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July 2017 Newsletter

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Children return to school on
Tuesday 5th September 2017
Have a very happy Summer Holiday!

A message from

Mrs Jones

It seems unbelievable to be writing the final newsletter of the academic year. Shamblehurst Primary School is a very special place and it quickly gets lodged in your heart.

There have been many tears shed today, as we wish all our leavers good luck on the next stage of their journey. We are very proud of our Year 6 children and their achievements, not only this year, but throughout their time at Shamblehurst. Their performance of Shakespeare Rocks at The Berry Theatre was just breath-taking and oozed fun and confidence. They had a great send off at their Posh Disco last night which I think has added to the tears today! We have also said goodbye to some valued staff members and we wish them lots of luck in their new adventures and hope they keep in touch.

July has been a very busy month. Year 6 had their residential in the Isle of Wight. This was a great educational visit which the children really enjoyed. Eight children from Year 5 have taken part in the Beehive Project along with children from local cluster schools. This culminated in a fantastic performance celebrating the arts at The Berry Theatre last night. The children performed brilliantly and it was a pleasure to watch.

Both Sports Days were a real success and we were super proud of our Year 6 Sports Leaders who supported the Key Stage One event alongside Mr Richards. The winning team was Adams!

The building work has started for our two modular classrooms. These will be used as additional break out spaces for Outdoor Learning, music tuition and Hedgehogs. This enables us to use the hall for additional after school activities – including Rock Challenge – watch this space!

Lastly, may I wish you all a peaceful and relaxing summer holiday!

Mrs Jones



Rewards



Learner of the Week Friday 30th June 2017

- Jaiden Hammond in Caterpillar Class who has flexed his 'listening' muscle.
- Poppy Wareham in Dragonfly Class who has flexed her 'listening' muscle.
- Ella Williams in Giraffe Class who has flexed her 'perseverance' muscle.
- Lee Locke in Lion Class who has flexed his 'collaboration' muscle.
- Savannah Hinchliff in Zebra Class who has flexed her 'listening' and 'independence' muscle.
- Eve Carter in Dolphin Class who flexed her 'perseverance' muscle.
- Elise Holland in Seahorse Class who has flexed her 'empathy' muscle.
- Paul Winney in Turtle Class who has flexed his 'imagination' muscle.
- Ava Carter in 3HR who has flexed her 'imagination' muscle.
- Chloe Tomlin in 3KE who has flexed her 'reasoning' muscle.
- David Abraham in 4LM who has flexed his 'absorption' muscle.
- Yassmina Ayache in 5JH who has flexed her 'perseverance' muscle.
- Louisa Davey in 6JB who has flexed her 'absorption' muscle.
- Lily Oakley and Jerin Chandy in 6KS who have flexed their 'absorption' muscles.

Learner of the Week Friday 7th July 2017

- Ben Musiya in Caterpillar Class who has flexed his 'listening' muscle.
- Rebecca Cole in Dragonfly Class who has flexed her 'collaboration' muscle.
- Alfie Smith in Giraffe Class who has flexed his 'perseverance' muscle.
- Lilly Clayton in Lion Class who has flexed her 'independence' muscle.
- Callum Wood in Zebra Class who has flexed his 'independence' muscle.
- Jasmine Pearce in Dolphin Class who flexed her 'perseverance' muscle.
- Morgan-Rose Page in Seahorse Class who has flexed her 'collaboration' muscle.
- Kezia Swain in Turtle Class who has flexed her 'empathy' muscle.
- Harry Betts in 3HR who has flexed his 'reasoning' muscle.
- Eric Dodden in 3KE who has flexed his 'collaboration' muscle.
- 4LM who has flexed all their muscles.
- Abigail Arnell in 4RP who has flexed her 'absorption' muscle.
- Edward Addis in 5JH who has flexed his 'revision' muscle.
- Luke Evans in 5LC who has flexed his 'absorption' muscle.

