



**Safeguarding Hotspot**

HOPEFULLY our new keeping safe road signage, is having the desired effect of supporting us all with road safety, concerning our children.



Thank you for your very positive and supportive comments about our new 'children'.

**Sporting Superstars!**

Surrey School Games League Table

As of 12/2/18	Primary League Table:
1st - 40 points	Ashford Park Primary School
2nd - 30 points	Connaught Junior School
2nd - 30 points	Crawley Ridge Junior School
2nd - 30 points	Hammond Junior School
2nd - 30 points	Mytchett Primary School

**GO APPS!**

**MAC – Making Attendance Count**

Congratulations to the Top Ted winners this week being Deer Class with 98.3% and Top Dog winners being Skylark with 99.6%. Fab-u-lous!

**Our APPS Values**

We send our thanks to our parent / carer

community for your thoughts to support our school VALUES at APPS.



**Belonging,  
Challenge,  
Resilience,  
Aspiration,  
Peace,  
Compassion.**

In 2012 we worked with Dr Neil Hawkes to introduce a monthly values curriculum, which significantly positively impacted on improved pupil behaviour for learning. Over time, we have monitored the impact of the individual values, and with the children's support, have now reduced the values to one per half term. The children in EYFS and KS1, worked with a

visiting artist and have created a values tree (part of our school badge), and with their active contributions our new values will be prominently displayed as we enter and leave our school hall.

**Thinking Day**

Our Rainbows, Beavers, Brownies, Cubs and Scouts celebrated 'Thinking Day' by proudly wearing their uniforms to school.



The children commemorated the birthdays of Lord and Lady Baden-Powell, the founders of Girl Guiding and the Scout Association.

**Swimming Achievement – well done Eleanor!**

Well done to Eleanor M who achieved the following last weekend: 100m Breaststroke – 4<sup>th</sup> position

50m Freestyle - 4<sup>th</sup> position  
 50m Breaststroke - 6<sup>th</sup> position  
 Eleanor also achieved a GOLD medal in the 100m Individual Medley and a BRONZE medal in the 100m Freestyle.  
 Congratulations Eleanor, for achieving so well in this important life skill.



### Eco Conference 27<sup>th</sup> February 2018



On the 27<sup>th</sup> February 2018, 6 children (including me), were lucky enough to go to Spelthorne Council Offices and meet the Mayor of Spelthorne and Phil Williams. I learnt

that it is not about what you have, it is about who you are. We are breaking Rainforests in Brazil, Africa and Madagascar and it is destroying homes of the people who live there. We are taking too much and wasting too much. Did you know, we waste about 1.5 million tomatoes everyday on average? Every day at least 20,000 people under 12 die because of starvation. We are taking too much from other countries which means they have very little. All of us give no respect to the people in the Rainforest and the workers and this needs to stop. Not only that, but we are running out of space in landfills. Why do we waste so much? We must not just think of ourselves and this needs to stop!!

By Aimen C

### **\*\*Calling all Beauticians! \*\***

Are you interested in attending our PTA shopping and pamper evening on Wednesday 9th May?

Please get in touch to book your place and promote your businesses! Please email:

Email [appspta@gmail.com](mailto:appspta@gmail.com)



### **Certificates**

Well done to the following children who have received certificates this week:

Joshua L, Heidi F, Shelby L, Jack C, Evie K, Jenson P & Sofia U.



### **March**

**5<sup>th</sup>** – World Book Day, children invited to come to school dressed as a character from a book

**7<sup>th</sup>** – Squirrel Class Assembly for parents at 2.30pm

**8<sup>th</sup>** – 'Enough Abuse' workshop for parents and children in years 4, 5 & 6 in the hall 3.30 – 5.00pm

**9<sup>th</sup>** – Heron Class Assembly for parents at 2.30pm

**14<sup>th</sup>** – Deer Class Assembly for parents at 2.30pm

**15<sup>th</sup>** - Kingfisher Class Assembly for parents at 2.30pm

**16<sup>th</sup>** – French day / French lunch

**21<sup>st</sup>** – Hedgehog Class Assembly for parents at 2.30pm