



The Southbourne Junior School Satellite

June 2025 NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents,

Welcome back for the last half term of the school year, we still have lots of exciting events to come so please look at our diary dates below!

Louise Gasser, Headteacher

- ◆ **SPORTS DAY**—On Friday 13th June, we are holding our sports day morning event and parents are invited to watch (weather permitting!). The children will need to wear their Sports House Team colours, so children may come to school in their PE kit wearing a t-shirt of their house colour. Please contact your child's class teacher if you need to check your child's team. The sports day events will commence at approx. 9.15am until 11.30am.
- ◆ **PHOTOGRAPHS & SOCIAL MEDIA**—We welcome parents and carers taking photographs of their OWN children at school events (such as sports day) but would like to remind everyone that photos of school events must NOT include other people's children or be put on social media—this is for safeguarding reasons. Please respect this, we appreciate your support, thank you!
- ◆ **STAFFING**—We are very sad to say that Mrs Cowdry and Miss Duncan will be leaving us at the end of the academic year. Mrs Cowdry will be working with Chichester University and Miss Duncan will be continuing her career in a school in Hampshire, we wish them both all the very best with their new endeavours and thank them for all they have given to Southbourne Juniors.
- ◆ **WELCOME**—We welcomed two new members of staff to the team this half term as teaching assistants, Mrs Duymun and Mrs Spratt, they have enjoyed their first week with us already. We will also be welcoming Miss Lambert, teaching assistant back from maternity leave. Joining us in September, will be Miss Alford as a class teacher and Mrs Franklin as our new SENDCo.
- ◆ **BRENT LODGE DONATIONS**—On Monday 30th June, Brent Lodge Wildlife Hospital will be coming to school for an assembly regarding looking after our wildlife and the

importance of the work the lodge does. If you are able to donate any tinned kitten or puppy food, dried mealworms or wax-worms, tinned cat or dog food, antibacterial cleaning spray, black bin bags, hand soap, toilet roll, washing up liquid, sponges and newspapers (non-glossy) this would be really appreciated.

◆ DIARY DATES

Mon 9th June	Y4 Tuppenny Barn
Tues 10th June	Falcon Class, Enthuse STEM at Bourne
Fri 13th June	Sports Day—9.15am to 11.30am approx
Mon 16th June	Y6 Bikeability (16th-20th June)
Tues 17th June	Y5 Big Sing
Tues 24th June	Locality Dance Festival—Dance Club New Year 3 Parent meeting 9-9.30am Owl Class, Enthuse STEM at Bourne
Wed 25th June	New Year 3 Parent meeting 5.30pm-6.00pm
Fri 27th June	Non-school uniform day for bottle tombola
Sun 29th June	STEM club racing at Goodwood
Mon 30th June	Brent Lodge Assembly
Wed 2nd July	Transition Day
Fri 4th July	FOSS Summer Fair
Tues 8th July	Library Service Assembly Open Afternoon 3.20—4.20pm
Thurs 10th July	Locality Area Athletics
Fri 11th July	Be Yourself Day
Mon 14th July	Y3 Tuppenny Barn
Tues 15th July	Drama Club Production 6pm
Wed 16th July	Drama Club Production 9am Summer Disco Y3/4 3.20-4.30pm Y5/6 4.45-5.45pm
Thurs 17th July	Leavers service at St Johns for Year 6 children
Fri 18th July	Y6 Leavers Day out
Mon 21st July	Y6 Leavers Assembly 9am Junior Duke Bronze Award Celebration
Tues 22nd July	Last day of term Junior Duke Silver Award Celebration

INSET Days 2025-2026

Wednesday 3rd September 2025
Friday 3rd October 2025
Monday 3rd November 2025
Monday 23rd February 2026
Monday 1st June 2026

