

# Sherington Newsletter



22<sup>nd</sup> October 2020

## **TERM DATES**

### **Half Term**

Monday 26<sup>th</sup> October - Friday 30<sup>th</sup> October

### **Autumn Term 2**

Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> November - Friday 18<sup>th</sup> December  
(Please note school closes at 1:30pm on 18<sup>th</sup> Dec)

**Reminder school is closed tomorrow, Friday  
23<sup>rd</sup> October for INSET**

## **Assemblies**

This week's Black History assembly looked at Marcus Rashford's open letter to MPs and his role model Muhammed Ali. We looked at the power of speaking up for others and what you believe in. Classes discussed what we can do to make a difference; pupils fed back who they would write a letter to and why?

Parents who are new to our Positive Education philosophy are encouraged to take the Character Strengths survey. For more information, see the school's website (Curriculum page > Positive Education) where the link can be found.  
[www.viacharacter.org](http://www.viacharacter.org)

## **Attendance**

The award this week goes to 2H with 100%

## **Parents' Evenings (reception - year 6)**

Teachers were pleased to meet with parents and carers this week over Zoom. Our apologies for having to postpone a small number of meetings in one affected bubble but it has been unavoidable. They will be re-arranged for early next half term.

## **School Meals**

Daily fee £2.75      Weekly £13.75

Autumn Term 1      £96.25

You must notify the office if changing meal pattern for the next half term.

## **Secondary Applications (year 6)**

The deadline for secondary school applications is **31<sup>st</sup> October**. Please visit

[https://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/info/200286/apply\\_for\\_a\\_school\\_place/1937/apply\\_for\\_a\\_secondary\\_school\\_place](https://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/info/200286/apply_for_a_school_place/1937/apply_for_a_secondary_school_place)

## **Nasal Flu Vaccinations**

The School Nursing Team will administer the nasal flu vaccinations on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> December

## **The Royal British Legion - Poppies**

We will not be selling poppies for The Royal British Legion this year however staff and students are welcome to wear poppies should they wish to. Donations to The Royal British Legion can be made online at [www.britishlegion.org.uk/donate](http://www.britishlegion.org.uk/donate)

We shall be observing a one minute silence at 11am on 11 November (Armistice Day)

## **Children in Need**

Staff and students are invited to wear something with spots on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> November in order to celebrate Children in Need. Whilst the school will not be taking donations on this day, we are sharing the fundraising website with you and ask that donations are made directly to Children in Need. [www.childreninneed.co.uk](http://www.childreninneed.co.uk)