Shirley Warren Autumn News



Shirley Warren Primary and Nursery School, Warren Crescent, SOUTHAMPTON, SO16 6AY 21st October 2016

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a fantastic start to the year; the children have worked so hard! You will see from this news letter the range of fun and engaging learning experiences that the children have enjoyed: We celebrated Harvest and collected lots of food for the Basics Bank; we decorated the Harvest table with our own school grown pumpkins (thanks to our Eco Club) and the children loved dressing up for Roald Dahl day.

As a whole school focus this half term, we have been learning all about 'Growth Mindset'. We are really committed to helping the children to see that perseverance in their learning is an important part of the journey and that they can always improve by enjoying challenge.

I would like to take this opportunity to say thank you for all of the hard work that you have been doing at home this half term in partnership with us. In particular, we are delighted with the support you have given to your children to progress with their mathematical skills; this is really having a big impact on the maths journey that they are making in school. In addition to this, we have made a great start to this year's school attendance and punctuality. Last year, we outperformed the national and beat our school target!

In further support of strengthening the work that we do together, it was great to see so many of you at parents' evening; teachers have very nearly met all of you over this week. If however we have been unable to catch up with you, your child's class teacher will contact you to offer an appointment after half term.

We had a great end to the half term with our Halloween Disco and the children had a wonderful time! Of course, I would like to say a huge thank you on behalf of the school to the 'Friends of Shirley Warren' for organising and running the event. All proceeds will help to keep school trips affordable.

Alison Mann Headteacher



Becoming a Governor

Are you enthusiastic about education?

Do you have some time to spare to help support our school on our journey?

If so, you are just the person we need to the successful running of the sch because we are looking for a new Parent The governors make decisions that Governor to join the Governing Body. directly affect the education and w

Why do we need Parent governors?

We need your voice! You will be able to offer your enthusiasm and commitment school's budget. but also, as a parent, you will also be passionate about the school. You can make a valuable contribution to the improvement of your child's school. Of Hodges, will concourse, Governors who also have business and management skills can also offer extremely helpful expertise! throughout the throughout the school's budget.

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What do school governors do?

School governors work closely with the head teacher to make key decisions vital to the successful running of the school. The governors make decisions that directly affect the education and well-being of all pupils. They play an important role in improving standards throughout the school and agree the school's budget.

How do I find out more? What do I do next?—If you leave your details in the office, the Chair of Governors, Alice Hodges, will contact you directly.

Our Governing body meets once every

half term - could you spare one evening

per 6 or 7 weeks? Thank you!

News from the Green Council

Three children from Green Council visited Basics Bank HQ in Millbrook this week to see how Southampton City Mission collect and sort the food they are donated to pass on to local needy families.

Last week we celebrated Harvest in school so our donations were all there ready to be sorted! Thank you for your kind donations.

Matt showed us how to sort them into categories like peas, soups and so on according to the Best Before date so that those with the shortest shelf life get used first. We had a great time!







News from the Friends of Shirley Warren...

Your Parent Association! Your way of getting involved!

We have been busy this half term planning for our Halloween Disco and raffle where the prize was a fantastic Haunting Halloween Hamper...everything you need for a fantastic party. Also thanks to all parents who donated cakes for our cupcake sale! Coming up next half term will be our Christmas Raffle so watch this space for other events taking place around this time!



As always anyone is welcome to join our friendly group and our next meeting will be held on Thursday 3rd November at 9.00am.

Many thanks for your continued support.





THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION

Shirley Warren Football Club

For the first time in many, many years the school have a football team in a competitive league and so far they have done themselves immensely proud. The first week saw us away to Townhill and Thornhill . The teams were two very talented sides and we were very unlucky to lose 3-1 and 4-1. The goals in each game scored by Ashley. In our second week, we played Thornhill for the second time. The whole team played their socks off and fought hard to grind to our first win of the season. The game finished 1-0 and another fantastic finish from Ashley. A solid performance in goal from Harvey, some brilliant tackles in defence from Patrick and Tilly as well as some hard work across the pitch from Rafael, Sam, Ryan and Oscar saw us through to our first 3 points. Our third week saw us come out on the wrong end of a 3-1 result to Bitterne CE which was a tough test. From the first week we started, every single player has moved forward a significant amount. A really big well done to everyone in the team and keep up the hard work, I am sure the results will eventually fall our way.

