



# SHAWFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL

## Newsletter

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### Congratulations to our Pupils

**Head's Awards:**

<b>Beech</b>	Valerio	<b>Oak</b>	Amy
<b>Maple</b>	Albie	<b>Willow</b>	Marco
<b>Rowan</b>	Deven		



**Pen Licences:** Year 3 Emilia & Tosia

**50 Nights Reading:**

<b>Year 1</b>	Ava, Noah & Tessie
<b>Year 2</b>	Noah T & Jude
<b>Year 3</b>	George, Riley, Harry, Jacob, Joshua, Alfie, Dylan, Alice, Deven, Antonia, Dominic, Ben & Lena
<b>Year 4</b>	Cameron, Remi, Tristen, Amy, Nylah, Ben, Riley S, John, Liam, George, Rowan, Eva, Sam, Jessica & Aaron
<b>Year 5</b>	Molly & Rosie-May
<b>Year 6</b>	Archie, Daniel, Neve, Bethany, Logan, Grace & Alfie

### Congratulations to the following pupils for their achievements outside school:

<b>Year 1</b>	Penny (Poppy Badge)
<b>Year 2</b>	Sophie (Brownie Badge), Sam C (Swimming) & Noah (Parade)
<b>Year 3</b>	Tosia (Dancing & Play in a Day), Sophie (Planting 7,000 trees - certificate from Forestry Commission to confirm they have planted, and now own a forest in Scotland)
<b>Year 4</b>	Jessica (Poppy Badge)

Dear Parents and Carers,

#### Year 6 Bikeability

Congratulations to all our Year 6 pupils who completed their Level 2 Bikeability course last week.



#### Maths Workshop

Thank you to everyone who come along to the Maths Workshop on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup>. Coming home today is a brief questionnaire which I would be grateful if you could complete and return by the **29<sup>th</sup> November**. The presentation given will be made available on the school website for you all to view.

#### Flu Vaccinations – 26<sup>th</sup> November

A reminder to all Parents/Carers and Children that the School Nursing team will be visiting the school on Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> November to administer the Flu as previously advised. For those who have not completed the online consent form, their child(ren) will not be vaccinated.

#### End of Term Finish – Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December – Early Finish!

Please be advised that school will finish at **1:30pm** on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December and there will be no After School Club facility that day.

#### Sickness Bug

As most parents will be aware, there is a sickness bug doing the rounds. Can we please remind parents that children should be kept away from school for 48 hours following their last bout of sickness or diarrhoea.

#### Travelling Book Fair – 18<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup> November

Thank you to those who have already visited the book fair. It will be open Friday morning between 8:30-8:45.

#### Christmas at Shawfield

Coming home today is a list of activities take place during December together with the relevant reply slips. Please take time to read through this as there is a lot going on and ensure that they are returned when due.

#### Primary School Admissions for September 2020 – Parents of children born between 1<sup>st</sup> September 2015 and 31<sup>st</sup> August 2016

If your child is due to start primary school in September 2020 it is now time to apply for a place.

We have a supply of Surrey County Council leaflets explaining how to apply for a primary school place for your child.

The leaflet explains how to apply online via their website [www.surreycc.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.surreycc.gov.uk/admissions). If you do not have internet access at home, you can use the internet at your local library for free. If you would prefer a hard copy of the application form, please telephone 0300 200 1004. The closing date to submit your primary application is 15<sup>th</sup> January 2020. If you have any family or friends who would be interested in viewing the school, please ask them to contact the school office.

### Spare Grey School Tights needed for Year R and 1

We would be grateful for any donations of girl's grey school tights (whole and ladder free) for Year R or Year 1 as we like to keep them for emergencies and have currently run out.

### Is your Child in Year 6?

If so, you need to apply online for a secondary school place by **31<sup>st</sup> October, 2019!**

Applying on time gives you a better chance of getting one of your preferred schools. If you live in Surrey, you can find out all you need to know about school admissions and apply online at [surreycc.gov.uk/admissions](http://surreycc.gov.uk/admissions) or call 0300 200 1004.

### Shawfield Job Vacancies

We currently have vacancies for the following roles:

- Special Needs Assistant – 5 days
- Afterschool club assistant – 5 days
- Afterschool club assistant – 3 days

Please ask the office for further information or visit [www.eteach.com](http://www.eteach.com)

### Open Mornings

Please note that our last open morning for parents whose children are due to start primary school in September 2020 to visit the school is **Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> November at 10am**. These visits give prospective



parents the opportunity to have a tour of all the classrooms and an informal talk from myself about Shawfield.

