

September Full Governors' Meeting

The Governors met this week for the first time this academic year to agree a number of important decisions. Given we are now officially a good school, we have started work on our new school vision, agreed roles on our business and pupil outcome groups and signed off on this year's school development plan with all actions implemented. The school development plan is based on our self-evaluation and will be the focus of the work of the school over the next 12 months and focuses on these key areas:

Children need

- to improve confidence and accuracy in spelling
- to develop a consistent cursive handwriting script
- to confidently recall X tables facts at speed
- to become skilled at evaluating, editing and improving their own work

Adults need to

- continue to have a relentless focus on meeting the needs of the most able, disadvantaged pupils, paying particular attention to the prior low attainers in writing.
- reduce variability in outcomes in maths by the end of KS2
- maintain the consistency of good teaching across the curriculum
- refine the curriculum to ensure consistently strong progression in the development of pupils' knowledge and skills across different subject areas.

We have also reworded these into child friendly language:

We are working on getting better at:

- spelling words correctly all the time
- doing neat cursive handwriting
- knowing our times tables
- knowing how to check and improve our work

Adults will challenge us all to do our best and give us lots of engaging learning opportunities so we can develop our skills.



You will hear more about our priorities and how we are performing against them over the coming year. After each governors' meeting we will be feeding back to you what we have discussed and how we are supporting school improvement. You'll also hear more about our vision refresh for the school!

Kindest regards

Matt Sugden
Chair of Governors

Before and After School Care

All the information you need regarding before and after school clubs is posted on our website. Early Birds children must be brought into the School hall and signed in by an adult. Roosters children need to be collected from the School hall. Mrs Wallace, Club Administrator, is available in the school office everyday if you have questions or queries.

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Retiring Governors

In July, Mandy Palfreman and Jacky Dickinson retired from the Governing Body. Mandy had completed 14 years and Jacky over 30 years' service as Governors at our school. On behalf of the governors, staff, pupils and wider school community, I just wanted to give my sincere thanks for all they have done for our school. They were missed at our first governors' meeting of the year, even though we have recruited some excellent new governors to take over.

Matt Sugden—Chair of Governors

Dear Fellow Governors

It is with a heavy heart that I tender my resignation as Governor and Co-chair of our School. Unfortunately, my professional commitments make it increasingly difficult for me to give the role the commitment it deserves and demands.

As most of you know, our School is very important to me; I am the third generation of my family to attend and my nephew and niece followed me. Sutton Community Primary School is a very special place at the heart of this village.

It has been an honour and great privilege to serve as a Governor and then Chair and to see our learners grow. I am very proud of the role I have played during difficult times through to the successful School we are today.



I know that the Governing Body is in good hands and has the benefit of a committed body of Governors who will oversee the continued success of our School.

I thank my fellow Governors, Fiona and the leadership team for their support over the years and wish our School and its wonderful staff the future success it undoubtedly deserves.

With love
Mandy Palfreman

Dear All,

I will never be able to thank you all for the send off you gave me. It proves that the ethos of our school (to me it will always be our school) is caring for one another.

I have spent many happy hours looking at my flowers, book and the amazing textile that Helena's daughter did.

I am enclosing a little something to go in school funds. You can use it as you like—but new books in the library would be good!

With many thanks and much love
Jacky *



Pupil Outcomes Group—Governors

The Governors' Pupil Outcomes Group met for their first meeting of this academic year on Monday.

Our discussions centred around our school development priorities for this year and how best Governors would be placed to monitor effectively their implementation and impact. We also looked at the statutory data from the summer (KS1 and 2 SATS results and Year 1 phonics results) and discussed how best to help all our children achieve their full potential by Year 6.

We were particularly encouraged to hear how a love of reading had been implemented across the school. The last agenda item was a review of the Teaching and Learning policy which needs a complete overhaul in light of the new Ofsted framework. We will report on progress of this through the year as both Governors and staff get to grips with collating key skills and concepts across the breadth of the curriculum, mapping each subject area within a broader curriculum focus.

