

# Spring Street Link

May 23, 2016

Our Grade 3 and 4 students completed PARCC assessments over that past 4 weeks. Although we don't know specifics of the assessments, our students shared that they felt they did very well and were well prepared, even a few comments on how the math assessments were "easier than what we do in class"! Kudos to all of our teachers and paraprofessionals across all grade levels for the instruction and learning that has prepared our students well for these assessments. Kudos as well to our students for demonstrating great effort, perseverance, and determination to proudly share their depth of understanding and knowledge, great work!

## **Sing and Swing**

Spring Street's annual music celebration Sing and Swing will be on Thursday, May 26th at 2:00pm in the back of our school. Come see what students have learned in music class this year. Parents and family are invited to come! Bring your own blanket or lawn chair and join us outside on the blacktop behind the school. Students are asked to wear red, white and blue clothing. Please have your child wear sunscreen and a hat. It looks like it's going to be a sunny, warm afternoon, please send a bottle of water with your child to have at the celebration.

## **LOST and FOUND!**

It is that time of the year again to figure out what your child might have left at school! There will be tables in the lobby filled with coats, sweatshirts, boots, lunchboxes, and other items waiting to return to their rightful homes! On June 10, the remaining items will be donated to St. Anne's Thrift Shop in Shrewsbury.

## **Grade-Level Configuration Next Year**

We have a few changes to our grade-level configuration next year due to class enrollment projections. Our grades/teachers will be:

### **Kindergarten**

Mrs. Noreen Camerato  
Mrs. Kathryn Lewis  
Mrs. Rosann Silver

### **Grade 1**

Mrs. Christina Baumann  
Mrs. Susan Brand  
Mrs. Martha Kinback

### **Grade 2**

Ms. Lindsey Fraher  
Mrs. Amy Porter  
Ms. Colleen Reilly  
Ms. Allison Sullivan (long-term sub for Ms. Tougher)

### **Grade 3**

Ms. Laura Garabedian

Mrs. Elizabeth McRae  
Mrs. Kristin Toloczko

**Grade 4**

Ms. Lynne Doherty  
Mrs. Kristen Liporto  
Mrs. Barbara Luby  
Mrs. Sandra Travers

**Shrewsbury High Youth Soccer Clinic**

The date of the clinic is Saturday, June 18th, from 9am-12pm, and it is targeted at players ranging from ages 8-12 years old. The cost per player is \$30. All proceeds will go to benefit the Shrewsbury High Varsity Soccer Teams as well the Leo Murray Foundation, which provides assistance to underprivileged athletes at Shrewsbury High. This clinic would be a good way for youth players to learn more about soccer from experienced high schoolers, while supporting a great cause. Registration for this clinic can be done online, at this link, <http://bit.ly/1TjEgrZ>, and payment can be made by mail. Attached along with this email is a flyer for the clinic.

**From previous links:**

**Gift of Knowledge Celebration**

The last GOK party of the year is on May 27 for June/July/August birthdays. Please contact Nicole Guelcher with any questions, [nguelcher@townisp.com](mailto:nguelcher@townisp.com)

**Field Day is Friday, June 3rd - We Need Your Help**

Below is the Sign-Up Genius for field day. We cannot hold this fun event without many volunteers to run the activities and chaperone the classes. Kindergarten, 1st and 2nd grade will participate in the morning; 3rd and 4th grade will participate in the afternoon. For questions, please contact Polly at [polyxane@hotmail.com](mailto:polyxane@hotmail.com).  
<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0a4aa4a92da31-field>

**Register for Bus Transportation for 2016-2017**

Please find information related to bus registration for the 2016-17 school year below.  
<http://schools.shrewsburyma.gov/transportation/>

**Important Dates**

Thursday, May 26, Sing and Swing, 2:00pm  
Friday, May 27, Gift of Knowledge, 8:30-9:00am  
Friday, June 3, Field Day (rain date is Monday, June 6)  
Friday, June 10, 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Celebration (rain date is Monday, June 13)  
Friday, June 17, Last day of school for kindergarten, regular dismissal (3:15pm)  
Tuesday, June 21, Last day of school Grades 1-4, 12:15pm dismissal

Have a good week.  
Bryan Mabie