If you or you have any family or friends who have children due to start school next year and would be interested in viewing the school please contact the school office on 01252 320379 to book one of the dates above.

### Free Fruit – Current Year 3's

Just a reminder to our current Year 3 parents that now your child is in Year 3, the free fruit and universal free infant school lunches are no longer applicable.



If you would like your child to have fruit mid-morning, then please send them in with a fruit snack each day.

### Coming Home Today:

- Christmas at Shawfield

### Coming up:

### Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> November

- Nasal Flu Vaccinations – whole school

Yours sincerely,



Mr Stephen Corcoran  
Head of School

### Community News:

### Ash Centre Swap Shop – Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> December

#### The Ash Centre, Ash Hill Road 11am – 12 noon

Bring items you no longer need, toys, books, CDs, games, clothes, baby stuff, DVDs, bikes etc. (nothing electrical) – No money changes hand!

### Parenting Puzzle Course – January 2020

Family Links have a Nurturing Programme (Parenting Puzzle) course starting in January. This is a 10 week course for parents/carers of children aged 2-11 years.

The Nurturing programme offers simple and effective tools to help parents understand and manage their children's feelings and behaviour.

The course will be held at Walsh CofE School from 21<sup>st</sup> January to 31<sup>st</sup> March 2020 (excluding 18<sup>th</sup> February) from 9:30am – 11:30am.

Booking is essential by contacting 01483 566589 and there is a £20 suggested charge for the course handbook. Unfortunately there is no crèche available.

### SSA News

#### Guildford Community Lottery

We are excited to announce that the SSA has joined the Guildford Community Lottery. Please help us raise money for the school by taking part. We will be running the Lottery instead of the 100 Club.



- Tickets are £1 per week
- You have a 1 in 50 chance of winning
- Top Prize is £25,000

**WOW!** – For every £1 you spend, the SSA receives 50p.

**WOW, WOW, WOW!** – Week 1 and a supporter of the SSA has already won!

To find out more information and to get started, visit: <https://www.guildfordlottery.org/support/shawfield-school-association>

**Christmas Links**

Another WOW – What a great response, thank you to everyone who has returned their links and money to school already. If you would like to buy more links, they are available from the school office. Please make sure all entries and monies are handed in at school before

**Friday 29<sup>th</sup> November.**

**Dates for your Diary:**

17 <sup>th</sup> January	SSA Coffee morning
6 <sup>th</sup> June	Summer Fair

DATE	TIME	EVENT
Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> November		WHOLE SCHOOL - Nasal Flu immunisations by the school nurse. Further details have been sent home.
Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup> November	10am	Open morning for prospective Year R 2020 parents
Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> December		Christmas Post Box open
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> December	9am	Year 5 – Surrey Get Vocal Singing Assembly (Year 5 parents welcome)
Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> December	2pm	Year 1 and 2 Christmas Performance
Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> December	10am	Years 1 and 2 Christmas Performance <b>(This performance is for adults only – no younger siblings)</b>
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> December	All Day	Mufti-Day (in exchange for chocolate for Chocolate Tombola)
Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> December	6:30pm	Key Stage 2 Evening Carol Concert <b>(children to be back at school for 6pm)</b>
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> December	AM	Church Service
	PM	Christmas Lunch
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> December	All Day	Christmas Fun Day
		Christmas Fun Day Lunch
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> December	9am	Year R Nativity
	PM	<b>End of Term – 1:30 finish</b>
<b>CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS</b> <b>Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> December 2019 to Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2020</b>		
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> January 2020		<b>INSET DAY</b> – School CLOSED to pupils
Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> January		Spring Term starts – Pupils return to school
Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup> January	PM	Year 5 – Surrey Get Vocal workshop at Guildford Cathedral
Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> January	9am	Dental Health Workshop for Years R, 1 and 2 with School Nurse
	TBC	Parent Forum
Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> January		Young Voices Concert at the O2
Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> January	PM	Swimming Gala Practice Session at Farnham Leisure Centre
Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> February	9am	Healthy Eating Workshop for Years R, 1 and 2 by School Nurse
Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> February	PM	Swimming Gala Practice Session at Farnham Leisure Centre
	TBC	Year 3 – Football <i>(tbc)</i>
Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> February	TBC	Year 5 – Floorball <i>(tbc)</i>
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> February	PM	Farnham & Ash Sports Association Swimming Gala – Farnham pool
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> February	PM	End of Spring Term