Learner of the Week
Friday 14th July 2017

- Zara Acteson in Caterpillar Class who has flexed her 'independence' muscle.
- Thomas Barnes in Dragonfly Class who has flexed his 'collaboration' muscle.
- Reuben Fletcher in Giraffe Class who has flexed his 'perseverance' muscle.
- Ava Lovelock in Lion Class who has flexed her 'empathy' muscle.
- Imogen Bridgewater in Dolphin Class who flexed her 'perseverance' muscle.
- Alex Kinloch in Seahorse Class who has flexed his 'absorption' muscle.
- George Chubb in Turtle Class who has flexed his 'perseverance' muscle.
- Lucas Pearson in 3HR who has flexed his 'perseverance' muscle.
- Owen Pepper in 4LM who has flexed his 'absorption' muscle.
- Ralfs Makars in 4RP who has flexed his 'capitalising' muscle.
- James Montague in 5JH who has flexed his 'perseverance' muscle.
- Jake Burgess in 5LC who has flexed his 'absorption' muscle.
- Liam Andrews in 6JB who has flexed his 'noticing' muscle.
- Izzy Hewlins in 6KS who has flexed her 'revising' muscles.

Learner of the Week
Friday 21st July 2017

- Zoe Zhou in Caterpillar Class who has flexed her 'independence' muscle.
- Georgia-Ann Fry in Dragonfly Class who has flexed her 'independence' muscle.
- Tawhid Qayumi in Giraffe Class who has flexed his 'independence' muscle.
- Lucia Petrova in Lion Class who has flexed her 'imagination' muscle.
- Finnley Connis in Zebra Class who has flexed his 'perseverance' muscle.
- Harri Mills in Dolphin Class who flexed her 'perseverance' muscle.
- Daisy Burden-Veal, Mia Acteson, Maisie Webb and Megan Reed in Seahorse Class who has flexed their 'independence' muscles.
- Turtle Class who has flexed their 'imagination' and 'listening' muscles.
- Pablo O'Neill in 3KE who has flexed his 'perseverance' muscle.
- Ralfs Makars in 4RP who has flexed his 'perseverance' muscle.
- Keira Kelly in 5JH who has flexed her 'empathy' muscle.
- Lily Burden-Veal in 5LC who has flexed her 'independence' muscle.
- Max Powell and Ben Conlon in 6KS who have flexed their 'collaboration' muscles.



Rewards



Attendance

Key Stage 1 Attendance Winners
Week ending: Friday 30th June 2017

Seahorse Class: 100%

Key Stage 2 Attendance Winners
Week ending: Friday 30th June 2017

3HR: 99.3%

Key Stage 1 Attendance Winners
Week ending: Friday 7th July 2017

Seahorse Class: 99.3%

Key Stage 2 Attendance Winners
Week ending: Friday 7th July 2017

5JH: 98%

Key Stage 1 Attendance Winners
Week ending: Friday 14th July 2017

Giraffe Class: 99.2%

Key Stage 2 Attendance Winners
Week ending: Friday 14th July 2017

3ER: 98.7%

Key Stage 1 Attendance Winners
Week ending: Friday 21st July 2017

Dragonfly Class: 99%

Key Stage 2 Attendance Winners
Week ending: Friday 21st July 2017

5LC: 100%



Year 1 – Get Bubbly In Science!

Our final piece of work in English this year was based on a short animation called "Bubbles." The children were encouraged to imagine where a magic bubble might take them to and the written results were wonderful. We also used this as a focus for art, allowing the children to create beautiful images of their magical place, but the most fun was definitely the science! On a super, sunny Monday afternoon, we set the children the challenge of creating the biggest bubble they could! They were provided with a variety of equipment, including pipe cleaners, bowls, plates, water and a variety of different quality washing-up liquid, but had to complete the experiment independently. And so the fun began!...

The children loved trying out different ways of making a bubble wand using the pipe cleaners and making different mixtures of washing up liquid and water, all with the aim of making the biggest bubbles possible. After lots of excitement - including an unexpected break in the middle for a fire drill! - it seemed to be the case that the red Fairy liquid made the best bubbles - although other brands are available!

Mrs Symes, Mrs Engler and Miss Cook





Year 2 - Turtle Class

Turtle Class have been getting busy (and messy!) learning how to prepare food. In groups, the children had to make a fruit salad and a sandwich, weighing ingredients and writing the recipe. The children were extremely creative and definitely ready for 'Ready, Steady, cook!'

