# Sherington Newsletter

15<sup>th</sup> January 2016

## DATES TO REMEMBER

**New D&T Building Meeting** Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> January

**Spring Half Term** Monday 15<sup>th</sup> February – Friday 19<sup>th</sup> February

> **Children return to school** Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> February

## Attendance

Congratulations to 4C who won the attendance cup this week with 97.8% attendance.

## **Dinner Money**

Spring Term 1: £40.60 Tuesday 5 January - Friday 12 February

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.

## New Design & Technology Building

The Qube, the company appointed to install the new modular building, will be holding a drop-in session for parents on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> January at 9am in the hall.

This session will enable you to view the early designs and raise any questions you may have.

### Friends of Sherington

We have lots of exciting fundraising events taking place this year. The first meeting was held yesterday and was lovely to see new faces and hear new ideas.

## E-Safety Workshop

Was held on Thursday 14th January and E-Safety expert Andy Hutt provided lots of useful tips and practical guidance to help the whole family stay safe online.

## Children's Centre

New timetable for the Children's Centre is available now - lots of groups and activities for you and you're under 5's including **Rhyme Time, Art for Little Fingers** and **Stay and Plays**.

For new Mums and Dads and parents to be we have a new group called **Bumps N Babes** running every Tuesday morning from 9.30am to 11.30am. A great way to meet other parents and pick up some handy tips :-)

**Baby Massage** will be starting on Jan 14th from 10.30am for 5 weeks -  $\pounds$ 3 per session.

Dad's Saturday Group runs on the 2nd Saturday of every month from 10am -11.30am. Come along and meet other Dads and Male carers while having time to play with your little one. Fun activities and breakfast available.



## GET TO KNOW THE STAFF

This week, the school council has interviewed one of our members of staff Gail Tippett -SENCO. Here's your chance to find out some interesting facts about her.

#### Have you had any other jobs?

I have worked as a class teacher and SENCO within the London Borough of Bexley for 12 years and am very excited to have joined Sherington

## What else are you good at?

I enjoy aspects of DIY and would say that I'm better at it than my husband but not necessarily good!

## Do you like animals?

I love animals and have 2 cats.

#### What are your hobbies?

Spending time with my family and friends. I enjoy visiting the theatre, reading and shopping.

#### What is your favourite dish?

I enjoy eating out, particularly Greek and Italian. My favourite take-away is pizza.

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

I'm a big Disney fan so would have loved to have met Walt Disney.

I'm also a Jason Donovan fan.

#### At School, what subjects did you enjoy? I really enjoyed Drama at school, English and History Where are you from?

I grew up in Bexley but my Dad is from Scotland

#### What do you dislike most?

Lying. It is always easier to tell the truth and be honest.

## Reminders

Please can we request that if someone different is collecting your child(ren) from school that this is put in writing and passed to the class teacher or the school office at the start of the day. This will prevent the main office having an unnecessary que while we take details down.

Such information, as above or permission slips and payments can be put in our post box. We've installed the post box to ease the congestion at the start and end of the school day, please assist us by using this whenever possible. Thank you!

WK	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
18/01	Pizza with Crushed	Organic Beef	Lemon Roast	Homemade Organic	MSC Lemon &
	New Potatoes	Bolognese with	Chicken with Gravy	Chicken Sausage	Pepper Fish
		Pasta Pipes	& Roast Potatoes	Roll with Creamed	Gojuons with
	Quorn Sausages			Potatoes	Chipped Potatoes
	with Crushed	Vegetarian	Fresh Vegetable		
	Potatoes	Spaghetti	Crumble & Roast	Red Vegetable	Mac n Cheese with
		Bolognese	Potatoes	Chilli with Mexican	Garlic & Herb
	Jacket Potato with	-		Rice	Focaccia Bread
	Cheese	Jacket Potato with	Jacket Potato with		
		Bolognese	Baked Beans	Jacket Potato with	Jacket Potato with
	Sweetcorn &	-		Tuna & Sweetcorn	Baked Beans
	Mixed Salad	Fresh Carrots	Seasonal Vegetable		
			Medley	Backed Beans &	Fresh Roasted
	Coconut Infused	Iced Sponge with		Peas	Root Vegetables
	Rice Pudding	Custard	Fruity Pineapple		-
			Crush Jelly	Fresh Melon Fest	Homemade Jam
					Buns with Custard
erved daily - Loc	cally sourced season so	alads, fresh fruit, y	oghurt and bread. Fi	resh drinking water	is always available.
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