



SHERINGTON WEEKLY

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THIS WEEK

The sun has finally graced us with its presence. Long may this remain!

Midweek, Mrs Geden, Mrs Healy and I met with two members of the Local Authority team regarding the possibility of the school being able to provide greater capacity for wraparound provision. They visited the school premises and took a great deal of information with them. As I have said before, this is a complex matter and now needs a formal feasibility study to be carried out. I will continue to keep you informed as we are aware of how important this issue is.

You may have noticed that the Friday certificates are slightly different, with the staff members' words being addressed to the children directly and not the adult(s). We feel this small, subtle change makes the content of the certificate much more personally directed and, having spoken with children, they agree. End of year reports will look slightly different this year and, tying-in with my previous words, general comments from teachers will be in the form of a letter - addressed to each child. As ever, their words will focus on character strengths and their many achievements. More to follow.

Sadly, the weekend is only 2 days long...

Gary Hinchliffe Acting Head of School



On Wednesday night, our school choir sang at the 'Singing Spectacular' in Blackheath Concert Halls with 7 other primary schools from across Greenwich. It was a full-on day of rehearsing and then performing in the evening, and the choir were fantastic. All children sang with passion and enjoyment and represented Sherington brilliantly. One member of choir told their teacher the next day that it was, 'The best thing I have ever done.' It certainly was a memorable evening. Well done to everyone involved and thank you to all who came to watch. Choir can't wait for their next concert.

Attendance

The award for last week's attendance goes to 3A, 3F and 4D with 99.3%

Word of the Day

This week's vocabulary has been: recoil, motive, sense and exact. How can you weave these in to this weekend's conversation?

Also on Wednesday, our girls football team played their last set of matches. They finished the season with a 0-0 draw against Windrush, a 1-0 defeat against Fossdene and a 0-0 draw against Kidbrooke Park. We are very proud of all the girls who took part in the team this year. They showed great teamwork and persistence throughout the season.

In addition, 4E enjoyed a fantastic trip to the Guildhall Art Gallery in London to see one of the largest oil on canvas paintings on Wednesday. The children participated in a workshop in order to bring the painting to life through dance and creativity as well as exploring shape and geometry in the painting.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Monday 13th May

SATs week

Thursday 16th May

Fiesta Fun - Please complete the google form if your child usually has packed lunch and would like a school dinner on Thursday 16th May only. Thank you

<https://forms.gle/Qa1vz3K2GudKgdzk7>

Tuesday 21st May

Class photos

Wednesday 22nd May

Sen Café 9am in the Creation Station

Monday 27th May

Half-term break

Thursday 20th June

World Refugee Day

Friday 21st June

Sports Day

Monday 8th July

Arts Week begins



USEFUL INFORMATION

Governors

We are strongly supportive of the school's ethos, share the enthusiasm and excitement for learning that pupils and staff have and are immensely proud of Sherington's outstanding achievements. We are committed to the Sherington vision of "Aspire Believe Create Achieve" and between us, bring a wide variety of skills and experience to our role.

Governors can be contacted on governors@sherington.greenwich.sch.uk

For more information, click here: [Sherington Governors](#)

Inset days for the next academic year:

Monday 2nd and Tuesday 3rd September 24

Monday 4th November 24

Monday 6th January 25

Tuesday 22nd July 25

Uniform reminder

With the warmer weather, we have noticed some children wearing sportswear and other non uniform items to school. Please be reminded of the uniform by clicking [here](#)

IN THE LOCAL AREA

Greenwich Supports

Get help with the cost of living.

You can find lots of information here about support from the council, local charities and community groups.

<https://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/Greenwich-Supports>



Is your child protected against measles?

Childhood infections can be serious, even life-changing. Check their Red Book or contact your GP surgery to find out & book in any missed doses.

livewellgreenwich.org.uk/child-immunisations/



Mini Marathon

Some Sherington pupils are taking part in a mini marathon in aid of Greenwich and Bexley Hospice this weekend if anyone would like to show their support. Details can be found [here](#)



NHS

YOUNG GREENWICH

PARENT DROP IN

MAY 2024

THIS MONTH'S TOPIC IS SLEEP MANAGEMENT

WOOLWICH COMMON YOUTH HUB
21ST MAY 2024
12PM - 13:00PM
144 NIGHTINGALE PL, SE18 4HE

HAWKSMOOR YOUTH HUB
14TH MAY
9:30-10:30AM
2 ORIOLE WAY,
SE28 8FE

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