



SHAWFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Congratulations to our children

Shine Award:

Beech	Navaiah	Aspiration
Maple	Erin	Aspiration
Rowan	Rabshika	Aspiration
Ash	Logan & Freddie	Resilience
Oak	Ava	Trust
Willow	Imogen	Resilience



Congratulations to the following children on achieving their Bronze Award:

Rowan	Ava, Nabiah & Isla W.
Oak	Nancy, Olivia, Daisy & Penny

Congratulations to the following children on achieving 25 Reading Nights:

Chestnut	Bobby & Ollie
Maple	Otega & Ethan
Ash	Angelina

Congratulations to the following children on achieving 50 Reading Nights:

Chestnut	Natalie, Alfie, Reggie, Theo & Ada
Beech	Flora
Maple	Isla & Ethan
Rowan	Isla, Matilda, Arthur, Seb & Charlie W
Ash	Sofia
Oak	Rudy
Willow	Betsy & Ruby Bx

Congratulations to the following children on achieving 75 Reading Nights:

Chestnut	Emilia, Archie, Sophia, Nate, Liam, Imogen, Willow & Freddie
Beech	Hallie, William, Aurelia, Ruben & Skylar
Maple	Amelia-Rose & Mia
Rowan	Olivia, Jaidan, Matilda & Charlie M
Ash	Adan, Alana & Darcey
Willow	Thom, Amelia, Samuel, Noah H & Charlie

Congratulations to the following children for their achievements outside school:

Maple	Calum	Man of the Match
	George	Level A Trampolining/Ninja Knights
Rowan	Charlie	Swimming
	Seb	Cubs
	Arthur	Man of the Match
Ash	Sofia	Level 3 Swimming
Oak	Tessie	Player of the Match
	Olivia	Beavers
Willow	Albie	Level 8 Gymnastics & Blue Peter

Dear Parents/Carers,

Postcards

Congratulations to Jamie, Ivy, Willow & Kaydon (Year R), Navaiah, Skylar & Myla (Year 1) & Joshua, Dania & Isla (Year 2), Arthur, Charlie, Isla & Jaiden (Year 3), Noah H (Year 6) on receiving your postcards.



Please send in any pictures of your child with their postcard and we will include them in the next newsletter. **However, can we please remind parents to ensure that all pictures only show the front of the postcard, so we do not publicise your home address details.**

Final Hindleap Warren Residential Meeting for Year 6 Parents & Children – Monday 11th December at 6pm

The Final meeting for parents and children for the Year 6 Residential Visit to Hindleap Warren will take place at 6pm on Monday 11th December 2023.

Christmas Fun Day – Tuesday 12th December

Just a reminder it is the Christmas Fun Day next Tuesday. Children can wear their uniform or get into the Christmas spirit by wearing their festive jumpers, party clothes or fancy dress. Please send your child into school with a NAMED carrier bag, they do not need their book bags in school on this day. The school office will be closed from 8.45am to 3.15pm on the day of the Christmas Fun Day.

Christmas Church Service at St Peter's Church and Christmas Lunch – Wednesday 13th December at 10am

Just a reminder our Christmas Church Service at St Peter's Church, Ash is on next Wednesday at 10am. All classes will walk to and from the church. We would like to invite all parents/carers to the service and Father Keith, staff and Children look forward to seeing you there. Please can we ask parents to wait outside the church until we have all the children seated. After the church service the children will be back in time for lunch.

Year R Nativity Play

All Year R parents/carers are invited to Chestnut's Nativity play on **Friday 15th December at 9.15am** in the school hall. No tickets are issued for this event and Year R parents/carers only are welcome to turn up on the morning of the play.

Last Day of Term – Friday 15th December Early Finish

Please note that school will finish early on Friday 15th December and that there will be no After School Club on this day. To ensure the children are not leaving the site at the same time, the finish times are as follows:

- Years R, 1 and 2 – 1.30pm
- Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 – 1.40pm

The children return to school on Tuesday 2nd January.

Siblings due to start School in September 2024

As you will be aware, with the new housing developments having gone up in the area, Primary School places are becoming oversubscribed.

Therefore, can we please remind all parents who already have children in the school, but require a space for a sibling to start in Year R in September 2024, to ensure that they apply by **15th January** (see details below).

Clubs

As you will be aware, the booking of all clubs can now be done online as per the Parentmail sent out on 7th December.

Open Mornings

Due to a high demand for tours, we have added more open mornings dates for parents whose children are due to start primary school in September 2024 to visit the school. These visits give prospective parents the opportunity to have a tour of all the classrooms and an informal talk from leaders about Shawfield.

Wednesday 10th January 10am

There is a closing date of 15th January 2024 for admission in September 2024.

You can find out all you need to know about school admissions and to apply online, please visit www.surreycc.gov.uk/admissions or call 0300 200 1004.

If you or any family or friends 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.

Coming Home Today

- Raring2Go! Winter 2023

Confirmed INSET Days 2023/24

We are pleased to announce the remaining INSET dates for this academic year:

Monday 22nd July 2024

Tuesday 23rd July 2024

Lunch Menu

Please find attached our lunch menu for w/c 11th December (Week 3).

Yours sincerely,



Mr Stephen Corcoran
Headteacher

Dates for your Diary

DATE	TIME	EVENT
2023-2024 ACADEMIC YEAR		
Monday 11 th December	6pm	Final Meeting for Year 6 Residential visit to Hindleap Warren
Tuesday 12 th December	All Day	Christmas Fun Day
Wednesday 13 th December	AM	Church Service
		Christmas Lunch
Friday 15 th December	09:15	Year R Nativity Play
	PM	Last Day of Autumn Term & Early Finish: 1:30pm for Years R – 2 1:40pm – Years 3 - 6
END OF TERM		
Monday 1st January, 2024	All Day	PUBLIC HOLIDAY
Tuesday 2nd January	AM	Children return to school
Wednesday 10 th January	10am	Open morning for 2024 prospective parents
	PM	Year 4 Science Workshop
Tuesday 16 th January	AM	Year 2 visit to Farnborough Air Museum (<i>tbc</i>)
Monday 29 th January	All Day	Young Voices, O2 - KS2 Choir
Friday 9 th February	PM	Break up for Half Term (<i>normal time</i>)
Monday 19 th February	AM	Children return to school
Monday 22 nd January	All Day	Year 1 visit to Gilbert White's House
Thursday 25 th January	AM	Swimming Gala Practice (1) – Farnham
Thursday 1 st February	AM	Swimming Gala Practice (2) – Farnham
Thursday 8 th February	PM	Swimming Gala - Farnham
Friday 9th February	PM	Break up for Half Term (<i>normal time</i>)
HALF TERM		
Monday 19th February	AM	Children return to school
Thursday 28th March	PM	Last Day of Term (<i>normal time</i>)
Friday 29th March	All Day	PUBLIC HOLIDAY
EASTER HOLIDAYS		
Monday 15th April	AM	Children return to school
Monday 6th May	All Day	PUBLIC HOLIDAY
Friday 24th May	PM	Break up for Half Term (<i>normal time</i>)
HALF TERM		
Monday 3rd June	AM	Children return to school