



## Weekly Newsletter: 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2023

### **Head Teacher Update:**

It has been an extremely busy week at Spring Meadow. Below are some updates and reminders for you:

#### **Kitchen:**

Firstly, congratulations to Judy and Gemma in the kitchen who maintained their 5-star hygiene rating!

#### **School disco:**

The school disco was a great success and I would like to thank the PTA for all of their hard work in organising it and a special mention goes to Ian Gallagher, DJ extraordinaire, as the children have told me the music was amazing!

#### **HAF holiday voucher scheme:**

Please keep an eye out for the HAF vouchers for pupil premium families they are due to be released on Monday.

#### **School library:**

The school have been busy revamping the school library with up to date, high level, quality texts. This has meant we have had a large clear out. We would like these books to go to good homes and so each Monday we will be putting some books out for children to take home and school will be asking for a small donation.

#### **After school clubs:**

ActivePlay have advertised after school clubs and there are still spaces. Please do get in contact if your child is interested in attending.

#### **School website:**

The school website has all of the information you need about the school. This ranges from school lunches to the term dates. The teachers also spend a lot of time on the class pages where you can see what the children have been learning that week- please take the time to have a look!

#### **Parents evening:**

Parents evening is fast approaching on 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> November. We are trialling a new online booking system and more details will follow on Monday with how to book etc.

#### **Individual photos:**

On Wednesday next week the children will have their individual photos taken in school. Details on how to purchase these will follow.

#### **Poppy appeal:**

On Monday the school council will come around with the poppy merchandise. If you would like your child to be able to purchase these please send them in with some coins. These will be on a first come first serve basis.

#### **School dog:**

The school will be welcoming Reuben the new school dog to the school on Tuesday next week. He is an anti-allergy cava poo and extremely friendly. He will spend the majority of his time in Mrs Fielding's office listening to readers on a 1:1 basis and then moving onto small groups of children. If you are aware that your child has a phobia of dogs, please let the school office know to ensure we are prepared for this. I am sure the children will love seeing him and he will love seeing all of you!

Thank you again for all of your support and I hope you have a lovely weekend enjoying the fireworks.

Kind regards,

Mrs Laura Fielding