Ryan Ship Testlands

(Thanks to Ryan for managing the team!)



From 31st October we will be selling poppies for the 2016 Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal. They will be available from the office. Thank you in advance for your support for this very worthy cause helping the armed forces community.

Further details about the Poppy Appeal can be found on their website: www.britishlegion.org.uk/poppy-appeal-2016/

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For more information... Please call 023 80773975

Email info@shirleywarren.co.uk or pop in for a visit!

Warren Crescent Shirley Warren SO16 6AY Flexible and full time sessions available for our 3-4 year old setting

News from the Admin Team

Your Admin Team...

Claire Buckingham School Business Manager Sarah Worley Admin Officer Natalie Miller Admin Assistant Donna Bisson Receptionist



If your child is not coming to school...

Please phone the school office before 9am if your child is not coming to school and let us know the reason why. If we have not heard from you, you will either receive a text or a call from the admin team to find out where your child is. This is an important part of our safeguarding procedures.



Is my child too ill to come to school?

Unsure if your child is well enough for school? Please check out this excellent website: http://www.what0-18.nhs.uk/parents-and-carers/should-your-child-go-school-today/
We are sure it will help you decide whether or not you should send your child to school. Please remember that if your child has **sickness or diarrhoea**, they need to be **clear** of this for **48 hours** before returning to school. This link is available from our website, from the school nurse page.

Online Payments

Where possible, please pay online for trips, dinners and uniform - it saves you coming to the office and it saves us handling cash! If you haven't got an account, please come to the office for a password.



Data Collection Sheets

We recently sent out Data Collection Sheets to everyone. Thank you to those who have already sent it back. If you still have it at home, please check it for any changes and return it to school after half term. It is so important for us to have the correct contact information, especially if your child is unwell. It can be very distressing if your child is poorly and your number is unobtainable. Thank you.



Lost Property

We continue to have a **vast** amount of unclaimed, unnamed school uniform. If **items are named** they can be returned to the child instantly. There is a full lost property box in reception which will be passed on to a charity shop in November if unclaimed. Please check it regularly if your child has lost anything. We would like an empty lost property box! Thank you.



Office Duty

A huge thank you to all the Year 6 children who have been helping us with Office duty this term. They have been brilliant and are a credit to you. We will soon be asking Year 5 if they would like to help us in January

From Claire, Sarah, Natalie and Donna

Thank you for your continued support and patience at our busy times.



The second half of the term will see the start of rehearsals for all our wonderful Christmas productions.

Watch out for letters coming home so you can get tickets for our Christmas festivities!







The Warren Centre is a community facility based on Shirley Warren Learning Campus.

We have a range of rooms which are available to hire on weekdays, evenings and weekends.

We have a Large Hall, shared Kitchen Area, Meeting Rooms with Projector Screen and an IT Suite with internet access and Wi-Fi.



Additionally we have photocopying facilities, disabled access, toilet facilities and parking.

For rates and availability please contact Donna on the details below.



The Warren Centre

Chestnut Road, Shirley Warren, Southampton SO16 6BR

Phone: 023 8032 7802

Email:info@warrencentre.co.uk

School Attendance Matters

A huge **thank you** for bringing your children into school every day and on time! Our attendance so far this year continues to improve and currently stands at







This year we are again giving out tickets each week to children have been in school **all week (and not late).** These tickets are being put in the box by the office and we will draw our bike winner in July. It is great to see so many children coming down to the box! Keep it up!

We will be having a visit from Sam the Attendance dog in Assembly next term!

