22ND OCTOBER 2026

020 8858 5497

SHERINGTON WEEKLY

WWW.SHERINGTONPRIMARY.CO.UK

SAO@SHERINGTON.GREENWICH.SCH.UK

THIS WEEK

Black History Month & Hemisphere Training

I hope that you all received my letter sent earlier today about Black History Month and our Look at My Learning Event on 5th November. We are really looking forward to showing you all of the children's learning on this year's theme of "Honouring Our Communities." In addition to this, tomorrow we are launching the Hemisphere project at Sherington. Hemisphere is a borough wide initiative around developing racial literacy in schools - we will keep you posted on this work as the year progresses.

Parent & Carer Forum

We had our first meeting of the year on Monday morning and Parent & Carer Forum reps came ready to discuss many different topics. I will write a summary of what was discussed and agreed actions and get this out to families after half term - apologies for the fact that this is not ready to send today.

Harvest Concerts

Thank you to everyone who attended these - the children's singing was fantastic and it was great to also hear from our new poet Laureate - Yaa. Thank you to Ms Kaur for all of her hard work in singing assemblies and to her and Ms Fawcett for running our two wonderful choirs - it was such a lovely concert. Thank you also for all of the donations to Greenwich Foodbank - they will be so grateful.

Car Theft

I am sorry to inform you that a member of staff's car was stolen from Wyndcliff Road yesterday. It is unbelievable but we believe that this happened at pick up time - when most people will have been busy and dsitracted. We think the key was cloned and Ring Doorbell footage was interuppted whilst the car was stolen. If anyone was driving down Wyndliff Road and has DashCam footage that may be helpful - please let the office know. Please take extra precautions if leaving your car outside school.

Change The Rules Day & Friends of Sherington

Thank you to the Friends for organising this event - the children have loved wearing their spooky/cosy outfits today! Thanks to the Friends for all that they are doing to support the school - we will be putting the order in for our new computers for the ICT suite soon and these will be installed over the summer. the next fundraising project is the new library!

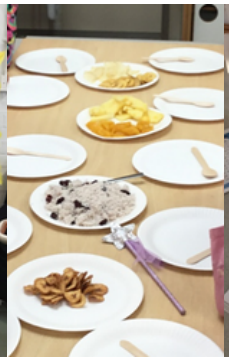
Ms Price

Congratulations to Ms Price and her husband who are expecting their first baby in April - I have written separately to Pyrenees Class about this. Let me also apologise for putting Pearl Class instead of Pyrenees in the letter I sent today - can I blame end of term tiredness?!
Have a great half term - enjoy Halloween if you celebrate and we look forward to seeing the children on Monday 2nd November. Best wishes, Hannah Freeman

Y2 Carnival Buzz Day

What a fantastic time we had celebrating our Y2 Carnival Buzz Day! The children immersed themselves in the vibrant colours, sounds and flavours of Caribbean carnival culture. They enjoyed a carnival-themed dance workshop, created their own colourful carnival masks, flags and bracelets, and even designed Caribbean-themed word searches. We listened to soca, calypso and reggae music too, to really get into the spirit of carnival.
Our food-tasting session was a real highlight, as the children explored new flavours and sampled delicious rice and peas, mango, pineapple, cassava crisps and plantain chips! They also looked amazing in their carnival-inspired outfits.
A HUGE thank you to @zaiaharts and @nhcarnivalldn for supplying us with the most incredible carnival outfits. Miss Dulay, Miss Ali, Miss Lilburn and Ms Bryan absolutely loved wearing them!
It was a joyful day full of creativity, culture, music and celebration, and we are so proud of how enthusiastically the children embraced the experience!
Thank you to parent's and carers for your contributions to the Buzz Day and the time spent making exceptional outfits!








