



# The Southbourne Junior School Satellite



## July 2025 NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents,

*This year has flown by and once again been packed with many exciting activities and adventures. We wish all our families a relaxing and restful summer when the holidays arrive!*

- ◆ **DRAMA CLUB PRODUCTION**—The drama club are looking forward to performing ‘Pirates of the Curry Bean’ next week. Tickets are still available for the morning performance on Wednesday 16th July. Please contact the office for tickets.
- ◆ **JUNIOR DUKE**— Our Junior Duke Ambassadors, Jess Rowe and Miriam Payne, from the ‘Seas the Day’ rowing team, have sent the children a massive congratulations for completing their bronze or silver award. They are currently 2,716 miles into their world record attempt; 8,000 mile, non stop and unsupported row across the Pacific to Australia, but promise to visit us in school in the autumn! This epic challenge is to raise money for The Outward Bound Trust, an outdoor learning charity that funds wild adventures for young people. If you would like to support their appeal visit: <https://givestar.io/gs/AGS4ZMK> We look forward to even more of our pupils taking part in the Junior Duke award scheme next year, details to follow in September.
- ◆ **OPEN AFTERNOON**—We look forward to welcoming you on Tuesday 8th July to our open afternoon. Please come and collect your child from their classroom at 3.20pm, take a look at their work for the year and see the children’s artwork on display in the school hall. Please enter the school via the school office.
- ◆ **SUMMER SAFETY** - West Sussed County Council’s Public Health team have created a summer safety guide, containing useful information, resources, hints and tips to help families stay safe during the summer season. Please see the attached guide.

### ◆ DIARY DATES

Tues 8th July	Library Service Assembly Open Afternoon
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 pupils
Fri 18th July	Y6 Leavers Day out
Mon 21st July	Y6 Leavers Assembly 9am
Tues 22nd July	Last day of term

### Academic Year 2025/26

Wed 3rd Sept	INSET
Thurs 4th Sept	Children return to school
8th-11th Sept	Year 6 Bikeability
Tues 9th Sept	Eagle Class STEM Enthuse at Bourne
Wed 10th Sept	Parent Welcome Meetings 3.30pm and 4.15pm
Tues 16th Sept	Buzzard Class STEM Enthuse at Bourne
Thurs 18th Sept	South Downs National Park
Mon 22nd Sept	CYE Year 5 residential
Fri 3rd Oct	INSET
Mon 6th Oct	Hindleap Warren Year 6 residential
Tues 21st Oct	Eagle Class STEM Enthuse at Bourne
Mon 27th Oct	<b>Half Term</b>
Mon 3rd Nov	INSET
Tues 4th Nov	Buzzard Class STEM Enthuse at Bourne
Fri 19th Dec	End of term

### INSET Days 2025-2026

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

### STAYING SAFE ONLINE OVER THE SUMMER!

In the summer holidays children have more free time to spend with friends, family and online. For some, this will be spent using the internet to keep in touch with friends, catch up with the latest apps and online trends, and playing their favourite games.

Please take a look at UK Safer Internet Centre for information, guidance and advice on how to make sure your child is using the internet and online platforms and apps safely.