Miss Armstrong



Buddies!

A huge well done to the new Buddies from Year 4 – prepared to accept the role as a Buddy in Year 5. Mrs Millard looks forward to working with you for a successful, safe and happy environment at lunchtime.

Massive thank you for all of the Year 5 Buddies of this year! You have been a credit to the school. Thank you for your commitment and hard work.

Mrs Millard

KS2 – Author Visit

Last Thursday, former Deputy Head of Shamblehurst and now published Author, Janet K Davis, talked to KS2 about her first book, 'Gracie Blessing's Quest for Treasure', which is one of a trilogy.

The children were intrigued by the props she used to engage their interest in the story. It was a motivating experience that inspired both reading and writing. Signed copies of her book, with free Activity Pack and Drawing Competition entry forms are still available.

Please see Mrs Wilson at the admin office for details.



Junior Road Safety Team – JRSO's

Well done to our new JRSO recruits from Year 4 – going into Year 5, to work alongside Ben and Micha.

Eva Lakey and Austin Currie created great applications; we look forward to working with them in September.



Shakespeare Rocks!

The Year 6 production, 'Shakespeare Rocks' was a phenomenal success! The children showcased their talents and hard work and thoroughly enjoyed performing at the Berry Theatre. Everyone had their parts to play, whether it was acting, singing, dancing, backstage crew and music - we are so proud of all of our children and the commitment and effort they put in in order to make the show a hit.

Well done Year 6!

Year 6 Team



Year 6 – PGL Little Canada Residential Trip

Year 6 had a fantastic time at Little Canada, a PGL activity centre on the Isle of Wight. We were so lucky to have such wonderful weather for the entirety of the weekend. The sunny adventure started before we even arrived-the ferry trip was a highlight for many!

On our way to the centre, we visited Osborne House, once Queen Victoria's residence on the island. We went back in history and enjoyed seeing how the other half lived!

When we arrived at PGL, we were met by Ru, who looked after us for the whole weekend. He was brilliant, kept us entertained and informed at all times!

Activities on the island included dragon boating (the adults didn't get competitive at all...) Aeroball, trapeze, climbing, tunnelling and zip wiring. We all came back truly exhausted after an amazing weekend having made many memories to take away to secondary school!

Miss Schofield



Family Support Worker Update

We will be running the 10-week Nurturing Programme for Parents next term at Shamblehurst Primary School

Please come along to a **TASTER SESSION** on **FRIDAY 22nd SEPTEMBER at 9:30am** then the 10 week course will begin on **FRIDAY 29th SEPTEMBER at 9.30am – 11.30am.**

To find out more about it contact
Sarah Curry on 01489 782342(Shamblehurst School),
Trudi Makengo 02380 498176 (Childrens Services)

We look forward to seeing you.

Sarah Curry

"I recommend this course to anyone who is struggling at home with their families. It doesn't mean that you are a bad parent; it just means that you may need support in some aspects. This course can help you to understand your children and yourself more and is well worth the time and effort." Jan

"This course was an incredible source of support and information. It has made a huge difference to our family." Helen

Family

Links

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"I was apprehensive about coming to the course at first. There was no need to be. Everyone is really friendly and welcoming. Sarah and Trudi are fantastic and I have learnt some very valuable strategies to put into practise at home. After a bad week at home, coming into the course on a morning has lifted my spirits and sent me home in a totally different frame of mind. I highly recommend this course to everyone." Emma

Help Us To Help You

We've had a huge amount of lost property recently. Please ensure that all of your child's clothing is clearly named.



We strive to respond to emails within 5 working days. Please bear this in mind if you are awaiting a response.

To ease congestion, in the mornings and afternoons in the office reception, please use the post box for forms and dinner money.

The post box is emptied every morning.



SMS

Communication

The majority of our communication is via email and text so please keep us updated with your contact information.

Friday 20 October - SCHOOL CLOSED: INSET

Monday 23 – Friday 27 October - HALF TERM

Monday 30 October - SCHOOL CLOSED: INSET

**Important
DATE!**

Staff News

Goodbye and Good Luck!

We are sadly saying goodbye to members of staff this academic year.

We wish you all the very best!

