



# Southway Junior School

# Newsletter

Learning and Achieving Together



Dear Parents and Carers,  
A very warm welcome back to you all and I would like to particularly welcome our new year 3 families. I hope you had a wonderful summer break. It has been great to see all of the children arriving in school smartly dressed in their uniforms and proudly displaying new bags, pencil cases and lunchboxes!

I have been a regular visitor to all classes this week and I have been struck by the way in which everyone has settled down to learning so quickly. Routines are already in place and working well and the atmosphere around the school is lovely.

In my assembly on Monday I talked about our key values, kindness, teamwork, resilience and respect, that make Southway such a positive and stimulating place to be. One of these was how we see ourselves as one big community and that we look out for each other.

*'When things go wrong, don't go with them.'* **Elvis Presley**

In the meantime, have a wonderful weekend

Mr P Newbold

## Dates for your Diary

### September

Mon 11<sup>th</sup>-Fri 15<sup>th</sup> – Y6 French Residential Trip  
 Mon 11<sup>th</sup> – Y4 Curriculum Meeting for Parents 3.15pm  
 Tues 12<sup>th</sup> – Y3 Curriculum Meeting for Parents 3.15pm  
 Weds 13<sup>th</sup> – Y5 Curriculum Meeting for Parents 3.15pm  
 Thurs 14<sup>th</sup> – Y4 Brighton Trip  
 Mon 18<sup>th</sup> – Y6 Bikeability Week 1  
 Thurs 21<sup>st</sup> – Y5 Hampton Court Trip  
 Fri 22<sup>nd</sup> - School Photographer Due  
 Mon 25<sup>th</sup> – Y6 Bikeability Week 2  
 Fri 29<sup>th</sup> – Y4 Victorian School Day at Southway

## PE Kits Noticeboard

Please make sure that PE kits and trainers / plimsolls are in school every day. Please also name all clothing/property brought into school.

Thank you.



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# Achievements



Amber from Einstein Class was awarded a certificate from Hurstpierpoint Gymnastics Club.



Seb from Curie won a medal for taking part in a dodgeball competition with HADO AR Sports.

Kaitlyn from Dickens Class has been awarded her Level 2 Swimming Certificate.



Mae from Einstein Class received a medal from her ballet teacher for being the Most Improved Dancer.



Isla from Mandela Class won a trophy & medal in Gymnastics. She came 1<sup>st</sup> in a pairs competition, 3<sup>rd</sup> in the vault, 4<sup>th</sup> in the solo & 2<sup>nd</sup> overall!



Aaron from Pankhurst was awarded a certificate for achieving a Distinction in his Level 1, Grade 1 Award from LAMDA.



Lyla from Dickens Class has been awarded her Level 4 Certificate in Gymnastics, after just 2 terms! She is also a keen member of a marching band & took part in 2 separate displays in London at the end of last term.



Leo from Rowling Class was awarded a certificate & medal for taking part in the Burgess Hill Library Summer Reading Challenge



Amelia from Dickens Class has gained her Advanced Level 2 Certificate from Finn's Swim School.