There is just one day left to make sure your childrens voices are heard through The Big Future, my final national survey as Children's Commissioner.
I want to give children the opportunity to be part of my final Festival of Childhood, taking place in January at the Olivier Theatre. We will bring together 1,000 children to speak directly to the biggest decision-makers in the country, share their views on the issues that matter to them, and enjoy a celebration of childhood on stage.
Thank you again for your support.
Yours sincerely, Dame Rachel de Souza
Children's Commissioner for England



By **Sherington Primary School**

PROSPECTIVE RECEPTION PARENTS VISIT - SEPTEMBER 2027

10 Nov · 9:10
Sherington Primary School
London

Sherington Primary School

LoveReading 4 KIDS

We are launching a new way for families to buy books for Christmas, Eid, birthdays and home reading through LoveReading4Schools



SCAN ME

www.lovereading4kids.co.uk



Sherington Xtra

Day Changes/Swaps
If you require additional days or you would like to swap your current days for breakfast and after school club, please be aware that we need you to fill out the Xtra application form Application forms are reviewed regularly, when a space becomes available you will be sent out an offer letter from the school office via email





Breakfast club from 8am Monday- Friday
Afterschool club until 5.55pm Monday- Friday

Breakfast/snacks included

- Games/activities
- Arts and Crafts
- Outdoor play (afterschool only)
- Childcare vouchers accepted

PRICES
Breakfast club £5
Afterschool Club £11
PER DAY

BOOK NOW

Application form: https://forms.gle/KJUUoVifSwCAuK7FA

sao@sherington.greenwich.sch.uk

02088585497

NHS
South London Children and Young People's Community Immunisation Service

Children's Flu information webinar

Join us to learn more about the children's flu vaccine, and protecting your child this winter

10 November

13:00 - 14:00

Scan the QR code to register



humanity wisdom courage transcendence moderation justice

Attendance

The award for last week's attendance goes to Andes and Alps with 100%

Word of the Day

This week's vocabulary has been: glint, expand, lunge, stark and malfunction. How will you weave them into conversation this weekend?

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Monday 26th October
Half term break

Monday 2nd November
Children return to school

Monday 2nd November
Healthy Eating 3 weeks begins

Tuesday 3rd November
Individual and sibling photos

Thursday 5th November
Black History Month - Look at my learning. Details to follow

Friday 6th November
Sherington's Wheel-y Good Breakfast - more details to follow

Thursday 12th November
Y6 School Journey Assembly 9am for Y5 and Y6 parents - Y6 will present an assembly about this years School Journey for their own parents and carers and Y5 parents and carers who's children will be going next year.

Friday 13th November
Children in need

Monday 16th November
Anti Bullying Week & Safe at School Workshop for parents and carers - Creation Station 9am

Thursday 19th November
Y3 Virtues Assembly

Friday 20th November
Winter Wonderland house photography competition launch



FRIENDS OF SHERINGTON

Friends of Sherington – AGM update

Thank you to everyone who came to our first Annual General Meeting on Sunday 11 October. In our first year as a registered charity, FOS raised £6,693.64 and ended the year (to 31 August) with £7,955.56 in the bank. At the meeting, we agreed to donate £8,000 to the school towards the new ICT suite.

Emma Capper (Chair), Rose Pennells (Treasurer), Steve Harrison (Secretary) and Nick Harding were re-elected as trustees, and we're delighted to welcome Jenny Martin to the committee.

Next we're looking at helping to fund a new school library. We'll be in touch soon with ways you can get involved and support the school!

The AGM minutes, Chair's report and annual accounts are available on request from secretary@friendsofsherington.org.

Want to support our school?

Join the Friends of Sherington!

We are a friendly and informal group of parents and carers with children at Sherington. We support the school's aims and ethos, and we work together to:

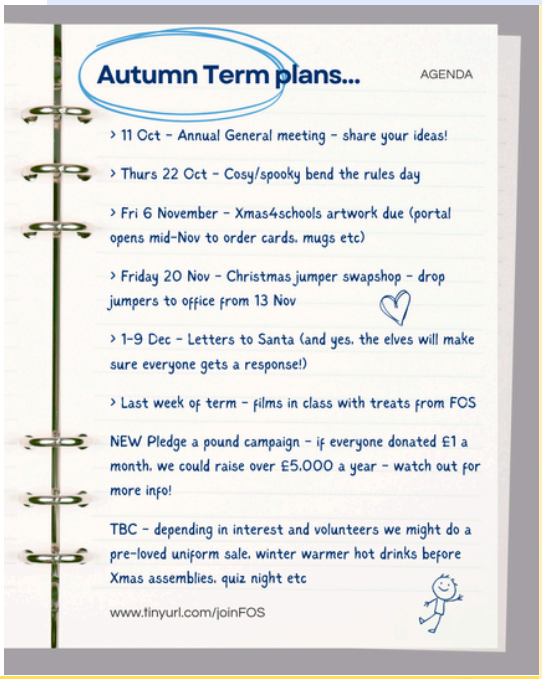
- organise fun, informal activities that bring the school community together; and
- fundraise to help pay for things that enrich our children's education.