Sarah Worley Attendance Officer

ROALD DAHL DAY

In September we celebrated Roald Dahl day—the 100th anniversary of his birth. Many children dressed up as a character from one of his books and we read his stories and did activities during the day.

We had a competition to invent a chocolate bar. This was won by Ewa Czaban in 5C. The class won a class pack of Roald Dahl books! Happy reading 5C!







Our Superstars!

We are pleased and proud to celebrate the achievements of the following children:

Gold Book

Week ending 9th Sept Liam Skeats Matthew Longland Alex MacIver Abigail Abosejo Mikolaij Roik Evan Sayas Courtney Curtis Isobel Rosie Molly Shaw Daniel Harris

Week ending 16th Sept Sydney Daarol Szymon Barczynski Ruby Wink Abigale Sinagoga Vincent Dabu Mia Bumstead Oscar Hunt Callum Elmes Owen Smith Kyle Hamshare Adam Campbell Ryan Oga Abigail Abosejo Cassie Connell Krystian Mroz Rhiannon Voysey

Week ending 23rd Sept
Alicja Klimowicz
Abigale Sinagoga
Tife Ogunlesi
Nadia Dudzik
Caitlin Wink
Kacper Ziolkowski
Ashley Osman
Gabriel Synowiec
Maciej Lulek
Kamron Adams
Thomas Spicer
Alex Wrobel
Brett Head

Colton Cooper

Winners are not people who never fail, but people who never

Week ending 30th Sept Abigale Sinagoga Vanessa Borzyszka Julia Adamska Kye Mills All of Class 5C Henry Garner Dominic Cinco Jesseree Barrion Krystian Kucharski Jessica Skeats Vincent Dabu Ewa Czaban Alex MacIver Week ending 7th October Sydney Daarol Darla Ragpala Callum Elmes Owen Smith The Year 5/6 Football Team:

Year 5/6 Football Tea Ashley Osman Sam Sayson Rafael Huele Tilly Severn Harvey MacMillan Ryan Oga Patrick Akpan Oscar Laptas Matthew Longland

Week ending 14th October
Jack Dixon
Bailey Cooper

Week ending 21st October

Dominic Quijano

Brett Head



5 Strike Free Weeks Excellent behaviour in KS2

Yasmine Ansari Rachel Cailes Allona Cibile Sydney Daarol Jade Frades Tilly Hatton Ronak Hoque Camille Imlani **Emmanuel Lopez** Kinga Lubos Anastazja Majewska Connor McCann Aaric Pavanathil Darla Ragpala Gayathri Satishkumar Taya Shrestha-Hunt Owen Smith Julia Srebrna Deive Abromaite Leighland Adams Jesseree Barrion Nancy Boyle Remie Marie Cartwright Alisha Cibile **Dominic Cinco** Henry Garner Ria Hoque Krystian Kucharski Lara Nemeth Amelia O'Brien Luca Prokopiuk Estefanie Sayas Airah Suarez Natalia Szpinda Mischa Worthy Stephen Agbonkhina Ei Caburian Oliver Cinco Phoebe Cowell **Daniel Craciun** Alexis Cuanico Mia Draper Sofia Garcia Daniel Kowalczyk Josh Muldowney Milly New-Laxton Kenzie-Lee Peters Sherene Rillo Isobel Rosie Martin Ruczynski Zita Ruiz Tyrone Saldi Goda Samatovic Molly Shaw

Naveen Tony Joseph Ruby-Raye Walsh

Hana Abdellah Holly Busby Leah Castle **Dominique Cuanico Arwen Dennis** Zoe Foreman Harry Fredericks Tilly-Anne Jewell Ruby Littlefair Liliana Moniz Alisha Osman Hassan Quraishe Yna Romelo Oskar Srebrny Guen Villaruel Jessica Wajda Rihanna Wilson **Ruby Wink** Mia Bumstead Krystian Mroz Vincent Dabu Daisy Llewellyn Harvey Macmillan Roseanna Newman Evan Sayas Abigale Sinagoga Jessica Skeats Christine Animay Tiana Bennetts Carisse Clarke Shannon Eseigbe Rio Fourie Jessica Gao Rafael Aleksi Huele Ashley Osman Aldren Pagkaliwangan Karl Prestousa Abigail Abosejo Gil Barrion Amelia Blaszczyk Kaitlyn Castle Onur Cicek Cassie Connell Dia Dishad Rio Heider Millie House Oscar Lantas Catherine Malonzo Allia Mesa Eve-Lynne Muronya Evelyn Nagy **Bethany New-Laxton** Ryan Oga Babikir Osman Kyne Romelo Tilly Severn Anna Szpinda Jennifer Trafisz

