

Newsletter week 12.9.16

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Parent: Mrs A Charlton, Mrs L. Naylor, Mr T Watson

Staff: Mrs J Henry, Mrs A M Boyd

You may contact any governor via the school.

Complaints in the first instance are to be communicated to Mrs Boyd.

STOR PRESS:

**New safeguarding arrangements:
School gates will open just before bell goes at 3.15 pm collection time allowing parents sufficient time to get to class doors. Please stand well away from the class windows and door and do not allow younger siblings to distract the pupils in class as the teacher is trying to dismiss pupils.**

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Shotton Hall Primary School
Working together to
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Behaviour, Attendance and Safeguarding

Officer : Mr K. Morgan

SENCO/pastoral : Mrs J. Bowmaker

date	day	Class/year	event	information
5/10/	Wed	All Pupils	Parent Consultation	To be held in main hall—ring for appointment
14/9	Wed	Year 1 for 4 weeks	Drama lessons	In school event— send PE kit
19/9	Mon	Identified pupils	Sunderland foundation	Adult learning
20/9	Tues	Reception pupils parents	Reception parents meeting	9 am and 2.30 pm for parent of reception pupils
22/9	Thurs	Selected Y6 pupils	Partnership book writing project	Pupils will go to a local school to work with others on writing a book with author David Waugh
23/9	Fri	all	Start of year report out	A short report to let you know how your child has settled in their new class
26/9	Mon	All	EUROPEAN DAY OF LANGUAGES	Come dressed up in European country flag colours or a country outfit for a fun day of European activities.
27/9	Tues	All Pupils except Mr Harrison and Mr Scorer classes	PARENT CONSULTATION	To be held in main hall—ring for appointment Mr Harrison and Mr Scorer will communicate a new date for their classes as they are unavailable on this date due to training.
28/9	Wed	Reception pupils	School nurse handwashing	In school event
5/10	Wed	All Pupils	Parent Consultation	To be held in main hall—ring for appointment
5&10/10	Wed	Year 6	Nissan event	For identified pupils to work on project
13/10	Thur	Class 5 and 6	Harvest festival celebration	For parents—letter from class nearer event
18/10 19/10	Tues	Rainbow Sunshine	Educational visit to Lickety Splits	To learn all about ice cream making!
18/10	Tues	Year 5 selected pupils	Vsit to SHAC Theatre Hulabaloo	Selected pupils to see performance and engage in workshop in school time
20/10	Thur	Class 5 and 6	Educational visit to Bowes Museum ‘ pre-historic Britain’	See class letter
20/10	Thur	Class 2	Class assembly for parents	See class letter
21/10	Fri	All pupils	Clarke Lister Appeal	Smartie tubes will be sent home for pupils to eat sweets and refill with 20p pieces to fund raise for the Clarke Lister Appeal
21/10	Fri	All pupils	Last day of school before half term	School reopens on Monday 31st October

All events are subject to change to respond to the changing business needs of the school and outside providers where necessary. We will keep you informed of changes via text , phone call or letter. You will be informed of additional events which may happen at short notice by letter or text. Please keep a watchful eye out for letters in your child's school bag.

ACHIEVE AND BELIEVE AWARDS are given on Friday morning assembly by Mrs Boyd. If you would like to visit and assembly please contact Mrs Boyd. We do not have room for a lot of parents but you are most welcome if we can squeeze you in!

Week 9.9.16

RESOURCEFUL AWARD: Sam B Cl 10, Lily P Cl 2

RESILIENT AWARD: Keira L Cl 10, Lewis P Cl 2, Lexi B Cl 1, Joel J Cl 1

REFLECTIVE AWARD: Alfie W Cl 3, Ella Mae L Cl 8, Justn C Cl 9, Leon P Cl 9, Ella H Cl 10, Evie M Cl 7

RESPECTFUL AWARD: Kaidon M Cl 8, James J Cl 10, Maizi I Cl 1, Kara O Cl 7

RECIPROCAL AWARD: Abigail M Cl 3, Casey Louise C Cl 3, Ellie R Cl 9, Maddison D Cl 10

This week :

GOLD STAR AWARDS: These pupils have earned 5 awards and therefore gained a gold star SHPS 'good ambassador' badge to wear on their uniform with pride. These badges cannot be replaced and are very valuable to us. Some of our pupils now have more than one badge – very well done indeed! Tyler S Cl 3, Laila BY Cl 1, Arryn M Cl 1, Georgia P Cl 7, Lewis S Cl 8, Owen F Cl 8, Ryan RR Cl 10.

RESOURCEFUL AWARD: Jaiden A Cl 3, Joshua D Cl 5, Tyler R Cl 9, Grace G Cl 10, Honour S Cl 2

RESILIENT AWARD: Lucas J Cl 1, Ella F Cl 4, Sam H Cl 5, Emily S Cl 6, Tommy P Cl 10, Ethan S Cl 2, Charlie H Cl 7

REFLECTIVE AWARD: Hollie B Cl 1, Nathanael B Cl 4, Archie B Cl 5, Tom R Cl 8, Ruby S Cl 10, Jayden L Cl 7

RESPECTFUL AWARD: Charlie O Cl 1, Rhianna R Cl 4, Jemima C Cl 5, Rihanna E Cl 9, Kaitlin P Cl 10, Eve B Cl 2

RECIPROCAL AWARD: Harley B Cl 3, Lily Mae L Cl 3, Stevie Louise S Cl 5, Tyler P Cl 6, Charlotte H Cl 8, Tamsin C Cl 9, Olivia B Cl 10

PEN LICENCE: Keep working hard on your joined writing to gain your licence.

HANDWRITING AWARD : Keep thinking hard about the appearance of your books—a neat book is something to be very proud of.

MONDAY 26 SEPTEMBER FUN DAY EUROPEAN DAY OF LANGUAGES: European day of languages is for all classes is on Monday 26th September. Please send your child dressed up in a European flag colour or a European country outfit– it's up to you! In school they will learn about European countries and their traditions and customs.

MESSAGES TO PUPILS IN SCHOOL TIME: We are very happy to take an urgent message to a pupil in class but we are increasingly being asked to take messages of reminders. As we have 400 pupils in the school now this is not manageable for the office staff. Please make sure your child knows where they are going at the end of the day, perhaps write a little note to go in their lunch box or pocket to help them. Many thanks for your understanding in this matter.

AFTER SCHOOL CLUB: Just a reminder that we require bookings for after school club **a week ahead of time**. We only accept daily bookings if an emergency and these must go to the headteacher to make the decision. We need to know numbers to ensure the right number of staff are running the club. We may refuse bookings on the day and will refuse bookings where payment has not been made.

GATES: In the interests of safeguarding all pupils the school gates will now open just before the bell goes at collection time. This means that visitors are not on site any longer than needed and the site remains secure for as long as possible. The bell goes at 3.15 pm.

COLLECTION OF PUPILS: Please ensure your child knows who is collecting them every day and their instruction to wait with the teacher if you are not there on time. Teachers dismiss 30 pupils from their classes and we rely on pupils to remain with the teacher until their collection.

SAVE YOUR 20P PIECES! : At the end of this half term we will be sending home a Smartie tube of sweets for your child to eat. We would be very grateful if you could refill and return after half term with this tube full of 20p pieces if you can. All proceeds will go to the CLARKE LISTER Appeal. Clarke was a pupil of our school and we want to support this very worthwhile cause. For further information on this go to www.brainhaemorrhagefoundation.org.uk/about.html