Everyone is welcome, whether you:

- just want to know what we are doing;
- might volunteer an hour or two 'on the day' eg to help run a stall; or
- have a bit more time to help plan and organise events

Join our friendly Whatsapp Group here...

or use www.tinyurl.com/joinFOS



Summer Fair thank you



Thank you for donating cakes, teddies, toys and games.

Thank you to the brilliant volunteers and the school staff for running the stalls (and the set up and clear up).

Thank you to everyone who came along to support our school and have fun on the day.

We've raised almost £2,500 to support our 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. https://www.gov.uk/apply-free-school-meals

Sherington Xtra

Collection:

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

Child's 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



The Royal Greenwich Music Service has launched its new online booklet detailing our extensive out-of-school music offer. See website for more details: royalgreenwich.gov.uk/music-service-programmes

ROYAL GREENWICH Music Service

NHS

YOUNG GREENWICH

YOUNG GREENWICH HEALTH ADVISORS' VIRTUAL WORKSHOP

TUESDAY 10TH NOVEMBER 2026
TIME: 10:00AM

THIS MONTH'S TOPIC IS:

HEALTHY EATING

THIS SESSION WILL INCLUDE
WAYS TO EXPAND THE DIET OF FUSSY EATERS
BALANCED DIET INFORMATION
HEALTHY SNACK ALTERNATIVES

MEETING ID: 314 746 409 475 289
PASSCODE: RK2FH3NL



NHS

YOUNG GREENWICH

YOUNG GREENWICH HEALTH ADVISORS' VIRTUAL WORKSHOP

TUESDAY 1ST DECEMBER 2026
TIME: 10:00AM

THIS MONTH'S TOPIC IS:

BEHAVIOUR AND EMOTIONAL REGULATION

THIS SESSION WILL INCLUDE
HOW TO TEACH YOUR CHILD ABOUT THEIR EMOTIONS
HOW TO HELP YOUR CHILD TO PROCESS THEIR EMOTIONS
TRIGGERS THAT CAN SHAPE/AFFECT YOURS BEHAVIOUR

MEETING ID: 353 635 996 999 56
PASSCODE: AY37LZ9V



BLACKHEATH RHINOS

HOLIDAY CAMPS

Football. Friends. Fun.

26–30 OCTOBER 2026

10am–4pm

Hervey Road · SE3 8BU

Book your place.

blackheathrhinos.co.uk/camps



UK Health Security Agency

NHS

Are you eligible for the MenB vaccine?

- young adults in the school year 13 age group (born between 1 September 2007 and 31 August 2008)
- young people born on or after 21 July 2001 and starting as undergraduates at university for the first time in autumn 2026
- young people born on or after 21 July 2001 living in further education accommodation or halls of residence for the first time in autumn 2026

Please visit this link to find out where to have your MenB vaccinations: **nhs.uk/book-menb**

Find out more:
You can read the leaflet here:
qrco.de/havemenb



© Crown copyright 2026, UK Health Security Agency gateway number: 2026066.
Product code: 1304DEN001

immunisation
the safest way to protect your health

all kids can

OCTOBER ACTIVCAMP

Ofsted REGISTERED

AGES 4-12
"CHILDREN AGED 4 NEED TO BE IN RECEPTION TO ATTEND"

MONDAY 26TH OCTOBER – FRIDAY 30TH OCTOBER 2026

8AM-4PM EVERYDAY

LOTS OF FUN THINGS TO DO DURING OCTOBER HALF TERM AS LITTLE AS £22.50 PER DAY PER CHILD.

SPOOKY FUN AWAITS!

BOOK TODAY!