Kacper Ziolkowski

Lucy Young

Our Marvellous Mathematicians!











MOUNTAIN CHALLENGE

Well done to all these children who have moved up levels on their Maths journey

Up 1 level

Hana Abdellah Dominique Cuanico Oliver Trafisz Morgan Dixon Nancy Boyle Remie Cartwright Dominic Cinco Logan McLoughlin Airah Suarez Benjamin Toth Aldren Pagkaliwangan Charlie Whymark Christine Animay Cristian Neagoe Jakub Gos Kasia Frac Oliver Collins Rafael Huele Oliver Cinco David Cullado Alexis Cuanico Oscar Laptas Abigail Abosejo Kira Lovelock Rio Heider Eve-Lynne Muronya Bailie Wyatt Bethany New-Laxton Kyne Romelo Millie House Amelia Blaszczyk Kacper Ziolkowski Caitlin Wink Cassie Connell Dona George Alex Wrobel Szymon Wojewada Vincent Ďabu Rosanna Newman Evan Sayas Harvey Macmillan Zuzanna Klak Michael Kurzawa Nadia Dudzik Jocelyn Akpan Mia Bumstead Millie Fredericks Rory Castle Rachel Cailes Allona Cibile Sydney Daarol Jade Frades Henry Gao **Tommy Holmes** Ronak Hoque Emmanuel Lopez Alex MacIver

Aaric Pavanathil Darla Ragpala

Taya Shrestha-Hunt Owen Smith Jireh Balangcod Tommy Castle **Bailey Cooper** Holly De La Mata Escudero Tiana Didioma Mhamad Dilshad Jack Dixon Kyanna Douglas Amalia Dragone Emilia Durell Jasmine Frades Amelia Hall Clareece Hearn Jack Hibbert Olivia Iyapen-Kisten Tanisha Khan Cassie Manuel Cody New-Laxton Liani Searle Anastazya Szczerba

Up 2 levels

Lennie Brooks Adam Campbell Kyle Hamshare Ria Hoque A'Ron Kecskemeti Pranav Madan Mohan Amelia O'Brien Raul Peica-Balosache Natalia Szpinda Mischa Worthy Alisha Osman Jessica Gao Evelyn Nagy Dia Dishad Kaitlyn Castle Tilly Severn Catherine Malonzo James Hearn Anna Szpinda Allia Mesa Roksana Pietrzyk Lucas Craciun Chiara Animay Alfie Castle Joseph Rafferty Breeze Jewell Jessica Collins **Thomas Hainz** Zuzanna Tylecka Hassan Quraishe Holly Busby Ruby Littlefair

Joseph Durell

We are so proud of the hard work you are putting in both at home and school. Well done! All this work is helping with maths in school.

Up 3 levels

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Up 4 levels Luca Prokopiuk

Up 5 levels Rifat Hoque

Lara Nemeth

Up 6 levels Krystian Kucharski

Up 7 levels Leighland Adams

The only person you should try to be better than...

is the person you were yesterday.



Sumdog News

There is a new national



competition for Y1-Y6 children from 11th - 17th November.

All children can enter but we need at least 10 children per class to take part for the scores to count The class score averages will go through to the competition.

Go SWPNS!



