



Springwell Park News

26th June, 2026

Diary Dates

- 29/06/26 - Music Week
- 10/07/26 - Y6 Leavers Festival
- 15/07/26 - Y6 Leavers Assembly
- 16/07/26 - Report to Parents
- 17/07/26 - Last day of term

Canal Safety

This week's assembly focused on canal and water safety, helping children understand how to stay safe near canals, rivers, lakes and other open water. Pupils learned about the potential dangers around water, the importance of staying away from the edge, and what to do in an emergency. As a school located close to local waterways, this was a valuable opportunity to raise awareness and equip our children with important life-saving knowledge.

Gangman Workshops

This week, our Year 6 pupils took part in the annual Gangman workshops. These important sessions are designed to help children understand the risks associated with gangs, exploitation and peer pressure, while equipping them with the knowledge and confidence to make safe and responsible choices. Through discussion and real-life scenarios, pupils explored how to recognise potentially dangerous situations, seek support when needed and make positive decisions as they prepare for the transition to secondary school.

Ready for Reception

On Wednesday, we welcomed our new Reception parents to school for our Ready for Reception meeting. The session provided families with important information and ways to support children with a smooth transition into Reception. It was wonderful to meet so many of our new families, and we are looking forward to welcoming our newest learners to our school community.

Transition Day

On Thursday, children took part in our annual transition day, spending time in their new classrooms with their new teaching teams ahead of September. The day provided an exciting opportunity for pupils to meet their new teachers and support staff, become familiar with their new learning environment and begin building positive relationships for the year ahead. We hope the experience has helped everyone feel confident and excited about the next stage of their school journey.

Wally Cain Dance Performance

On Friday, our talented dancers took to the stage for their performance at the Wally Cain Dance Festival. The children were absolutely fantastic and delivered an incredible performance that showcased their hard work, dedication and enthusiasm. A special thank you goes to Mrs Harlow, who worked tirelessly to prepare the children for the event, and to Mrs H Smith for her invaluable support throughout. We are incredibly proud of all the children involved, who represented the school brilliantly.

Coming up: Key Dates

The end of term is quickly approaching, but we still have so many exciting and important things planned.

- Music week W/B 29th June - this will be full of wonderful of activities.
- Wally Cain dance performance - Friday 25th June. Please note this is invite only.
- Y6 Leavers Festival - 10th July
- Y6 Leavers assessmbly for parents 15th July, but the whole school will also be watching this.
- Prize Giving - 16th July
- Reports to parents - 16th July

Writer of the Week



Each week, teachers choose one child from their class to be our 'Writer of the Week'. This celebrates pupils who have shown excellent effort, creativity, progress, or pride in their writing. At Springwell, we believe every child can become a confident and successful writer, and this award recognises those who are developing their skills and showing a real love for writing across the curriculum. Well done to all of our fantastic writers!

Reception	Darleh M / Zion A
Year 1	Louie P / Leighton F
Year 2	Cindy J / Myla P
Year 3	Jacob R / Tamara E-A
Year 4	Holly S / Harry R
Year 5	Theo M-J / Jamie C
Year 6	Lacey I / Jake B

success Criteria

- Takes pride in presentation (Neat handwriting, taking care with work)
- Responds well to feedback and attempts improvements
- Shows a positive attitude towards writing
- Adds extra detail beyond expectations
- Shows noticeable improvement from previous work
- Understands the purpose of the writing and adapts their writing accordingly
- Has met all the given success criteria for a piece of writing
- Takes great care in proof reading and editing

