



# SHAWFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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## Congratulations to our children:

### Shine Awards:

<b>Chestnut</b>	Max	Respect
<b>Beech</b>	Ollie	Aspiration
<b>Maple</b>	Ava	Respect
<b>Rowan</b>	Millie	Resilience
<b>Ash</b>	Rory	Trust
<b>Oak</b>	Edward	Respect
<b>Willow</b>	Kian	Resilience



## Congratulations to the following children for achieving their Silver Award:

<b>Beech</b>	Sophia
<b>Rowan</b>	Sonny, Tommy, Mia, Theo & Austin
<b>Ash</b>	Seb, Isla & Jaiden
<b>Oak</b>	Angelina
<b>Willow</b>	Varun, Tessie, Olivia, Logan, Noah, Kian, Jacob, Edward, Albert & Ava

## Congratulations to the following children for their achievements outside of school:

<b>Beech</b>	Morgan	Swimming award
	Florence	Show at Drama
<b>Rowan</b>	Annie	Dance competition
<b>Ash</b>	Isla	Brownies badges
	Jude	Man of the Match - Football
<b>Oak</b>	Angelina	Karate medals
	Callum	Man of the Match - Football medal

## Dear Parents/Carers,

A big thank you to everyone who joined us for Parents' Evening this week—it was wonderful to see so many of you connecting with your child(ren)'s teachers and celebrating their progress together.

As we head into the Easter break, we wish you and your families a restful, joyful, and safe holiday. We're already looking forward to welcoming the children back, refreshed and ready to go, on Tuesday 22nd April

## Easter Chicks

A huge congratulations to all our winners in the Easter Chick competition! The entries were proudly displayed in the Year 5 classroom window for everyone to enjoy. Thank you to all the parents who donated £1 per chick—your support is greatly appreciated. A special shout-out to the SSA (our wonderful PTA) for generously providing the Easter goodies and prizes for both our winners and runners-up!

<b>Chestnut</b>	Gwen	<b>Beech</b>	Leo & Theo
<b>Rowan</b>	Ethan & Mia	<b>Oak</b>	Malakai & Zayn

## Postcards

Congratulations to Isla & Theo (Year 3) and Saif & Callum (Year 4) on receiving your postcard.



Please send in any pictures of your child with their postcard and we will include them in the next newsletter.

## Year 6 Toy Sale

Thank you to everyone who kindly donated, came and supported our Year 6's Toy Sale.

They have managed to raise £103 which will go towards funding their travel to the Theatre in June.

### **Waste Management**

As previously shared via Parentmail, we'd like to remind all parents that after the Easter break, any waste from packed lunches—both food and packaging—must be taken home. Please ensure your child brings their lunch in a reusable container and takes all waste back with them at the end of the day. Thank you for helping us reduce waste and keep our school environment clean!

### **KS2 Fruit (and Vegetable) Break**

Just a gentle reminder that only fruit (or vegetables) should be provided if your child wishes to have snack at morning break. Not only is this in line with our Healthy Eating policy, but it will help with recycling waste.

### **School Lunches – Price increase**

Due to rising food costs and increased Employer National Insurance contributions, the price of a school lunch will increase to £2.70 starting from **Tuesday 22nd April 2025**. We appreciate your understanding and continued support as we work to maintain the quality of meals provided.

### **Years 2 & 5 Swimming Lessons**

Please be reminded that the first Years 2 and 5 start their swimming lessons on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April.

◆ **If you haven't returned your child's form yet**, please do so as soon as possible.

🏠 **Payments** can be made via the School Office or **ScoPay**.

👉 **Swim Caps:** As per **Ash Grange policy**, all children must wear a swim cap. Caps are available for **50p from the School Office** or at any sports shop.

### **Lunch Menu**

Please find attached the lunch menu for w/c 21<sup>st</sup> April, 2025 (Week 3).

Please also be advised that we will have the following themed lunches coming up:

**Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> May** – Spanish Day

**Friday 6<sup>th</sup> June** – Fish & Chip Day

Yours sincerely,



**Mr Stephen Corcoran**  
Headteacher

## SSA News

### **SSA Bingo - Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> May**

Please see attached flyer giving details of an SSA Bingo evening on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> May.

The event will be held in the School Hall, with doors opening at 6:30pm and eyes down for 7pm.

Admission is only £2 with books costing £1 each (maximum of 6 books per person).

Tea and coffee will be available throughout the evening by donation to the SSA.

