



# SHAWFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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## Congratulations to our children

### Shine Award:

<b>Chestnut</b>	Dempsey	Resilience
	Tony	Respect
	Mikey	Resilience
<b>Beech</b>	Huda	Resilience
	Kobie	Resilience
	Klay	Respect
<b>Maple</b>	Charlie	Resilience
	Rohan	Aspiration
	Amelia-Rose	Trust
<b>Rowan</b>	Max	Respect
	Lily-Rose	Aspiration
<b>Ash</b>	Angelina	Resilience
	Kimberly	Respect
	Jake	Aspiration
<b>Oak</b>	Mason	Aspiration
	Tessie	Trust
	Albert	Resilience
<b>Willow</b>	Jessica	Aspiration



### Congratulations to the following children on achieving their Bronze Award:

**Oak** Henry & Edward

### Congratulations to the following children on achieving 25 Reading Nights:

**Ash** Lacey-Marie & Jack

### Congratulations to the following children on achieving 50 Reading Nights:

**Beech** Flora

**Maple** Ella & Hannah

**Ash** Finn, Angelina, Lacey-Marie & Ira

**Oak** Nancy

### Congratulations to the following children on achieving 75 Reading Nights:

**Chestnut** Alfie, Natalie, Theo & Archer

**Beech** Miles, Lika, Oliver G., Ellie, Max, Cleo, Henry, Penny & Esme

**Maple** Dania, Erin, Riley & Yohanna

**Rowan** Saif, Ivy & Arthur

**Ash** Logan, Malakai, Finn, Zayn, Tyler & Lillie

**Oak** Daisy

### Congratulations to the following children on achieving 100 Reading Nights:

**Chestnut** Alex, Sophia, Maisie, Freddie, Imogen, Nate, Archie, Alfie, Amelia & Willow

**Beech** Aurelia, Hallie, William, Cleo, Penny, Lika, Max & Ruben

**Maple** Matilda, Mia, Annie, Yohanna & Otis

**Rowan** Jaidan, Rabshika, Amari & Rory

**Ash** Rihanna, Marlea, Darcey, Kimberly, Lillie, Daniel, Alana & Adan

**Oak** Ava

**Congratulations to the following children on achieving 125 Reading Nights:**

<b>Beech</b>	William
<b>Maple</b>	Otis & Annie
<b>Rowan</b>	Charlie M., Mylo, Matilda & Rabshika
<b>Ash</b>	Darcey, Rihanna, Alana, Daniel & Kimberly
<b>Oak</b>	Penny & Ava
<b>Willow</b>	Charlie T, Sam, Thom, Noah H., & Amelia

**Congratulations to the following children for their achievements outside school:**

<b>Beech</b>	Albi	Football
<b>Maple</b>	Isla	Swimming
<b>Rowan</b>	Olivia	Gymnastics
	Max	Man of the Match
<b>Ash</b>	Alana	Blue Peter Badge
	Tyler	Player of the Match
	Marlea	Brownies
	Darcey, Tyler, Demi, Alana & Malakai	Writing Award
<b>Oak</b>	Penny	Gymnastics
<b>Willow</b>	Sam	Letter from AJK

Dear Parents/Carers,

**Message from Headteacher**

We have a very busy term ahead with a number of trips and visits organised to enhance the children's learning.

May I take this opportunity to remind families about the importance of children arriving to school on time.

Towards the end of last term, the number of children coming to school late via the School Office was noticeable. We know this greatly impacts the children and their readiness to learn. Equally, where children arrive consistently after 9am, they are U-coded which will impact their attendance figures. The Local Authority may issue fixed penalty notices to parents where attendance at school is not consistent and falls below expectation.

**Postcards**

Congratulations to Otega, Timmy & Theo (Year 2), Mylo & Isla (Year 3), Jake, Isla, Elizabeth & Demi (Year 4), and Nafeel (Year 5) on receiving your postcards.



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

**Year 4 Science Workshop**

Year 4 had a Science workshop from SATRO about the body and how the digestive system works, which links to their current topic in Science.

They got to use iPads to see into the digestive system and medical technology to measure their pulses before and after exercise. They had a great time.

### **Edwards & Ward – If your child has allergies or intolerances**

Please can we kindly remind all parents/carers that if your child has a food allergy or intolerance and they have school dinners at least once a year (including Christmas Lunch) then you MUST complete the following link with Edwards & Ward.

<https://edwardsandward.co.uk/special-diets/>

### **Swimming Gala**

If your child would like to take part in the Swimming Gala, please return the form sent out by parentmail at your earliest convenience.

The first selection swimming session will take place on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> January.

Please note that your child needs to be able to comfortably swim at least 25m in either front crawl, breaststroke or backstroke (or all three).

### **Year 5 Stone Farm Residential Visit: Final Meeting – Monday 5<sup>th</sup> February at 6pm**

The Final Meeting for parent's and children for the residential visit to Stone Farm is **Monday 5<sup>th</sup> February at 6pm**.

### **Year 2 visit to Farnborough Air Museum**

#### **Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> February**

If you haven't already done so, please return your form and payment for the above visit at your earliest convenience.

### **Volunteers Needed to Help with Reading in School**

If you or any aunts, uncles or grandparents have some spare time during the week and would like to come in and listen to children practise their reading (all year groups), we would love to hear from you.

Just one hour per week would be extremely helpful and volunteers get enormous pleasure from seeing the difference that a few hours of their time can make to a child's reading ability, confidence and enjoyment.

Please contact the school office if you would like further details and, if you require a DBS certificate, we can get everything sent out and set up to allow you volunteer within the school.

### **Clubs**

As you will be aware, the booking of all clubs can now be done online as per the Parentmail sent out on 7<sup>th</sup> December. Please note: KS1 Arts & Crafts Club and KS2 Nature Club are now fully booked for this term.

### **Lunch Menu**

Please find attached our lunch menu for w/c 22<sup>nd</sup> January (Week 3).

Yours sincerely,



**Mr Stephen Corcoran**  
**Headteacher**

### **Confirmed INSET Days 2023/24**

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

**Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2024**

**Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2024**

## Dates for your Diary

DATE	TIME	EVENT
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> January	All Day	Year 1 visit to Gilbert White's House
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> January	SSA	SSA School disco
Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> January	AM	Swimming Gala Practice (1) – Farnham
Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> January	All Day	Young Voices – O2
Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup> February	AM	Swimming Gala Practice (2) – Farnham
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> February	AM	Year R Weight & Height Check (School Nurse)
Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> February	AM	Year 2 visit to Farnborough Air Museum
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> February	PM	Swimming Gala - Farnham
<b>Friday 9<sup>th</sup> February</b>	<b>PM</b>	<b>Break up for Half Term (<i>normal time</i>)</b>
<b>HALF TERM</b>		
<b>Monday 19<sup>th</sup> February</b>	<b>AM</b>	<b>Children return to school</b>
<b>Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<b>PM</b>	<b>Last Day of Term (<i>normal time</i>)</b>
<b>Friday 29<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<b>All Day</b>	<b>PUBLIC HOLIDAY</b>
<b>EASTER HOLIDAYS</b>		
<b>Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April</b>	<b>AM</b>	<b>Children return to school</b>
<b>Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May</b>	<b>All Day</b>	<b>PUBLIC HOLIDAY</b>
<b>Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May</b>	<b>PM</b>	<b>Break up for Half Term (<i>normal time</i>)</b>
<b>HALF TERM</b>		
<b>Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June</b>	<b>AM</b>	<b>Children return to school</b>