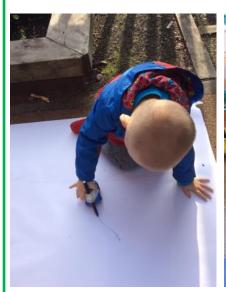
Volunteer Readers

The MORE that you READ, the More things you will KNOW.
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Thank you so much to all the volunteer adults who have supported our children by hearing readers throughout the school this term. The children are really benefitting from your support. If there is anyone else who can spare an hour or more to join our amazing band of volunteers, please contact me and I will put you to work as soon as possible!

Debbie Short Deputy Headteacher

Fun in Nursery







In Nursery we have been busy learning about Autumn and the Harvest Festival. We have also been developing mark making skills by using pens attached to cars, spray bottles and doing lots of multisensory activities to make our fingers nice and strong and reading for writing!

We have spaces in our Nursery if you have children aged 3 and over!

Keeping healthy



Reception had a visit from Shirley and her friend Sydney the snake to talk to us about **brushing our teeth.**

The children brush their teeth every day at school in Year R, Nursery and Pre-Nursery.

Dance with Miss Roni

Children learn a lot through dance. Here is what they have been doing this term:

The **Year 1** curriculum link of Charlie & Lola's favourite food helped us create a polyrhythmic song and dance about healthy eating through and also helped us explore body shapes, positions and levels.

Year 2 dance topic for the term is 'All About Me' where they are exploring unison and gesture movement.

The **Year 3** curriculum link is My City and we created a polyrhythmic exercise to help us remember key locations and activities within Southampton. This was further developed with the 'hold, change travel' exercise that helped each young person explore how technical details can help us create

interesting travel pathways.

The **Year 4** curriculum link is 'Africa' and we are working in small groups to create our own tribal greetings, customs and myths which we are exploring with movement through unison, levels, jumps, turns and taught phrases.







OUT AND ABOUT



Year 6 had the opportunity to go back in time at the Watercress Line, where we were evacuated just like children would have been in World War 2.







Year 4 visited Tudor House in Southampton and had fun experiencing life in Tudor times





OUT AND ABOUT





In **Year 2**, we've been busy learning about castles and knights. We visited Portchester Castle as our significant local place for our history learning. We found out lots about what castles looked like when they were first built, and got to climb the tall, dark keep all the way to the top of the roof.

We were so lucky to have a sunny day too!





We love our Clubs!

The children have been enjoying 17 clubs this term: Basketball, art, board games, football, hockey, ICT, ECO, dance, art and craft, gymnastics, cross country, gardening, and percussion. Many children have been able to do two clubs. More club photos next newsletter!



Cross Country at Stoke Park



MUSIC



The choir have got off to a great start this half term with nearly 100 children joining us! We had an amazing time singing with Gospel singer Ray Sydney when he came into school.





Our percussion club is sounding great with Matt from Music Services in the hall on Friday afternoons. There are still spaces if your child would like to join the Percussion Club!

COMMUNITY CHOIR

Do you enjoy a good sing? Then why not come along to Shirley Warren Community Choir. We are a small, friendly, choir, open to everyone, any age (children must be accompanied by an adult). We meet every Thursday in term time, from 3.15-4.15 in the Parent Partnership room. FREE TO ALL!

Pre-Nursery Sing-a-long

On Wednesday we held two sing-a-long sessions for Pre Nursery parents so they could join the children in singing the nursery rhymes we have been learning this half term. There were some great renditions of The Grand Old Duke of York, Humpty Dumpty and Hickory Dickory Dock with instruments being played too! It was lovely to have a few little brothers and sisters joining us as well.