Janet Wordley
Chair of Pupil Outcomes

Neighbourly Concerns

Please be considerate of our neighbours when picking up and dropping off children. When our school was built over a hundred years ago, it didn't have over two hundred children on roll—and cars weren't even invented. Today, many of our families drop off and collect by car.

Please be courteous to our neighbours who quite rightly don't want their access routes blocked by parked cars. We will continue to report the registration numbers of cars who are causing an obstruction or a danger to families and ask that you do the same. We will not compromise on the safety of our children.

Don't drive up and down the unmade up road outside school—there is no reason to do so. Children and parents are at risk when you reverse into the main road.

Courageous Cross Country Competitors!

On Wednesday 25th September 34 amazing children from our school in Years 3/4/5/6 went to South Craven School to take part in the local Cross Country Festival.

Year 3 and 4 competitors had to run 1200m and Year 5 and 6 ran 1800m. Not only did every single pupil give their absolute best, but some had to overcome personal challenges to even turn up; this showed great resilience and strength of character.

Throughout the festival our pupils supported and encouraged each other, which is really important. Everyone finished their individual race and we had lots of top 10 finishers. Seven of our pupils even qualified for the Craven Area Cross Country Finals at Giggleswick School - what an amazing result!

It is the most challenging competition in our sporting calendar and I have the greatest admiration for every single one of our pupils who took part - you are all simply awesome!

Mrs Howes





The Royal Institution Science Lives Here

A community Science show



An action packed fun, interactive Science show for
all the family.

Monday 7th October 5.30pm in the school hall.

Family Fundraisers

This year the Family Fundraisers are using funds raised previously to upgrade the library, pay for the Christmas Pantomime, contribute towards after school clubs, extended provision and educational trips. We are also contributing towards the leavers' party and gifts and reception class welcome packs.

We have lots of exciting things planned for this year starting with a disco and we are in the process of discussing fund-raising with the children and how they would like to see the money raised spent. At our recent meeting, parents discussed looking at developing 'The Hive', a sensory room, making the outside area more 'green' and purchasing an outside classroom - brilliant ideas that will be discussed in more detail alongside the children's and teachers' ideas. On Thursday 24th October at 6pm in school, the Family Fundraisers will be meeting to discuss the Christmas Fair in detail; we hope you can all come.

Come along and join us!
 jill.taylor@suttoncp.uk or keira.burns@suttoncp.uk



Macmillan Coffee Afternoon

Thank you so much for your generous donations of cakes, buns and biscuits for our annual Macmillan Coffee afternoon on 27th September in the school hall. It was wonderful to welcome so many of our friends and families. Everyone enjoyed spending time together, drinking tea and eating cake! We are currently counting all of your donations and will let you know the final amount raised in due course.

Thank you again!





Sutton CP News...



www.wherelearnersgrow.co.uk

4 Oct 19

KEIGHLEY R·U·F·C
RFU facebook.com/KRUFU
juniorsecretary@keighleyrufc.com

SUNDAYS 10am
TAG AGES 6-8
CONTACT AGES 9+

PLAY RUGBY

at keighleyrufc.com

COME AND GIVE IT A TRY

THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND Diocese of Leeds

The United Benefice of Sutton with Cowling & Lothersdale:
St Thomas' Sutton in Craven

BREAKFAST AND WORSHIP FOR ALL THE FAMILY

RISE AND SHINE

2ND SUNDAY IN MONTH, 9.00AM

SUNDAY 8TH SEPTEMBER SUNDAY 13TH OCTOBER
SUNDAY 10TH NOVEMBER SUNDAY 8TH DECEMBER

Vicar: The Revd Helen Collings
The Vicarage, Main Street, Sutton in Craven, Keighley BD20 7JS
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revd.helen.collings@gmail.com
www.ubscl.org.uk

MINI'S & MICRO'S U6 TO U8

- Emphasis on the basics & having fun
- Family orientated
- Fixtures introduced from U7

