



WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Dedicated to fostering an inclusive culture that respects, values and celebrates the contributions of all our children.



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It's been a positive first full week of school. We welcomed our new Nursery and Reception children and it's been lovely to see them settle in so well.

Staff News

Congratulations to Miss Sculczuk who got engaged during the summer holidays and to Mrs Slatter for achieving a First in her degree!

Uniform Reminders

The children are looking very smart, however, this is being spoilt somewhat by children wearing jewellery and hair accessories which aren't appropriate for school. Children are permitted to wear a watch and one pair of small, stud earrings only. All children whose hair is longer than shoulder length, need to have it tied up with small, discreet bands and ties. No big bows. Bands should be green or neutral colours only.

Children should also not bring chewing gum into school. Nor should they be bringing in their own fidget toys or toys of any kind. Children who need something like this will have it approved and provided by Mrs Vale and the class teacher. Anyone bringing in their own things will be asked to leave it in their tray or bag, and then at home.

Stay on Green Expectations

Some children and families think that because we've removed the colours of blue, yellow and red, that there are no longer high expectations of behaviour or consequences for poor behaviour. Please be assured that is not the case! A period of adjustment when changes are made is expected, but unkind or unsafe behaviour is not acceptable and there will be consequences for this, including reflection times and missed playtimes. The change is that it's not displayed in the same way with children's names visibly moving

colours. More information will be shared at the Meet the Teacher events next week.

Sensory Garden

The sensory garden is closed to children before and after school. At the end of the day, please keep an eye on smaller siblings and stop them for playing in the garden. Thank you

Year 6 Leadership Roles

These responsibilities have now been shared with the children. They are: House Captains & Vice Captains – these children are responsible for organising house events, not just sports day. there will also be an Autumn and Spring event to bring everyone together in their houses. More information to follow soon.

We also have 24 Year 6 leaders who will share responsibility for organising the hall for assemblies, playtime support for younger children, gate duty in the morning and other whole school events such as Open Mornings.

You can 'meet' these teams on our Facebook page.

Other responsibilities for the wider school such as librarians, school council and eco-council will be announced next week in classes.

Celebration Assemblies

On Friday mornings, we always celebrate the learning from the week by putting gold leaves on the tree, handing out Learner of the Week certificates and hearing from classes about what they've been up to that week. These assemblies continue this year but we have changed the focus of the certificates. They will now be awarded to two children per class who have shown one of our values. You will be able to see who these children are and what value they demonstrated below.

Key Dates

Sept

Weds 17th

3:30pm Meet the Teacher Event

Weds 24th

Open Morning for Reception 2026 Families

Fri 26th

9:00 SSA AGM

Oct

3rd

3:30pm Y2-6 Family Open Classroom Event

6th-10th

Year 1 Stay, Play & Learn

The children were very excited to receive their new certificates today!

Year 5 & 6 Football Trials

These will take place on Monday lunchtime for children in Years 5&6. They just need trainers to change into. Please note, the team is predominantly a Year 6 team with only 1 or 2 Year 5 children. The children will find out on Tuesday if they've made the team and their first tournament is on Friday. More information will be sent to children selected.

Pre-loved Uniform

The SSA will be collecting pre-loved uniforms with new Saxon logos on only. If you have any spare items of clothing with the new Saxon logo, please place them in the yellow bin, next to Saxon's recycling bins. The SSA will then arrange for a pre-loved uniform sale in due course.

SSA AGM

Everyone is welcome to come along to the AGM on Friday 26th September at 9am in the After School Club.

Alternative Provision Guidance

Please see link below for more information:

<https://surreyeducationservices.surreycc.gov.uk/Article/177187?source=Newsletter&guid=22D9BA19-86D8-49C1-9E57-FD86A363E372>

Certificates of Achievement were awarded to:

KS1

1B Grace (A) & Billy (A)
1S Archie (K) & Maisie (R)
2A Felix (A) & Finley (K)
2P Arlo (K) & Roscoe (A)
3B Montana (K) & Paul (R)

KS2

3T Millie (A) & Wilson (R)
4B Mia (K) & Daisy (K)
4M Bonnie (R) & Immy (K)
5D Jake Y (A) & Jasper (K)
5W Logan T (A) & Kayleigh (K)
6A Flynn (A) & Emily (A)
6S Alex (A) & Alyssa (A)

The letter in brackets indicates the School Value:

K = kindness

R = respect

T = teamwork

B = belonging

A = achieving



Stay on Green

Consistently demonstrating green behaviour choices throughout the entire week and therefore receiving a golden leaf this week

were: Annabelle (1S); Ruby, Finley, Jude, Vinnie & Steven-Charlie (2A); Felix (2P); Alex & Daisy (3B); Maria & Ivy O (3T); Ben & Jasmine (4M); Layla D & Edison (5D); Kev & Bonnie (5W); Esme & Rosanna (6A) & Ellie, Elena & Thomas (6S) well done to all of these children!

