

Friday Newsletter



Springwell Village
Primary School

Friday 25th September 2026

Dear parents and carers,

Football

Springwell's team was back in action this week against two very strong oppositions. Despite two losses (3-1 and 2-1), the team had some great performances, with all players having stand out moments throughout both matches. Special mentions to Harry's work in defence, watching where the opposition players were and marking them; Archie's great decision making and excellent strikes and finally, Evan for keeping his head up even when placed under pressure by opposition players.

The players of the matches were voted by the team to be Harrison and Zach, who both put in incredible performances, with Harrison making some incredible, game-changing saves, and Zach showing some epic footwork!

Springwell are back in action next week, taking on 3 more local opponents.

Methodist Church Labyrinth

On Wednesday 30th September, the children from years 2-6 will be attending Springwell Village Methodist Church. They will be involved in some exciting activities to give them a taster of what's to come for the rest of the year!

Recycling Week

This week, Mrs Gill led an assembly all about recycling. We shared a story about how a lady turned plastic bags into purses. The children were very knowledgeable about recycling and shared lots of ideas about how they can help the environment. They have been set a mission to reduce, reuse and recycle both at school and at home!

SEND Services Link

Scan the QR code below for links to SEND services in Sunderland.



You can find more information about our service at:

www.choicewellbeingsservice.org

or

Via Facebook @Choicewellbeing



RSHE Parent Consultation

Please go to ParentPay to read our updated Relationships, Sex and Health Education Curriculum Overview and draft policy. Follow the link to complete our parent consultation survey, which will close next Thursday. We look forward to your responses.

This week's class attendance:

Year Group	Attendance %
Reception	99.6
Year 1	97.7
Year 2	100
Year 3	95.3
Year 4	92.9
Year 5	95.9
Year 6	97.9

Special Mentions!

Year group	Names
Year 1	James Swinburn and Hallie Davies
Year 2	Iris Kenny and Charlotte Kemp
Year 3	All of Year 3
Year 4	Esme Cook and Josh Norman
Year 5	Penny Smith and George McKenna
Year 6	Amber Ohre and Albie McCaffery

Head Teachers Awards

This week's Head Teacher awards go to Reuben Njovana and Finn Shaughnessy for their brilliant writing!

Well done, Reuben and Finn!

Pen Licenses

This week, we had some excellent writers achieving their pen licenses in Year 5!

Well done, Caitlin Mills, Alex Brown, Alfie Exley, Anya Wales, Ellie Williams, Charlotte Evans and Laurie Parnell!

Have a lovely weekend everyone!

Miss Parrish

Headteacher

Key Dates- Autumn

07.10.26	School Photographers	Whole School
20.10.26	Year 6 Parent Information Meeting – 4.00pm	Year 6
20.10.26	Food Collection for Washington Community Food Project (throughout week)	Whole School
19.10.26	Parents' Evening – 3.30pm – 6.00pm	Whole School
21.10.26	Parents' Evening – 3.30pm – 6.00pm	Whole School
26.10.26	HALF TERM – SCHOOL CLOSED	Whole School
02.11.26	School re-opens	Whole School
06.11.26	INSET Day (school closed to children)	Whole School
30.11.26	Year 6 Residential Information Meeting	Year 6
01.12.26	Christmas Fair – 3.30pm	Whole School
07.12.26	Year 5/6 Christmas Performance –2.00pm	Year 5 and 6
08.12.26	Year 1/2 Christmas Performance –2.00pm	Year 1 and 2
09.12.26	Nursery and Reception Christmas Performance –2.00pm	Nursery and Reception
10.12.26	Customs House Pantomime Visit	Years 1-6
11.12.26	Year 3/4 Christmas Performance –2.00pm performances	Year 3 and 4
14.12.26	Year 1/2 Christmas Party	Year 1 and 2
15.12.26	Year 3/4 Christmas Party	Year 3 and 4
16.12.26	Nursery and Reception Christmas Party	Nursery and Reception
17.12.26	Year 5/6 Christmas Party	Year 5 and 6
18.12.26	Christmas Lunch	Whole School
21.12.26	CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS – SCHOOL CLOSED	Whole School