Next Shirley Warren News Friday 16th December 2016

October 2016

Monday 24th October—Friday 28th October

School Closed—Half Term

Monday 31st October

School reopens to pupils Bikeabilty Year 5

November 2016

Wednesday 2nd November

Parent Coffee Morning 9am - 10am All welcome

Thursday 3rd November

Y3 visit Sea City Museum Community Choir 3.15-4.15pm All welcome

Thursday 10th November

Community Choir 3.15-4.15pm All welcome

Monday 14th November - Friday18th November

Anti Bullying Week

Tuesday 15th NovemberNasal Flu vaccine for Y1,Y2 and Y3

Thursday 17th November Community Choir 3.15-4.15pm

Friday 18th NovemberChildren in Need Fundraising Day

Monday 21st November School Closed INSET Day

Thursday 24th November Community Choir 3.15-4.15pm

December 2016

Monday 5th December

KS1 Christmas Performance 2.00-3.00pm

Tuesday 6th December

KS1 Christmas Performance 9.30-10.30am

Wednesday 7th December

EYFS Christmas Performance 9.30-10.30am EYFS Christmas Performance 2.00-3.00pm

Thursday 8th December

Y3 BSO Concert, Portsmouth

Monday 12th December

Pre-Nursery Christmas sing along 11.30-12.00 and 2.45-3.15pm

Tuesday 13th December

Y3 and Y4 Christmas Production 2.00 - 3.00pm and 6.00-7.00pm At school **Wednesday 14th December**

Y5 and Y6 Christmas Production 2.00-3.00pm and 6.00-7.00pm

Thursday 15th December

Community Carols on the Steps 4.00-5.00pm Everyone welcome

Friday 16th December

Last day of term

Monday 19th December— Monday 2nd January 2017

School Closed—Christmas Break

2017

Tuesday 3rd January

School Closed—INSET Day

Wednesday 4th January

School reopens to pupils

INSET DAYS 2016-17

Monday 21st Nov 2016

Tuesday 3rd Jan 2017

Friday 10th March 2017

Monday 5th June 2017

School reopens after half term on Monday 31st October



Easter 2017



The Easter weekend will be <u>in the middle</u> of the fortnight break in 2017. Good Friday is on 14 April 2017 and Easter Monday is on Monday 17th April 2017





There are THREE CHOICES every day!

Even more reasons to have a school dinner!

Every choice comes with seasonal vegetables, salad, different types of potatoes or chips on different days

and...

There is a variety of hot and cold puddings across the week!

Week 1 Week Commencing Monday 14th November Monday 5th December	Blue (Meat/Fish)	Yellow (Vegetarian)	Purple (Third Choice)
Monday	Saucy Meatballs	Veggie Sausage Turnover	Roasted Vegetable Wrap
Tuesday	Salmon Fish Fingers	Cheese and Tomato Pizza	Pasta Napoli
Wednesday	Chicken, Bacon and Sweetcorn Pie	Bean and Vegetable Bake	Jacket Potato with Beans
Thursday	Pork Roast with stuffing	Quorn Burger	Veggie Sausage Hot Dog
Friday	Crispy Battered Cod	Macaroni Cheese	Cheese and Vegetable Bake

Week 2 Week Commencing Monday 31st October Monday 21st November Monday 12th December	Blue (Meat/Fish)	Yellow (Vegetarian)	Purple (Third Choice)
Monday	Chicken Fajita	Veggie Balls in Tomato Sauce	Jacket Potato with choice of filling
Tuesday	Gammon Steak	Cheese and Tomato Pizza	Cheesy Pasta
Wednesday	Southern Style Chicken Goujons	Veggie Curry	Veggie Ball Sub
Thursday	Beef Roast	Veggie Sausages	Chicken Wrap
Friday	Fish Fingers	Cheese Whirl	Jacket potato with cheese

Week 3 Week Commencing Monday 7th November Monday 28th November Monday 2nd January 2017	Blue (Meat/Fish)	Yellow (Vegetarian)	Purple (Third Choice)
Monday	Baked Pork Sausages	Veggie Bolognese	Barbecue Chicken Wrap
Tuesday	Beef Bolognese	Cheese and Tomato Pizza	Pasta Napoli
Wednesday	Curry of the Day	Veggie Enchilada	Jacket Potato with Veggie Sausage and Beans
Thursday	Chicken Roast	Veggie Pasty	Quorn Burger
Friday	Fish Cake	Quorn Dippers with Barbecue sauce	Pasta of the Day

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