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You may contact any governor via the school. **Complaints in the first instance are to be communicated to Mrs Boyd.**

## 9.6.17 NEWS

### Summer term 3 B

**SAFETY OF PEDESTRIANS: PLEASE DO NOT RIDE BIKES OR SCOOTERS ON SITE!!**

#### ATTENDANCE TARGET 97%

We are all working really hard to keep our whole school attendance up to 97%.

Upper school 98.33% class 8 WELL DONE!

Lower school 97.41% class 2 WELL DONE!

Low numbers in lower classes this week

Overall 95.23% which is lower than we would like

### Shotton Hall Primary School

Working together to

**SHINE**

**Successful, Happy, Inspired and Nurtured towards Excellence**

Headteacher: Mrs A.M. Boyd

Deputy Headteachers: Mrs L. Francis,

Mrs J Bowmaker

Assistant Headteachers: Mrs S. Sands, Ms

E. Metcalfe

Behaviour, Attendance and Safeguarding

Officer : Mr K. Morgan

SENCO/pastoral : Mrs J. Bowmaker

Site Manager: Mrs W. Fickling

School Business Manager: Mrs J. Johnson

## Dates For Your Diary

This diary is given in good faith to enable you to set your own diaries. There may be some changes beyond our control and we will communicate this through text or via the newsletter. There may also be additional events which we will inform you of as they occur. Please make sure we have your up to date phone number.

Date	Day	Class/year	Event	Information
12/13.6.17	Monday/Tuesday	All pupils	Final parent consultation of the year meetings	by appointment
14.6.17	Wednesday	Rainbow	Stay and play day for parents	9-10 am and 2-3 pm
15.6.17	Thursday	sunshine	Assembly	See class newsletter
16.6.17	Friday	Parents and friends of pupils in all classes	Governors coffee afternoon fund raising event	2 pm in the main hall
19.6.17	Monday	Years 1-6	'Where are you Johnny James?' theatre group	Cyber and internet safety
21.6.17	Wednesday	identified pupils from Y5	Barney and Echo internet safety event	Contact with parents will be made
21.6.17	Wednesday	Pre school	Hardwick park visit	See class letter
21.6.17	Wednesday	sunshine	Stay and play day for parents	9-10 am and 2-3 pm
22.6.17	Thursday	rainbow	Assembly	See newsletter
22.6.17	Thursday	Pre school	Hardwick park visit	See class letter
28.6.17	Wednesday	Y6	Visit to the Academy	See class letter
28.6.17	Wednesday	Class 7 and 8	Nurse visit for talk	In school event
29.6.17	Thursday	Class 7 and 8	Assembly	See letter
30.6.17	Friday	All pupils	Moving up day	Visits to new classes Team building day for pupils going to Academy
3.7.17	Monday	Classes 5,6,7,8,9,10	Day of Sport	Parents visit at 1.30 pm, <u>pupils not allowed home until 3.15 pm</u>
4.7.17	Tuesday	Invited pupils	Cultural heritage day	SH Academy
4.7.17	Tuesday	All pupils	Olympic Judo visitor	Wear a sports kit, bring £1

4.7.17	Tuesday	Y6	SATS results published	Information sent to parents of Y6 with report
5.7.17	Wednesday	Class 7 and 8	Partnership festival day	In school event
5.7.17	Wednesday	Pre school	Stay and play day	See letter
5.7.17	Wednesday	Classes 1,2,3,4	Good ambassador disco	£1.50 for hot dog bun, drink and sweets
6.7.17	Thursday	Class 3 and 4	Assembly	See Letter
6.7.17	Thursday	Woodwind and brass players	Concert	2.30 pm in Main hall. Breakfast club doors open 2.25 pm.
6.7.17	Thursday	Pre school	Stay and play day	See Letter
6.7.17	Thursday	Sunshine and rainbow	Summerhill educational visit	See letter
7.7.17	Friday	Classes 1,2,3,4	Day of sport	Parents visit at 1.30 pm, <u>pupils not allowed home until 3.15 pm</u>
7.7.17	Friday	Violin players and class 6	Concert	2.30 pm in Main hall. Breakfast club doors open 2.25 pm.
7.7.17	Friday	All pupils	Final report out- short	Pupils will bring report home
10.7.17	Monday	Classes 5,6,7,8	Good ambassador disco	1.30 start. Bring clothes to change into
10.7.17	Monday	Pre school	sports event on MUGA	10.15-11.15 am
11.7.17	Tuesday	Classes 9 and 10	Good ambassador disco	1.30 start. Bring clothes to change into
11.7.17	Tuesday	Y6 dress rehearsal	Whole school audience	In school event
12.7.17	Wednesday	All pupils	Oom pah brass JAZZ BAND	In school event
12.7.17	Wednesday	Sunshine, Rainbow and pre school	Good ambassador disco	1.30 start. Bring clothes to change into
12.7.17	Wednesday	Y6	parent consultation	By appointment if needed from 3.30 pm
13.7.17	Thursday	Class 9 and 10	End of year production	Class letter
17.7.17	Monday	Year 6	Pooley Bridge residential	Parent meeting has been held with information
19.7.17	Wednesday	Year 5	Pooley Bridge residential	Parent meeting has been held with information
21.7.17	Friday	All pupils	LAST DAY OF SCHOOL	UNIFORM PLEASE

Breakfast club doors will open only 5 minutes before any events held in the main hall to allow visitors into school. This is for safeguarding reasons so please do not queue up too early. After events pupils will not be released early. They will be taken back to class and dismissed from their usual entrances at 3.15 pm. You are welcome to wait in the hall if weather is poor. This ensures all pupils are accounted for in line with safeguarding procedures.

