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Newsletter

**Don't forget our School Library is open on a
Monday and a Wednesday after school until 4pm!**

**Monday 24th - Friday 28th October 2022
Half - Term**

**Tuesday 1st November 2022
Year 1 - Southampton Art Gallery Trip**

**Monday 21st – Friday 25th November 2022
Year 6 - Calshot Residential Trip**

A Message From Mrs Jones

I think it is fair to say Autumn is upon us and summer seems a distant memory. We have lots to look forward to in school and have already achieved such a great deal!

Just this week Year 3 have visited Butser Iron Age Farm and Year 5 and Year 6 have both had very different VR experiences, one focussed on Space and one on World War One. We hope to keep providing the children with really worthwhile trips and visitors to enhance their learning, really bringing it alive!

Many thanks to parents who attended the phonics workshop this month - I really hope you found this informative and it was lovely to see so many of our new families attend.

Clubs have started again this week - just a reminder, our Library is open on a Monday and Wednesday until 4pm should you want to come and choose some books with your children, or just have some time to read.

We have also started a community book swap - so if you have any preloved books that you want to donate, we would be really grateful. It was brilliant to see so many parents volunteer to hear readers - this is something that we have missed since Covid and really does support reading within school. If anyone else wants to volunteer, please email in and we will get straight back to you. All volunteers will be DBS checked and have a brief Health and Safety and Safeguarding training before starting. Mrs Richards will also explain how we teach reading and how best to support children.

Thank you FOSSA, for a fabulous Bounce back to School Day. I know they are now busy organising our Firework event on the 5th November. I think last year's is going to be hard to beat, but I have heard there are some new fireworks being incorporated in to the display this year! It will be an amazing night and I look forward to seeing many of you there in November.

Very best wishes,

Mrs Jones





Rewards



Celebration Certificate - Friday 9th September 2022

Sam – Lemur Class
Sophia – Lion Class
Ruby – Giraffe Class
Adelaide – Seahorse Class
Cullen – Caterpillar Class
Paddy – Gecko Class
Tegan – Otter Class
Daniel – Panther Class
Buddy – Bushbaby Class
Georgia – Wolf Class
Outdoor Learner - Adaora – Bushbaby

Celebration Certificate - Friday 16th September 2022

Olivia – Lemur Class
Harry - Toucan Class
Alfie – Lion Class
Hayden – Seahorse Class
Clarke – Caterpillar Class
Archie – Gecko Class
Talia – Koala Class
Austin - Tiger Class
Michael – Panther Class
James – Bushbaby Class
Ben – Wolf Class
Outdoor Learner – Billy – Koala Class

Celebration Certificate - Friday 23rd September 2022

Myra – Lemur Class
Kody – Lion Class
Kiera – Caterpillar Class
Eli – Gecko Class
Vanessa – Koala Class
Zachary - Tiger Class
Jasmine – Panther Class
Luke – Otter Class
Outdoor Learner – Joe – Koala Class

**Amber, Jesse and Joe for being
amazing Ambassadors for
Shamblehurst while appearing on
Meridian**

Please ensure that children
bring a water bottle to school
with them each day - please
ensure that this is named.





Healthy Lunchboxes

Shamblehurst promotes healthy eating. A balanced, healthy, nutritious diet is important for the development of a child's physical state, as well as for their intellectual abilities.

Please note the following recommended guidelines set out by the British Nutrition Foundation.

A child's lunch should include only the following:

- A portion of starchy food, eg. wholegrain bap/bread, pitta bread, plain, crackers, pasta or rice salad
- Fresh fruit and vegetables, eg. apple/orange/banana, cherry tomatoes, carrot sticks, mini fruit chunks, etc
- A portion of milk or dairy food, eg. cheese, plain/fruit yoghurt, etc
- Small portion of lean meat, fish or alternative, eg. two slices of ham, chicken, beef Quorn, cheese, tuna, egg or hummus, etc
- A drink - fruit juice (not fizzy), water (not flavoured), milk (not flavoured)

Food Bank Donations

We are collecting donations in school for the local food banks, eg. tinned soup, tinned custard, rice pudding, tinned fruit, tinned sweetcorn, tinned tomatoes and tinned meat and jam. In addition, washing up liquid, deodorant, toothpaste, toilet rolls, soap, rice, shampoo, crisps.

Please bring any donations to the school office.

We would like to say a big well done to all of the
Year R children and for settling in really well.

Year R Team



Buddies



Buddies are well underway in Year 6 after being enrolled and application forms being filled in last term.

They are on a rota throughout the week implementing safe and happy play during break and lunchtimes in the playground along with assisting healthy eating and encouraging good choices with behaviour.

Buddy Bosses are also underway, supporting and encouraging their team.

