# Sherington Newsletter



12 February 2016

#### DATES TO REMEMBER

### Spring Half Term

Monday 15th February - Friday 19th February

## Spring Term 2

Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> February - Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> March

#### Attendance

Congratulations to 1D who won the attendance cup this week with 99.6% attendance.

### Dinner Money

Spring Term 2: £33.60 Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> February - Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> March

Please can you ensure that all outstanding dinner money is paid as soon as possible.

#### Meal Patterns

Reminder that if your child wishes to change from packed lunch to school dinners or vice versa, this must be put in writing to the school office by Monday 22 February.

This change will be for the whole term. We are unable to accommodate daily / weekly changes.

Advance Notice: from 1st April 2016 school meals will increase by 20p daily taking the daily fee to £1.60 and the weekly charge to £8.00.

#### Reminder

Please could we request that if a different adult is collecting your child, this is put in writing to the class teacher or handed to the school office. Thank you.

# Friends of Sherington

#### SAVE THE DATE:

Next quiz night will be Friday 4<sup>th</sup> March at Blackheath Rugby Club. 8pm start. Tickets £10 including curry.

# School Trips Nursery

As part of their topic 'Our World' Nursery visited local company SeeWoo to look at decorations for Chinese New Year, different lettering styles and food. As with every trip, nursery children had a challenge and this time it was to count how many dragons they could see during their visit.

The children really enjoyed the visit and we are very grateful for all the adult volunteers who were able to accompany us.

#### Year 3

Year 3 visited Hyde Park as part of their Humanities studies on climate.

They learnt about different weather types, cloud formation and how to record temperature and wind direction. The children also had the opportunity to create their own windmills.

#### Lost Keys

We have been handed a set of keys found in Highcombe, near the building site. Please contact the school office if you think these belong to you.

Have a wonderful half term and we look forward to seeing you back at school on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> February.

#### GET TO KNOW THE STAFF

This week, the school council has interviewed one of our members of staff Claire McDonald, Music Teacher. Here's your chance to find out some interesting facts about her.

#### Have you had any other jobs?

I have been a PA, Compliance Officer, Income Coordinator, Perfume Consultant, Shelf Stacker, Cashier and my first job was cleaning out cats at a Cattery when I was 13.

# What else are you good at?

Knitting, crochet and spinning yarn. I'm also quite good at baking cakes (but don't tell anyone!)

# Do you like animals?

I love ALL animals. Except spiders.

#### What are your hobbies?

I sing and play in a band at the weekends and I spin yarn and knit hats, scarves and gloves. I also love running.

# What is your favourite dish?

I love a good roast dinner. Chicken, with roast potatoes, broccoli, carrots and lots of gravy.

# If you could meet a celebrity, who would it be?

I would love to meet Stephen Fry. Then I would invite him to join me in a quiz team...

At School, what subjects did you enjoy?
I was always musical, but I also did drama.

I was in lots of plays at school, and often got lots of solos to sing.

# Where are you from?

I was born in Scotland, but grew up mostly in Cornwall. We moved around a lot when I was growing up because my dad was in the Navy.

### What do you dislike most?

Bad manners. You should always be polite.

#### **URGENT DONATIONS**

GRACE (Greenwich Refugee Aid) is planning to send a container of essential supplies to Syria on February 13th.

Please see the list on our website and bring what you can to the school hall on Saturday 13th (9-1pm) and Monday 15th (8-3pm) to ensure we fill this container to the brim! We also need volunteers to help load the container on Tuesday 16th (11-2pm)

greenwichrefugeeaid.weebly.com; Facebook.com/greenwichrefugeeaid, donationsgreenwich@gmail.com

WK	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
22/02	Sticky Chinese	Chicken Sausages	Roast Turkey with	Free Range BBQ	Homemade MSC
	Chicken	with Gravy and	Gravy & Crispy	Chicken with	Salmon Fishcake &
	Drumsticks	Creamed Potatoes	Roast Potatoes	Mexican /Plain Rice	Chipped Potatoes
	Vegetable Chow	Quorn Sausages	Spinach & Cherry	Winter Vegetable	Organic Beef /
	Mein	with Gravy and	Tomato Frittata	Tagine with Cous	Vegetable Lasagne
		Creamed Potatoes	with Crispy Roast	Cous	with Garlic& Herb
	Special Fried Rice		Potatoes		Focaccia
		Jacket Potato with		Jacket Potato with	
	Mixed Vegetables	Tuna	Jacket Potato with	Tuna	Jacket Potato with
			Cheesy Coleslaw		Cheese, Chives &
	Apple & Peach	Fresh Carrots		Sweetcorn	Spring Onion
	Pastry Slice with		Fresh Carrot &		
	Ice Cream	Marble Sponge & Custard	Swede Mash &	Fresh Melon Fest	Garden Peas
		Custara	Cabbage		Lemon Drizzle
			Homemade Rice		Cake & Custard
			Krispy Bar		

Served daily - Locally sourced season salads, fresh fruit, yoghurt and bread. Fresh drinking water is always available.