**COFFEE AFTERNOON- MEET THE GOVERNORS!** We are delighted to be holding the first of many coffee afternoons in school. The first one will be at 2 PM on FRIDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> JUNE in the main hall. Please donate raffle prizes if you are able for your child to win 5 team points for their team.

**WE ARE RECRUITING A PE APPRENTICE:** We are working with Sedgefield School Sports Partnership to offer a PE and School Sport Apprenticeship placement in our school. As an apprentice you will work four days a week and go to college for one day a week to complete an apprentice qualification. The apprenticeship will start in September and run for one year and are available to anyone aged 16 years or over. Please call in to see the job specification or pick up an application in school. Closing date 12 noon Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> June 2017.

**END OF YEAR GOOD AMBASSADOR DISCOS:** All discos are at 1.30 pm until 3 pm. Classes 1,2,3,4 Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> July , classes 5,6,7,8 Monday 10<sup>th</sup> July, Classes 9 and 10 11<sup>th</sup> July, Classes Sunshine,

Rainbow and pre school Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> July. Hot dog, drink and sweets for £1.50. send money in envelope. We will not give food to pupils who have not paid in advance as some parents do not wish their child to have food.

**SAFETY! NUT FREE SCHOOL:** Due to the rise in pupils with nut allergies we ask that you do not send pupils in with nut based foods of any sort. This is for the safety of all pupils. Thank you for your understanding in this matter and apologies for any inconvenience.

**OLYMPIC WINNER VISIT THE SCHOOL!** On July 4<sup>th</sup> we have a visit to school from Kimberly Renicks, a gold medal winning judo athlete. Kimberly works with a company called 'Sports For Champions' who help support athletes, helping with fundraising and training costs. We ask if children could bring £1 each for the day as a sponsorship for the fitness session and activities they will take part in.

**SPORTS DAY:** This year we are having a 'Day of Sport' for pupils where they will take part in non-competitive sport in the morning in school and then a traditional sports day in the afternoon which parents are invited to. (parents are not invited to the morning session) This is part of our work to develop healthy lifestyles. The dates are Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2017 for pupils in classes 5, 6,7,8,9, and 10 and Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July for pupils in classes Sunshine, Rainbow and 1,2,3 and 4. You will be informed about Pre school sports day by letter.

**HEADLICE:** Sadly this is a problem in all schools - PLEASE check your children's hair regularly and do not wait until we inform you of an outbreak. We are unable to inspect children's hair for safeguarding reasons. For further advice contact us for an appointment with the school nurse who will be happy to advise you. Please make sure long hair is fully tied back.

**AFTER SCHOOL CLUB SAFEGUARDING:** If in doubt we will hold pupils until we check out the arrangements with you. Please do not be offended this is to keep children safe.

**SOCIAL NETWORKING:** Thank you to all parents who are enjoying our new facebook page. We are delighted with the positive comments especially the ones about our wonderful teachers and pupils. A little bit of encouragement really motivates us all! Keep up the good work- we appreciate it!

**PLAYING ON THE FIELD:** We do not allow pupils to climb up the embankment next to the steps- this is steep and there have been a number of accidents.

**ACHIEVE AND BELIEVE AWARDS 9.6.17** Awards are given each Thursday or Friday in assembly by a senior leader. If you would like to visit an assembly please let the office know

**GOLD STARS:** Charlie O C1, Evie H C4, Elisha B C4, Madisyn RW C2, Elliot J C2, Zac W C2, Anthony H C5, Amelia H C5, Jack A C5, Joey H C5, Brooke U C6, Archie T C6, Krysta E C6, Harvey C C8, Charlotte H C8, Isabelle M C7

**RESOURCEFUL AWARD:** Sofia M Rainbow, Aidan L C3, Jennifer B C4, Erin M C6, Ellie Jae W C9

**RECIPROCAL AWARD:** Ethan S C2, Zoe W C2, Lily P C2, Cara G C1, Ethan P C10, Rachel P C9, Riley P C6, Danny D C10, Paige L C7

**REFLECTIVE AWARD:** Meadow D Rainbow, Cruz M Sunshine, Thomas C Sunshine, Ryan D C4, Harry F C10, Katie C C10, Kal M C8

**RESILIENT AWARD:** Zoe W C3, Joey H C5, Kady P C5

**RESPECTFUL AWARD:** Lexi B C1

**PEN LICENCE:** keep working hard on your joined handwriting - it must be joined and clearly readable in all books including topic.

**STAR WRITER AWARD:** Poppy S C3, Elizabeth H C4, Rylan L C1, Freddie R C2, Savannah H C5, Isla L C8

**TIMES TABLES AWARD:** Joshua M C6, Rihanna E C7, Jayden L C7

**MATHS MASTERY AWARDS:** Ilana T C6

**TIDY TED:** Tidy Ted is watching! This week he will be making sure children stay off the grass near the paths and do not climb our trees. Also no climbing on tables outside please!!

**TEAM POINTS:** SAPPHIRES 194 TOPAZ 189 EMERALDS 172 RUBIES 169 WELL DONE SAPPHIRES!

**BIRTHDAYS:** Elliot S Rainbow, Isla Rose M Rainbow, Olivia C C1, Rylan L C1, Eliza D Sunshine, Cole S C2, Tyler S C4, Jada S C6, Lillie W C7, Joshua M C6, Jacob B C6, Lyza R C9, Olivia B C10, Jake C C10 - HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU!

PLEASE LOOK AT OUR WEBSITE FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT OUR SCHOOL AND OUR NEW FACEBOOK PAGE TO SEE WHAT YOUR CHILD IS DOING IN SCHOOL [www.shottonhallprimary.durham.sch.uk](http://www.shottonhallprimary.durham.sch.uk)



Catch up with your child's learning on our Facebook page and please give us your positive comments!!