Outside Achievements

Well done to:

- Ruby (3T) who won a gold trophy in her dance competition in the summer
- Millie (3T) for completing the summer kindness challenge

- Daisy (5D) who won two gold, one silver and one bronze trophy at her dance competitions in the summer
- Dolcie (5D) who learnt to paddleboard in the holidays
- Carla (5W) who completed the summer reading challenge for the 4th time in a row!

If your child has an achievement from outside of school, please fill in the form on our website

<https://www.saxonprimary.co.uk/form/?pid=140&form=21> so they can be included in the newsletter and the news shared in assembly on a Friday.

Wishing everyone a lovely weekend,

Miss Morris
Headteacher

Open Events for Reception 2026 Families

Do you have a child due to start school in September 2026? Or do you know someone who does? Then please sign up to one of our open events or share this information with family and friends. We have the following formal Open Mornings:

Wednesday 24th September 9:30am

Wednesday 8th October 7:00pm

Tuesday 21st October 9:30am

You will hear from the Senior Leadership Team, meet some of our Year 6 Leaders and have a tour of the school. There will be the opportunity to ask questions and see our wonderful early years environment.

In addition, we are hosting smaller, more bespoke tours for a few families at a time on Tuesday mornings.

Finally, we have our Stay & Play session for children to visit the school with you on Saturday 11th October at 9am.

All events can be booked on Ticket Tailor: <https://buytickets.at/saxonprimaryschool>

We look forward to seeing you all!

Term Dates 2025-2026

These are the days children are expected in school. Please refer to these dates when booking holidays:

Autumn Term 2025	
Tuesday 2 nd September	INSET DAY 1
Wednesday 3 rd September	INSET DAY 2
Thursday 4 th September	Children return to school
Friday 24 th October	INSET DAY 3
Monday 27 th October – Friday 31 st October	HALF TERM
Monday 3 rd November	Children return to school
Friday 19 th December	Last day of term (finish at 1:45pm)
Spring Term 2026	
Monday 5 th January	Children return to school
Monday 16 th February – Friday 20 th February	HALF TERM
Monday 23 rd February	Children return to school
Friday 27 th March	Last day of term (finish at 1:45pm)
Monday 30 th March – Friday 10 th April	Easter Holidays
Summer Term 2026	
Monday 13 th April	Children return to school
Monday 25 th May – Friday 29 th May	HALF TERM
Monday 1 st June	Children return to school
Friday 17 th July	Last day of term (finish at 1:45pm)
Monday 20 th July	INSET DAY 4
Tuesday 21 st July	INSET DAY 5

SPELTHORNE SCHOOLS PRAYER GROUP



Welcome back everyone, and a very special welcome to the new children and their families. For those who are unfamiliar with who we are, we are YOUR School's Prayer Group , and it is our privilege and joy to pray for you, your children, their teachers and all things Saxon School-related. We meet once a month – our first being **FRIDAY 19th SEPTEMBER 10am-12pm** – when we'll be praying especially that the children settle well, learn well, play well and are happy at this lovely school. You are most welcome to join us any time, also if there is anything you feel comfortable in sharing for prayer, we'd love to hear from you.

For more info contact: Val Edwards: info@spelthorneschoolsprayergroup.org



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Saturday Multi-Sport Club

Try a different sport each week!



Saxon Primary School, Briar Road, Sheperton, TW17 0JB

FREE TRIAL DAY:
Saturday 4th October



Times:
5-7yrs: 9am-10am
8-11yrs: 10am - 11am

Book your free trial here:



Each week, learn the rules and play a new sport. With over 20 traditional and non traditional sports, it's the perfect way for your child to get active and find a sport to love.





1st Laleham Scout Group needs you - to be our **Trustee**

Role summary

With their vital behind the scenes role, our Trustees are dedicated to making sure Scouts runs smoothly, safely, and legally.

Description

We're looking for safe pairs of hands, 'i' dotters and 't' crossers. Sound like you? As a Trustee, you'll be part of a dynamic team working together to make Scouts operate like a well-oiled machine. From managing money to checking meeting places are in tip-top condition, you'll make sure everything is set up properly, so that young people have the best experience in Scouts. Trustees see the big picture, make decisions and work together. As a team, you'll ensure that everything's being done safely and legally, as well as connecting Scouts with your local community. Oh, and it's fine if you've not been a Trustee before. **We'll support you, making sure you learn everything you need to know, as you go.**

What's in it for you?

We're looking in particular for people with a desire to learn about minute taking and record keeping, finances, legal issues, buildings/facilities management/maintenance, fundraising/grant applications, risk management and project management/planning consent/architecture. **We offer the chance to build or develop those skills, to enhance your CV.** If you want to rely on those skills when seeking employment, we can provide a reference.

How much time does it take?

Most Scout Groups' Trustee Boards meet 4-6 times per year. Currently 1st Laleham's Trustee Board meets remotely, with dates and times set to suit the convenience of the trustees.

Learn more

Contact Celia Grundy, Group Chair, by 30th September to find out more about this role: celia@1stlalehamscoutgroup.org