CONTACT RUGBY FROM U9

- Tackling introduced
- Reduced number of players & pitch size
- Gradual introduction of scrums, rucks & mauls

JUNIOR RUGBY FROM U13

- More structured & organised rugby
- 15 a side from U14
- Emphasis maintained on individual player development

juniorsecretary@keighleyrufc.com 07966 233 732
KRUFC, Skipton Road, Utley, Keighley, BD20 6DT

PARTNERSHIP SCHOOLS

Beckfoot Oakbank, South Craven School, Parkside School, Carnegie Affiliated Club



Supporting Individuals with Learning Disabilities

Do you support individuals with learning disabilities as part of your current job?

Our supporting individuals with learning disabilities level 2 award provides essential knowledge and skills to anyone wanting to actively support individuals with learning disabilities.

It is ideal if you come into contact with individuals with learning disabilities in a work setting or as a volunteer.

This 12 week course starts Wednesday 25th September

9:30-15:30

At Being Better, High Street House, Newmarket Street, Skipton

If you earn less than £16,009.50 per year you could learn for FREE.

To book and for more information please contact our Customer Service Centre on 01609 780780 and ask for 'Adult Learning' or email: south.adultlearning@northyorks.gov.uk

SKIPTON TENNIS CENTRE
OCTOBER HALF TERM 2019
LTA GB CLUB OF THE YEAR

TRY LEARN PLAY ENJOY
TENNIS FOOTBALL DODGEBALL MULTISPORT

DROP OFF AVAILABLE FROM 8.30am
Monday 28th October - Friday 1st November 2019

4-12 YEARS

9.00AM - 3.00PM £15/day £85/week	TENNIS, FOOTBALL or MULTI-SPORTS
9.00AM - 5.00PM £20/day £85/week	TENNIS, FOOTBALL or MULTI-SPORTS PLUS WIND DOWN MOVIE CLUB

The focus is on FUN and ENJOYMENT and the children can CHOOSE their favourite sports. Half day options are available, along with a 10% sibling discount.
Parents MUST provide a packed lunch, we provide drinks and snacks.

UNRIVALLED FACILITIES ...

5 Tennis Courts | 4G All-Weather Pitch | Sports Hall Playing Fields | Club House | Free Car Park

CALL OR E-MAIL FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO BOOK A PLACE!

SKIPTON TENNIS CENTRE

01756 796655 | info@skiptontennis.com | www.skiptontennis.com

Charity Quiz Night

project since 1967 £5 Per person

Friday 4th October
7:30pm until 10:00pm
South Craven Baptist Church

Bring your own drinks

Come and join us for a family quiz night all in aid of Project Trust

Includes a Pie & Peas supper!
(vegetarian option available)

For tickets please contact:
Rhonda Phelps on: 01535 631391
Emma Browne on: 07919 384 531

Living in Christ's love project since 1967 Living in Christ's love project since 1967

WORLD MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS DAY - IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE CRAVEN COMMUNITY LEARNING PARTNERSHIP

SELF-CARE MARKETPLACE

10 OCTOBER 2019, 1PM - 4PM

SKIPTON WELLBEING CAFE
ST ANDREWS CHURCH, NEWMARKET STREET, SKIPTON

Come along to this FREE event to learn more and have a go at activities focussed around looking after your own mental health.

Self-help Books | Tea Tasting | Cosmetics | Textiles/Craft Activity | Musical Sessions using Maori Sticks | Cooking Demonstration & Tasters | Art | Knitting & Jigsaws | Wellbeing Bags | Adult Colouring

The Wellbeing Café will be open for refreshments. No need to book - just come along.

The following organisations will be available for you to gather more information:

North Yorkshire Library Service | Yorkshire MESMAC | Adult Learning & Skills | North Yorkshire Horizons (Drug & Alcohol Services) | Yorkshire Housing | Vital | Mind | Dyneley House Surgery - Social Prescriber | Craven College | Job Centre Plus | Pioneer Projects (Creative Arts & Wellbeing) | My Wellbeing College | Cellar Trust