# SHERINGTON WEEKLY

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# **THIS WEEK**

#### **Nuts & Sesame**

I am starting the newsletter this week with a serious message: Sherington is a nut free school and **children must not bring any food into school that contains nuts**. There have been a couple of serious breaches of this recently and this puts children in danger. We have a number of children at our school with life threatening nut allergies and so we need parent/carer support to ensure that children are kept safe. We are also seeing an increase in sesame allergies and so in addition, request that products containing **sesame and sesame seeds are not bought into school.** Thank you for your cooperation in advance.

# **Y3 Virtues Assembly**

What a wonderful job Year 3 did this week to showcase the virtue of courage. Their assembly was wonderful and was enjoyed by us all. Thank you to those parents and carers who were able to come along and support!

#### **Staffing News**

Ms Robertson who teaches Ruby class will be leaving the school at Christmas. Unfortunately she is also unwell and signed off work until early December. We wish Ms Robertson a speedy recovery and thank her for her hard work at Sherington. We have begun the recruitment process and will keep parents and carers updated once this has concluded.

#### Community

It is really important that Sherington is viewed positively within the local community, the children represent the school so well and this is often commented upon by local residents and by members of the public. Unfortunately we received a complaint from a member of the public about the way she was spoken to by a parent/carer from our school. Though we cannot identify the person in question, it was clear that they were associated with the school, the parent/carer in question swore and spat at the woman. I know that this is no way typical of the way that parents and carers behave, but on this occasion it appears to have happened and as a result our reputation has been tarnished. If you see any anti social behaviour from other parents/carers, please report this immediately.

#### **Open Days**

We have now hosted the first 2 of 3 Open Mornings for prospective Reception families. They were very well attended and our visitors were so impressed by what they saw in classrooms, by the work that was on display, the choir and of course our amazing Year 6 tour guides! Thank you to everyone but especially to Year 6, for showcasing our wonderful school so brilliantly! I have no doubt that both of our Reception classes will once again be full in September! Have a great weekend one and all. Best wishes Hannah Freeman

#### **FOOTBALL**

The Boys B Team started their season on Friday. The team played fantastically, beating James Wolfe 1-0.

On Thursday, The Boys A Team played two matches, beating Eglington 3-0 and drawing 1-1 with Bannockburn. The girls football team also took part in a tournament finishing 3<sup>rd</sup> in their group, only just missing out on the semi finals with only the top two teams in the group qualifying.

Well done to all our players for their fantastic teamwork, persistence and zest!

# **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

#### Monday 17<sup>th</sup> November

Xmas4Schools artwork deadline - please hand in to the office or to class teachers.

# Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> November

Anti Bullying Week & workshop for families

9am - information session for Parents & Carers about Sherington's approach to Anti-Bullying

# Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> November

Y6 School Journey Assembly - Y5/6 families invited to attend an assembly about the Y6 School Journey presented by Y6 pupils. 9am

# Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> November

Y5 (Y6 26-27) Meeting for Y5 Families about School Journey 6pm

#### Monday 1st December

**Activity clubs** will end this week, with the exception of Chess club (Last session Wednesday 10th), Running club (Last session Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup>) and the clubs cancelled due to Parent Consultations -Thursday Lego, French, Arts and Crafts and Friday Athletics and Boxercise - (Last sessions will be Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> and Friday 12th)

# Thursday 11th December

Christmas Jumper Hats and Lunch Day

#### **Attendance**

The award for last week's attendance goes to Peridot with 99.3% Word of the Day

This week's vocabulary has been: dastardly, lethargic, alienate, audacious and loathe. How will you weave them into conversation this weekend?

Reminder: Please ensure your children do not climb on the climbing frames before and after school. Thank you

#### **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

#### **Pupil Premium**

The Pupil Premium is extra government money which is paid to schools to support children's learning and development.

You may be entitled to the Pupil Premium Grant if you meet the financial criteria. Click on this link below to see if your child is entitled to this additional funding. We can also support you in finding out if your child could receive the extra money. The grant is paid directly to the school and we use the money to provide additional support to eligible children. Children who are eligible for the grant can receive financial support from the school with paying for school trips, clubs and uniform. <a href="https://www.gov.uk/apply-free-school-meals">https://www.gov.uk/apply-free-school-meals</a>

#### **Sherington Xtra**

Collection:

Please contact via text 07907517599 when a different adult is collecting from Sherington Xtra, stating the following details:

Childs name. Adult name & Password

At collection, you will be prompted for the password, so please ensure this has been set up – and a polite reminder that last collection is at 5:55pm. If you are collecting from more than one venue (nursery, hall or Creation Station), please ensure that all children are collected by the stated time.

# 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



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**GREENWICH SEND Sport 4 All Programme** 

**Starting 27th September 2025** 

Gordon Primary School London, **SE9 1QG** 

Runs for 6 consecutive Saturdays SEND children aged 10-14 10am - 3pm

#### WHAT YOU EXPECT

Experience inclusive multi-sport and play sessions that nurture confidence, friendship, and a love of having fun.

Staff ratio: 1:4 - ensuring plenty of support for all.





# Missed your flu vaccine?

Live or attend school in the borough of Greenwich? Aged 4 - 16?

Come down to a flu catch-up clinic and protect yourself!

Thursday 6 November, 15:00 - 16:15 Waterways Children's Centre, SE28 8EZ

Tuesday 11 November, 15:00 - 16:15 Waterways Children's Centre, SE28 8EZ

Friday 12 December, 15:00 - 16:15 Waterways Children's Centre, SE28 8EZ

Call 020 3903 3345 or scan the QR code for more information or to book an appointment



Scan the QR code on the flyer or email faye.jordan@sportworksltd.co.uk to secur your spot.

UNTITLED DOCUMENTARY-STYLE PROJECT



WE ARE LOOKING FOR: YOUNG, STREETWISE PRIMARY SCHOOL AGED CHILDREN WHO CAN RAP / FREESTYLE!

WE ARE HAPPY TO CONSIDER CHILDREN WHO ARE IN SECONDARY SCHOOL BUT LOOK YOUNGER \*NO FILMING EXPERIENCE NECCESSARY

SHOOT DATE W/C 15TH DEC (TBC)

TO APPLY, EMAIL OFFICE@HOCKADAYCASTING.COM WITH THE SUBJECT "UNTITLED PROJECT - YOUR NAME"

PLEASE INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

AGE, HEIGHT, RECENT PHOTO/SELFIE A BIT OF INFO ABOUT YOURSELF & IDEALLY A SHORT VIDEO SHOWING OFF YOUR RAP/ FREESTYLE SKILLS



# Have your child's seat checked for FREE

**Monday 17th November 2025** 

10am - 3pm

**Asda Car Park** 

**Bugsby Way, London SE7 7ST** 



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