

#### **100 YEAR ARMISTICE DAY COMMEMORATIONS**

This Sunday 11th November the nation will be commemorating 100 years since the end of World War I. On Saturday 10th November from 10.30-11am (revised time) Salfords and Sidlow Parish Council are holding a community commemorative event at Salfords Station; this coincides with GT Railway providing a silent soldier memorial. Mrs Regnard will be doing a reading at this event and we have been asked if children would like to sing. This is open to all members of our school community; the letter sent last details this. Please note the revised meeting time is 10.15am. Mrs Regnard looks forward to seeing you tomorrow!



#### **HOUSE CAPTAINS**

We are excited to introduce a new role at Salfords in our House Captains. These children have been identified in Year 6 for continually showing our values of **kindness**, **respect**, **courage** and **excellence**. Well done to -

Nightingale: Naomi J

Redgrave: Sway T

Rowling: Evie M

Brunel: Amy B



Next Friday 16th November we will be supporting the Children In Need Charity. The School Council have decided that everyone is welcome to wear their pyjamas to school on this day - slippers are allowed indoors so please bring a change of shoes for outside. Please ensure you bring a monetary donation, we suggest £1.00.









#### **PARENT CONSULTATION MEETINGS**

This week all our classteachers were available to meet parents about their child/ren's progress in school - thank you for your support and attendance. We changed the system within school to support Safeguarding for our teachers and efficiency of the 10 minute meetings. Thank you for the feedback we have received so far, if you have further comments do please email these to info@salfordsschool.org by next Friday 16th November.



#### PE KITS

Too many children are in school without a full PE kit some are missing their statutory entitlement to physical activity. Please ensure everyone has a school t-shirt, shorts, trainers and tracksuit for outdoors.

#### **WELCOME**

We have welcomed Miss Harper to our EYFS staff team. Miss Harper is an experienced EYFS practitioner and she is enjoying supporting the children's learning and development at Salfords - she is based in Robins class with Mr Welch.

#### **TIMES TABLES WORKSHOP**

Thank you to Mrs Reynolds who led the times tables workshops today, these were very well received. Please find attached the 'Top Tips' for supporting times tables at home. Thank you to Mrs Deanne White who both Headteachers have worked with previously for writing these. The presentation will be made available on our school website.

#### **NURSERY CONSULTATION**

Thank you to those people who have responded to our Consultation to lower the age range for Salfords Primary School. We have sent a paper copy home today; please do take the time to complete it and send it back to the office by Monday 19th November. GLF schools are currently leading on this initiative so that we as Headteachers can continue our focus on teaching and learning in school.

#### The Proposal

The School Strategy Board of Salfords Primary School, with the support of GLF Schools, is proposing to change the age range of the school from 4-11 years to 2-11 years so that we can offer a new nursery provision on the grounds of the school site.

#### **OPEN MORNINGS**

Come and see how we support everyone to 'Be Your Best' at one of our forthcoming open mornings - these are aimed at families whose children are due to start school in September 2019, or for families looking for places in alternative year groups. Our dates are:





- Friday November 23rd 2018 at 9am
- Wednesday January 9th 2019 at 9am

Please book via the office 01737 762940 or <a href="mailto:info@salfordsschool.org">info@salfordsschool.org</a>

Small group tours are also available.

#### **FAMILY COUNCIL**

We are pleased to invite parents and carers to our first official Family Council meetings on Wednesday 28th November at 2.15pm and 7.00pm to support a range of families. Our focus will be updating parents on the progress of our School Development Plan (SDP) which is in response to parental requests. A member of our Multi-Academy Trust GLF will be present at the evening meeting.

#### **CHRISTMAS PERFORMANCE TIMES**

Our performance times for our school Christmas events are confirmed as:

Tuesday 4th December: EYFS (Wrens & Robins) 9.30am and 2.15pm TODDLERS?? TICKETS??

Thursday 6th December: KS1 (Swifts, Sparrows, Bullfinches, Blue Jays & Blackbirds) 9.30am & 2.15pm

Friday 7th December: KS1 (Swifts, Sparrows, Bullfinches, Blue Jays & Blackbirds) 9.30am

Wednesday 12th December: KS2 in the afternoon (exact times to be confirmed)

- Y3 & Y4 (Kites, Kestrels, Hawks, Harriers)
- Y5 & Y6 (Owls, Ospreys, Falcons & Eagles)

#### **DATES & EVENTS**

November 2018	
Sat 10th Nov Fri 16th Nov Fri 23rd Nov Sat 24th Nov	100 year Armisitice Day Commemoration at Salfords Station, meet by 10.15am Children in Need: wear pyjamas Open morning for prospective parents PTA Christmas Fair 12pm-2.30pm
December 2018	



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Tues 4th Dec	EYFS performance x 2 - parents to watch 9.30am and 2.15pm
Thurs 6th Dec	KS1 performance x 2 - parents to watch 9.30am and 2.15pm
Fri 7th Dec	KS1 performance x 1 - parents to watch 9.30am
Wed 12th Dec	KS2 carol concert at church x 2 Y3/4 & Y5/6 and School panto
Thurs 13th Dec	PTA Christmas Discos
	Y R/1/2 4.15pm - 5pm (doors open 4pm)
	Y 3/4/5/6 5.15pm - 6.15pm (doors open 5pm)
Fri 14th Dec	Christmas lunch & party afternoon
Tues 18th Dec	Trophy Assembly
Wed 19th Dec	12.10pm end of Autumn term
January 2019	
Mon 7th Jan	Start of Spring Term for children & staff
Tues 15th Jan	SCC Primary School applications close

#### **COMMUNITY NEWS**

### 'Train to Teach'

## Wednesday 21/11/18 @ Reigate College

## 6pm - 8pm

#### Aimed at:

- Are you making a career change and considering teaching but want to know more?
  - ❖ Are you a recent graduate and want to know more about teaching?
- ❖ Are you a non-graduate with professional and occupational experience and want to know more about teaching?
- ❖ Or do you just want to learn more about training to be a teacher?

Phase: All Phases

\* FREE EVENT \*

#### **PTA UPDATE**

### **Christmas card orders**

The deadline for ordering online is **TODAY**!! The details including the code you will need to order online are on the proof that you should have received in your child's bag.





#### **Christmas fair**

- Thank you for all the donations we have received today!
- Please keep selling, selling the raffle tickets more are available from the office should you need any.

### **Bonfire night cake sale**

Thank you for all the delicious cakes! We raised £192 – great work.

### **Aviva Community Funding Scheme**

The PTA has an application in the Aviva Community Funding Scheme for IT equipment. You can vote now at

https://www.avivacommunityfund.co.uk/voting/project/view/4-3010#0 Please, please vote and share with all your family and friends.



'Break a leg' to our choir this evening who are singing at the Let's Sing local event!

**Claire Regnard & Carrie Christer** 

Co-Headteachers

Please use Amazon Smile to support our school.



