up to £25,000.

Diary Dates

Summer 2023		
Fri 30 June	Tuck shop	3.10
Weds 5 July	Class photos for ALL year groups	
Thurs 13 July	Dance afternoon on the field for parents CANCELLED	2pm

Fri 14 July	PTA Tuck shop & summer raffle	3.10
Sat 15 July	The Wilderness Foundation Y6 leavers' event PTA leavers' disco at the school in infant hall	9.45-2pm 7-9pm
Mon 17 July	Y5 to Wat Tyler Centre	
Tues 18 July	Y6 performance for parents - venue and date tbc	2pm & 6pm tbc
Weds 19 July	Y6 Nerf activity day at Springfield	
Thurs 20 July	Y6 Leaver's assembly for Y6 parents CANCELLED Whole school picnic - bring a packed lunch Break up for summer holidays	1.30
Fri 21 July	Inset Day - school closed to children	

All dates subject to change

Our Inset Days have been confirmed for the next academic year as:

Monday 4 Sept 2023
Monday 26 Feb 2024
Monday 1 July 2024

Tuesday 5 Sept 2023
Thursday 2 May 2024 - tbc in case of elections



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Payments can be made by cash or bank transfer on the day of camp.
Kit needed: Sports clothing, shin pads, trainers/boots

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