Mrs Symes – Class Teacher
Mrs Constantine – Class Teacher
Miss Anderson – Class Teacher
Mrs Smedley – LSA
Mrs Flanders – LSA 1:1
Mr Dear – IT Technician
Mrs Curtis – LSA 1:1



Welcome!

We are welcoming lots of new staff to Shamblehurst!

Mr Marshall – Site Manager
Miss Colborne – Class Teacher
Miss Borthwick – Class Teacher



Donations

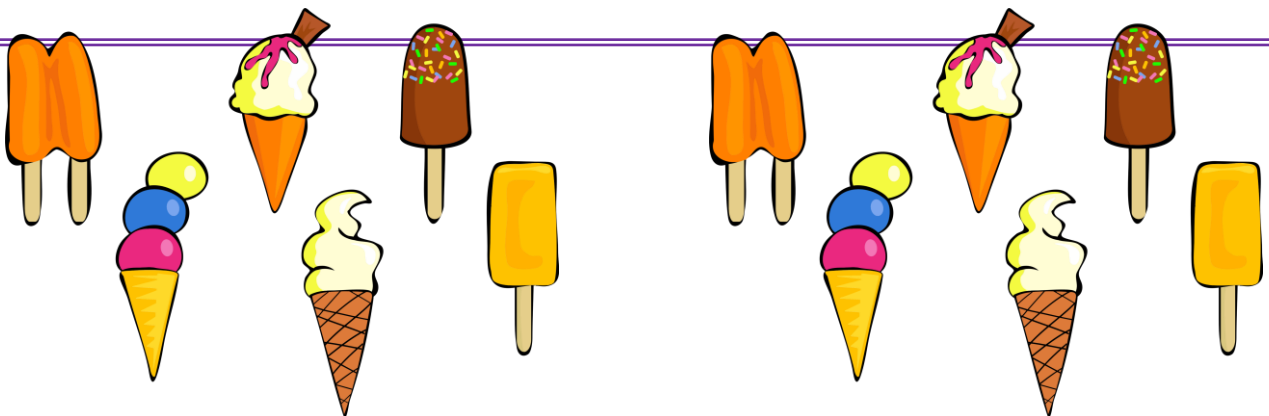
If you have any of the following, that you do no longer want, we would be very grateful to have them!

- Magazines and comics
- Animal, dinosaur, people figures
- Wooden train track and trains
 - Lego and Lego boards
- Any big pieces of material/duvet covers - to make dens with!
 - Dressing up clothes
 - Baby dolls clothes
- Any red items, eg: beads, ribbons, material



Ice Lolly Sale

Mrs Hillman says thank you to everyone for supporting the Year R lolly sale over the past 6 weeks. We have managed to buy some dinosaurs, pirates, knights, a CD player, some super hero capes and still have a bit left for other resources. We will return!!





Hedgehogs breakfast and after school club would like to take this opportunity to say THANK YOU to parents for their invaluable support and we wish all the families of Shamblehust a great summer holiday; full of fun, sunshine and hope you will even manage to get some rest!

Mrs Wilson and the Hedgehogs Team





WINCHESTER SCIENCE FESTIVAL

Friday 28 - Sunday 31 JULY

A weekend science adventure at Winchester Discovery Centre

Friday is the big family fun day, especially designed to inspire young minds to explore science, technology and the wonders of nature. The brilliant line-up kicks off with Winchester Science Centre and Planetarium's very own Head of Education, Dr Ben Littlefield, as he reveals the secret world of gases.


Hands-on experiments ...

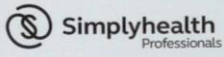

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SUMMER HOLIDAY COURSES

DATES: WEEK 1 - 31/7, 1/8, 2/8, 3/8, 4/8
WEEK 2 - 7/8, 8/8, 9/8, 10/8, 11/8
WEEK 3 - 14/8, 15/8, 16/8, 17/8, 18/8
WEEK 4 - 21/8, 22/8, 23/8, 24/8, 25/8

TIME: 9AM - 3PM EACH DAY **FOR:** 5 - 12 YEARS OLD / BOYS & GIRLS

VENUE: WYNTER ROAD PLAYING FIELDS, WYNTER ROAD, BITTERNE, SO18 6NX

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