

Sherington Newsletter



2nd October 2015

DATES TO REMEMBER

Yr6 School Journey

Monday 5th - Friday 9th October

Healthy Eating Week

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Parent Evenings

Monday 19th October 3:30-7:30pm

Tuesday 20th October 3:30-5:30pm

Harvest Assembly

Tuesday 20th October

Rec&KS1 9:15

KS2 9:45

INSET Day

Friday 23rd 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 4B & 4C who share the attendance cup this week with 99.3% 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 Road

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

Years 5 and 6 Computing- Hall doors on Sherington Road

Friends of Sherington

Save the date: the new parents meal will be on 15 October, venue to be confirmed. Next friends meeting and AGM on 5 Nov

School Office

In order to reduce congestion at the beginning and end of the school day, 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.

Trips out

This week both year 2 classes have visited The Painted Hall in Greenwich as part of their local study for Humanities.

Favour (2M) said "We visited the Royal Naval College and we went into the Church that had a painted ceiling. It was very good"

Reception Parents Maths Workshop

Yesterday, we held a very successful 'early maths' open morning for Reception Parents. Parents in both Foxes and Hedgehogs were very complimentary about the whole morning. A survey on the day showed that 100% of parents believed the session had helped them to understand how maths is taught at Sherington.

97.5% The session made them feel more confident in supporting their child at home.

97.5% felt the session would make a difference to the way they support their child at home.

Direct quotes from parents include :

"Awareness of importance of practical resources in everyday life".

"Reinforcing the use of everyday objects in the house to represent numbers and making maths fun is a useful reminder for all of us.

"Well presented, clear ideas, good examples"

A huge thank you to Mrs Burnell for her expert advice in Early Years Maths and to the EYFS team of Teachers, Teaching Assistants and not forgetting of course our amazing children in Foxes and Hedgehogs!

GET TO KNOW THE STAFF

This week, the school council has interviewed one of our members of staff Claire Bangs - Year 1 and Nursery Teacher. Here's your chance to find out some interesting facts about her.

Have you had any other jobs?

I used to work at the Maritime Museum as a Gallery Assistant and before that I worked as a part time hotel receptionist in North Wales whilst I was at University.

What else are you good at?

I love cooking but you'd have to ask my family if I was any good at it.

Do you like animals?

I love animals. I don't have any pets at the moment but will definitely get some in the future.

What are your hobbies?

Walking, eating and cooking. I also love listening to music.

What is your favourite dish?

Too many to have a favourite. I do enjoy tucking into Nepalese food on a Friday night though.

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

Jamie Oliver but only as long as he cooked lots of yummy food.

At school, what subjects did you enjoy?

Dance and History.

Where are you from?

Greenwich. I really loved Greenwich as a child and that's why I am now bringing my own children up here.

What do you dislike most?

Lateness! I am always either early or on time and can't stand it when people are late.

SOMETHING FOR THE WEEKEND

Phil Veacock's band 'The Deptford Riveras' will be playing at The White Swan pub in Charlton Village at 9pm on Saturday 3rd October. Free admission and a top night out!

It's the final few days of Deptford X this weekend, a contemporary arts festival with a bit of local bite, now in its 18th year. If you find yourself on the other side of the Heath on Saturday or Sunday, take a wander up Deptford High Street and surrounding areas to encounter scores of great installations and exhibitions. Alternatively you could just get on your bike. Greenwich and Bexley Community Hospice have their annual fundraiser, the Big Bike Ride, on Sunday. Two routes of either 27 or 12 miles, (apparently for ages 5 upwards), Special Family Entrance Fees, plus good weather, leave little reason not to dust off the old lycra and get pedaling. Departure points at the Cutty Sark or Woolwich Arsenal, all in a good cause....

Parental Survey

We are looking at the options of online payments and would welcome your view. Please visit the parent views section on the school website under the parent's tab.

WK	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
05/10	Homemade Tomato and Fresh Basil Pizza Curried Vegetable Pasty Spicy Jacket Wedges Jacket Potato with Cheese Baked Beans Sweetcorn & Peas Rice Pudding * Jam	Organic Minced Beef Cottage Pie Macaroni Cheese Spicy Mexican Bean Wrap Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayonnaise Seasonal Roasted Root Vegetables Wholemeal Banana Sponge with Custard	Honey Roasted Gammon or Roast Chicken with Gravy Quorn Roast with Vegetarian Gravy Baby New Potatoes Jacket Potato with Cheese & Rainbow Coleslaw Fresh Sliced Carrots Broccoli Victoria Sponge	Chicken Tikka Masala Sweet Potato & Lentil Curry Rice Jacket Potato with Cheese & Red Onion Cauliflower Florets Homemade Raita Homemade Shortbread Biscuit with Ice Cream	Harry Ramsden's MSC Fish Portion with Lemon Slices Vegetable Tagine with Cous Cous Chips Jacket Potato with Baked Beans Garden Peas Pear & Chocolate Sponge with Chocolate Sauce

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