WWW.ALLKIDSCAN.CO.UK

020 8836 8906

OFFICE: MERIDIAN SPORTS & SOCIAL CLUB, LONDON SE7 8QS
+44 (0) 20 88368906
INFO@ALLKIDSCAN.CO.UK

CAMP LOCATIONS

allkidscan

BEXLEY
SHERWOOD PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL
SHERWOOD PARK AVE, SIDCUP DA15 9JQ

NEW ELTHAM
WYBORNE PRIMARY SCHOOL
FOOTSCRAY ROAD, NEW ELTHAM SE9 2EH

PLUMSTEAD
BANNOCKBURN PRIMARY SCHOOL CHURCH MANOR WAY, PLUMSTEAD SE2 0HY

GREENWICH
ST MARY MAGDALENE (PENINSULA CAMPUS)
1 HENDON STREET, GREENWICH SE10 0NF

COST DETAILS
£22.50 PER CHILD PER DAY
£105.50 PER CHILD PER WEEK*
Full Week - 2 Children £202.50



8AM-4PM EVERYDAY

LOTS OF FUN THINGS TO DO DURING OCTOBER HALF TERM AS LITTLE AS £22.50 PER DAY PER CHILD.

TIMES
STANDARD DAY 9AM-3PM
EARLY DROP OFF 8AM-9AM
LATE PICK UP 3PM-4PM
DROP OFF £6 Early Drop off
£6 Late Pick Up

BOOK TODAY!

SPOOKY FUN AWAITS!

FOR MORE INFO CONTACT:
INFO@ALLKIDSCAN.CO.UK
+44 (0) 20 88368906

ROYAL GREENWICH BOROUGH FC

SOCCER SCHOOL

FOR 5-7 YEAR OLDS



VENUE:
Forty Footway, Avery Hill Road, New Eltham, London, SE9 2EX

DATE:
EVERY FRIDAY

TIME:
6:00 - 7:30

£10
Card payments accepted.

CARD PAYMENTS ACCEPTED

HAVE FUN | MAKE FRIENDS | BUILD CONFIDENCE

NO NEED TO BOOK...
JUST TURN UP!

ENGLAND FOOTBALL 3v3

England football 3v3 gives young players the best introduction to football.

It creates more chances to learn, play, make decisions, score and stop goals.

It's a fun, fast, forward-thinking game where every child plays.

NHS
South London Children and Young People's Community Immunisation Service

Children's Flu information webinar

Join us to learn more about the children's flu vaccine, and protecting your child this winter

19 November
16:00 - 17:00

Scan the QR code to register



TOTAL FOOTBALL CLUB

ACCREDITED

WHERE IT ALL BEGINS!

BOYS & GIRLS AGES 5-15

HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

PLAY. LEARN. IMPROVE. HAVE FUN!



CAMP DATES
Half-Term Holiday
Monday 26 - Friday 30 October 2026

TIME
9:30AM - 3:00PM
Early drop-off from 9AM

VENUE
Samuel Montagu Youth Centre
122 Broad Walk, London SE3 8ND

OPEN TO ALL ABILITIES
Fun, engaging sessions for players of all levels!

WHAT TO EXPECT:
Technical & Tactical Training
Fun Games & Competitions
Match Play
Prizes & Awards
FA Qualified Coaches
A Safe, Positive Environment

£25 PER DAY | £95 FULL WEEK

PACKED LUNCH REQUIRED

BOOK YOUR PLACE TODAY!

BOOK ONLINE: www.totalfootballclub.co.uk
INSTAGRAM: _totalfootballclub
WHATSAPP: 07361 524 405

RECEPTION - YEAR 8

MOTIVE SPORTS

OCTOBER HALF TERM SPORTS CAMP

26TH & 27TH OCTOBER

8:30AM - 3:00PM

£20 PER DAY OR £35 FOR BOTH

ST MARY MAGDALENE, WOOLWICH PRIMARY CAMPUS, KINGSMAN STREET, LONDON, SE18 5PW

Motive Sports Camp is a fun and active camp where kids get to explore a wide variety of sports.

To balance the action, we also include learning & creative time throughout the day.

REGISTER NOW

ANY QUERIES:
INFO@MOTIVESPORTS.UK
07584457643

humanity | wisdom | courage | transcendence | moderation | justice