Good luck Buddies you're working incredibly well so far, looking forward to our coming year.

Mrs Millard

SHOLA

Our SHOLA groups (Shamblehurst Outdoor Learning Award) have begun for the new term and it has been great to welcome back lots of smiling faces to the sessions. The Autumn weather has so far been kind and this has allowed us to be based on the field where we have lots of space for group games and activities.

Children have been reminded of the values for our session; Ready, Safe and Respect and are working really hard to ensure they are at the heart of everything we do.

This past week we have been making the most of some Elder that I brought in and safely using tools children have created amazing snakes, necklaces, bracelets and stick people. It's been great to see their creations take shape over the course of the session, happily working alongside each other and chatting about their ideas.

Our plan is to stay outside as we go through Autumn and head into Winter so please ensure children are bringing in appropriate clothing and footwear for each session.

Well done to all SHOLA children and I am looking forward to our sessions as we head into October.

Mr Richards



Individual Photographs and in school sibling photos will be taken on Tuesday 8th November 2022.

We will update you nearer the time with further information.

The lost property box is building up again in the office! Can we please ask that you clearly name all of your child's clothing, to ensure that we can return safely to you.

It is with great sadness to inform you that Mrs Hanslip is leaving our school on 6th October.

Mrs Hanslip has been a great asset to our school and has worked at Shamblehurst for a number of years, supporting in Year R.

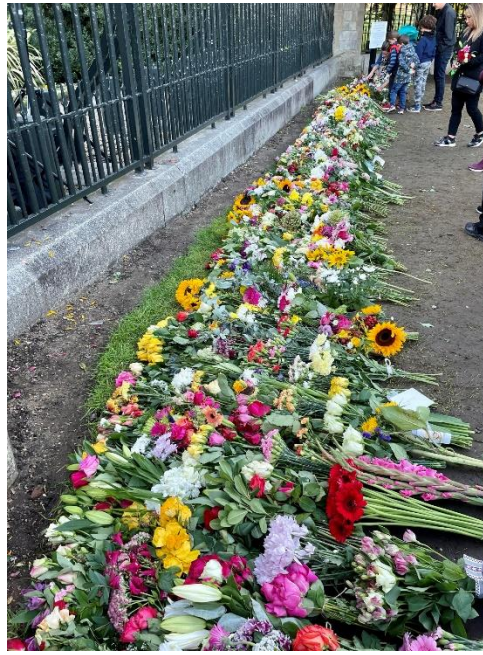
We wish Mrs Hanslip all the best!



A member of our school community joined the crowds to visit Green Park to tie our Queen Elizabeth II school ribbons on a tree with all of the tributes.



Ada in Lion Class travelled to Windsor Castle to lay some flowers in respect for the Queen



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Open Evening

Wednesday 28th September 2022

5.30pm – 7.30pm

Presentation by the Headteacher at
5.45pm, 6.20pm and 7pm.

Tours will be available from 5.30pm
Please head to the school hall on arrival.

Open Mornings

Friday 30th September 2022

9.45 – 10.45am

Wednesday 5th October 2022

9.45 – 10.45am

COME AND SEE OUR STUDENTS AND STAFF AT WORK

Parking: Park and Stride available at B&Q, Hedge End
and The Pavilion, Turnpike Way, Hedge End.

For further information please contact
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Year 6 Applications

Applying for a secondary school
(Year 7) place:

Please be advised, Year 7 -
Secondary School (September
2023 start) applications will close
on Monday 31st October 2022.

Guidance and applications can be
made online via Hampshire
County Council

- <https://www.hants.gov.uk/educationandlearning/admissions/applicationprocess/year7>

If you do not live in Hampshire
(including Portsmouth and
Southampton) you must apply
through your home local
authority.

Spirit of the Wild

To begin the new school year, we had an awe-inspiring visit from Spirit of the Wild. A golden eagle, Caique parrot (pronounced cake!), millipede, bull frog, skunk and meerkat, amongst others, thoroughly entertained the children (and adults!) in the school hall! We learnt all about the animals' habitats, adaptations and classification during the insightful talk delivered by Ben.

As well as learning about the animals, the children had the chance to hold and stroke them; what a fantastic experience! Gecko class also got to meet their namesake!

My favourite part, (and the bit that, for a moment, gave me minor heart palpitations!), was when Ben brought out the highly venomous Coral snake, handing it to two pupils to hold. Happily, it was all a trick, and in fact the snake was a harmless Milk snake - we learned that the two look very similar!

The visit set us up perfectly to begin our enquiry, 'Undiscovered World: What are we missing?'
Miss Schofield and the Year 4 team



Our school calendar on our school website is regularly updated - please ensure this is checked if you are unsure