# Sherington Newsletter



9<sup>th</sup> October 2015

#### DATES TO REMEMBER

#### Parent Evenings

Monday 19<sup>th</sup> October 3:30-7:30pm Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> October 3:30-5:30pm

#### Harvest Assembly

Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> October Rec&KS1 9:15 KS2 9:45

**INSET Day** 

Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> October

# Autumn half term

Monday 26th October to Friday 30th October

Literacy Open Morning

Thursday 12th November

Christmas Holiday

Monday 21st December to Monday 4th January

#### Attendance

Congratulations to 1D who won the attendance cup this week with 100% attendance. Also congratulations to 2M, 3C, 4B, 5W & 6W who all had 99% attendance. Keep up the excellent attendance!

#### Monday After School Club Collection

As there are quite a few different after school clubs running on a Monday after school, the clubs will be dismissed from different places to avoid overcrowding. Please collect your child from the relevant place at 4.30pm:

Years 3 and 4 gymnastics- Front office on Wyndcliff Road

Years 1- 3 Gardening club- Front office on Wyndcliff Road

Years 1 and 2 Culture club- Front office on Wyndcliff Road

Years 1 and 2 Ball Skills- Hall doors on Sherington

Years 3- 6 Glee Club- Hall doors on Sherington Road

Years 5 and 6 Computing- Hall doors on Sherington

#### Friends of Sherington

Reminder - Save the date: the new parents meal will be on 15 October, venue to be confirmed.

Next friends meeting and AGM on 5 November.

#### Change of Collection

Please can we ask that if someone different is collecting your child/children on a particular day, you notify the office by 3pm on this day. Teachers will not allow someone else to collect your child, unless we have been notified in advance.

#### Trips out

This week both year 1 classes have visited The Reminiscence Centre in Greenwich as part of their study for Humanities. While there they discussed and looked at toys from the past and compared them to today's toys.

Xixi & Lara of 1D said "It was about toys of the past. We saw skipping ropes and a rag dolly. We enjoyed splitting into groups to talk about different toys.

# School Office

We now have a white post box outside the main office door, where you can deposit money for dinners and clubs or letters to the school. (envelopes provided)

Please clearly mark the envelope with your child's name and class.

#### Healthy Eating Week

Children have enjoyed taking part in various activities this week, such as trips to the local green grocers to choose fruit to make a fruit salad and the supermarket for ingredients to make a hearty vegetable soup, flat bread and sandwiches. (recipes can be obtained from the school office) During this week we have learned the importance of healthy eating and used a variety of cooking skills to create these dishes.

#### Parental Survey Reminder

Please visit the parent views section on the school website under the parent's tab to have your say on online payments for the school.

#### GET TO KNOW THE STAFF

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

# Have you had any other jobs?

Yes I have spent most of my career working in Museums including the Imperial War Museum (here I met my husband), Victoria and Albert Museum, Theatre Museum and DCMS. I have also volunteered in schools and for a literacy charity called Springboard for Children

# What else are you good at? Listening

# Do you like animals?

Yes I do. We will be visiting the Dogs Trust at half term in our efforts to find a suitable rescue dog.

#### What are your hobbies?

Cruising, knitting and baking (although the contestants in the Great British Bake Off have nothing to worry about!!)

# What is your favourite dish?

My Mum's homemade Cornish Pasty.

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

There are so many ... can I have two? The first one is Enid Blyton I loved as a child reading the Famous Five in particular Five Go Down To The Sea. She bases it around the area I grew up in so I would be interested to talk to her about her memories.

# GET TO KNOW THE STAFF CONTINUED...

Secondly the food writer Elizabeth David. I love reading her books particularly A book of Mediterranean Food. She would transport me back to the warmth of the suns

At School, what subjects did you enjoy? Geography and Chemistry

# Where are you from?

You've probably never heard of it. Padstow in Cornwall.

What do you dislike the most?
Self-checkout tills at supermarker

Self-checkout tills at supermarkets! They always take longer!

#### SOMETHING FOR THE WEEKEND

There's things' happening down in Lee this weekend. One of the fabulous Lochaber Children's Table Sales takes place in the Lochaber Hall on Manor Lee Terrrace, with the usual great range of second hand clothes, toys, and books. Saturday 3pm - 5pm. Suggestion.. Get there early. Eltham United Reformed Church has the SE London Meccano Show on Saturday as well, now in its 37th Year. 10.30am - 4.30pm. If you like building, get inspired. And if you simply have to go up town, celebrate Diwali this Sunday with a huge bash in Trafalgar Square 12.30pm -7.00pm; a free event offering musical delights, culinary delights, and some spiritual highlights. Happy Diwali.

WK	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
12/10	Sweet Tomato Vege	Chicken and Leek Pie	Roast Turkey with	Organic Beef	Birds Eye MSC Fish
	Ball Pasta		Stuffing	Bolognese with	Fingers with Lemon
		Vegetarian Cottage		Spaghetti	Wedges
	Spicy Mexican Bean	Pie	Quorn Roast		
	Wrap			Vegetarian Bolognese	Cauliflower Cheese
		New Potatoes	Roasted Potatoes		Cheese & Tomato
	Sunshine Rice			Wholemeal Garlic and	Turnover
		Jacket Potato with	Jacket Potato with	Herb Foaccia	
	Jacket Potato with	Tuna Mayonnaise	Cheese		Chips
	Cheesy Coleslaw			Jacket Potato with	
		Fresh Seasonal Mixed	Fresh Green Cabbage	Organic Beef	Jacket Potato with
	Broccoli Florets	Vegetables	Creamed Swede and	Bolognese	Beans
	Sweetcorn		Carrot		
		Frosted Carrot Cake		Fresh Seasonal	Baked Beans
	Fruity Flapjack		Oaty Peach Crumble	Vegetable Medley	Sweetcorn Cobbettes
			with Custard	Rainbow Coleslaw	
					Iced Gingerbread
				Steamed Syrup	
				Sponge Pudding and	
				Custard	

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