Book via: <https://forms.office.com/e/9aPRGKzPzD>

### **School Fundraising**

A huge thank you to everyone who has signed up and used [www.easyfundraising.org.uk](http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk) together we have raised an extra £100 for school between November & February.

If you haven't yet - please consider signing up to Easyfundraising.

Using the app to navigate to do your online shopping helps to raise money for Shawfield School Association at no extra cost to you - retailers will donate on your behalf out of their profits.

It is quick and easy to sign up and we would be incredibly grateful for all additional help - feel free to pass the link on to your friends, family or even co-workers!

**Shawfield Primary School SSA**  
Registered Charity Number 1105188

**BINGO**

**WEDNESDAY | 7TH MAY 2025**

Save the date and join us for Bingo Night at Shawfield Primary School's SSA (PTA Event). Doors open at 6:30pm. Eyes down at 7:00pm till 8:30pm. Prepare for your luck and have fun with your friends while playing bingo and winning cool prizes.

**Pre-book admissions ONLY - £2 per person**  
Books £1 each (Maximum of 6 per person)

Tea and Coffee available through donations to the school's PTA.  
All proceeds to support teaching and learning at Shawfield Primary School

Book via <https://forms.office.com/e/9aPRGKzPzD>

## Community News

### **Surrey Cycling Team**

The Cycle Training Team at Surrey County Council are recruiting for Bikeability Cycling Instructors. For further details visit:

<https://www.surreycc.gov.uk/jobs/search/details?id=2826>

### **Walking Instructor**

The Safer Travel Team at Surrey County Council have 3 vacancies for a Walking Instructor based in Woking or Guildford. This is a bank, term-time position, with no set or guaranteed hours.

SCC launched the 'Feet First: Walking Training' service nearly three years ago. The training is targeted at 7-8 year olds, (i.e., pupils in Year 3), and is a service that is available to all primary schools across the county.

The aim of 'Feet First' is to provide trainees with vital road safety skills to better enable them to safely walk to and from school with an adult and prepare them for future independent travel. It is taught through a combination of classroom and practical roadside sessions. The practical sessions are delivered by trained Walking Instructors, employed by Surrey County Council.

For further information, visit:

<https://www.surreycc.gov.uk/jobs/search/details?id=2878> The job advert closes at 23:59 on 27 April 2025.

For more information on the role, or an informal discussion, please contact the Safer Travel Team at [walkingtraining@surreycc.gov.uk](mailto:walkingtraining@surreycc.gov.uk)

## Dates for your Diary

Please see our school website calendar for up-to-date information about school events.

DATE	TIME	EVENT
<b>Monday 21<sup>st</sup> April</b>	<b>All Day</b>	<b>EASTER MONDAY – No children in school</b>
Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> April	AM	Children return to school
Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> April	AM	Years 2 & 5 Swimming Lessons
Tuesday 29 <sup>th</sup> April	AM	Years 2 & 5 Swimming Lessons
Wednesday 30 <sup>th</sup> April	AM	Years 2 & 5 Swimming Lessons
<b>Monday 5<sup>th</sup> May</b>	<b>All Day</b>	<b>Public Holiday – No children in school</b>
Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> May	AM	Years 2 & 5 Swimming Lessons
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> May	AM	Years 2 & 5 Swimming Lessons
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> May	AM	Year 5 Astronomy Workshop
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> May	PM	Year 4 Canal Walk
Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> May	AM	Years 2 & 5 Swimming Lessons
Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> May	AM	Years 2 & 5 Swimming Lessons
Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	PM	Break up for half term (normal finish time)
<b>HALF TERM</b>		
Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June	AM	Children return to school
Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June	AM	Years 2 & 5 Swimming Lessons
Wednesday 4 <sup>th</sup> June	AM	Years 2 & 5 Swimming Lessons
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> June	All Day	Year 6 – Theatre Trip (Back to the Future)
Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> June	AM	Years 2 & 5 Swimming Lessons
Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> June	AM	Years 2 & 5 Swimming Lessons
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> June	AM	Group Class Photographs
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> June	AM	Years 2 & 5 Swimming Lessons
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> June	TBC	Sports Day (TBC)
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> July	PM	Break up for term - Early finish: 1:30pm for Years R – 2 1:40pm for Years 3 - 6
<b>Monday 21<sup>st</sup> July</b>	<b>All Day</b>	<b>INSET DAY – No children in school</b>
<b>Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July</b>	<b>All Day</b>	<b>INSET DAY – No children in school</b>
<b>SUMMER HOLIDAYS</b>		