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Shaftesbury Park Primary School

# Shaftesbury Park Primary School Shaftesbury Update



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## Book Week Special

This week we have been celebrating Book Week and it has been so much fun!

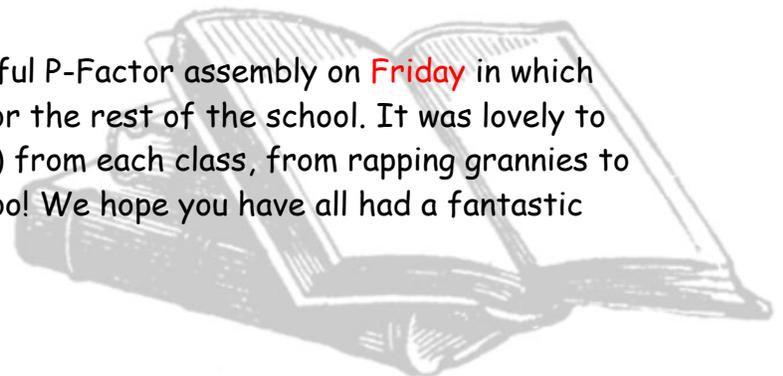
On **Monday**, we had a pirate skulking around the building attempting to catch anyone who didn't have their reading book with them! Thankfully we all escaped unharmed however be warned the pirate is still at large so don't forget to keep reading everyday! He was too sneaky for a photo but from witness statements, here is what we think he looked like - now you know who to be on the look out for!



On **Wednesday**, we were extremely lucky to be visited by very talented children's author Dennis Bond. Dennis held some fantastic story workshops for children from Reception to Year 6. Some children were even lucky enough to get signed copies of some of Dennis' books!

**Thursday** was World Book Day and we celebrated in style by coming into school dressed as our favourite book characters, from Pippi Longstocking to Little Red Riding Hood, from Willy Wonka to the Mad Hatter!

We rounded off the week with a wonderful P-Factor assembly on **Friday** in which each class took turns to recite a poem for the rest of the school. It was lovely to hear such different poems (with actions) from each class, from rapping grannies to scary spiders and even some in French too! We hope you have all had a fantastic week.





Here are a few highlights of the week...



So many people dressed the same, very foxy!



Lots of pretty princesses!



So many hats!



From Roald Dahl to Robin Hood, so many fantastic costumes - well done everyone!



## Athletics at Latchmere Leisure Centre

On Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> March, some children from Years 2, 3 and 4 went to Latchmere Leisure Centre to take part in an athletics competition. We waited on the sides until it was each of our turns then we got to come on. There were lots of events including the 100m sprint, the speed bounce, the javelin, a relay and the long jump. We were the best school at cheering for our team - we sang and danced whilst the others competed. Overall the girls came 7<sup>th</sup> out of 12 and the boys came 10<sup>th</sup> out of 12 but even though we didn't win, it didn't matter because we still had lots of fun. Many thanks to Mr Patterson, from Monae and Essie.



### Sainsbury's Active Kids Vouchers

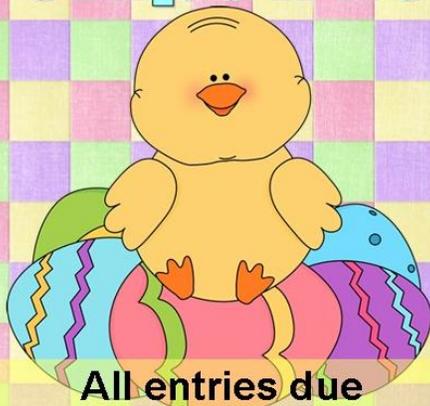
Please help us to get some new sports and cooking equipment by placing any Active Kids vouchers in the box at the School Office. Thank you in advance!



Check out the Rights of the Month highlighted in blue



## Easter Model Competition



**All entries due  
Wednesday 23rd March**

Make/decorate a hat or make a spring/  
Easter-themed model for the chance to win  
some amazing prizes!

**ALL ENTRIES MUST FEATURE EGGS!**

This year we will once again be holding our Easter model competition.

Why not start thinking now about what you might like to do and finding resources you may need like boxes, coloured paper and paints.

### Remember

**All entries must feature eggs!**

### Article 14

Every child has the right to think and believe what they want and to practise their religion, as long as they are not stopping other people from enjoying their rights.

## Shoot to the Moon winners!

<p style="text-align: center;">Foundation Stage:</p> <p>Zebbras: Sabrina &amp; Anna Tigers: Reagan &amp; Jae Leopards: Chloe &amp; Lyra</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Key Stage 1:</p> <p>Badgers: Mehdi &amp; Sadeed Hedgehogs: Zachary &amp; Shyanne Owls: Chelsea &amp; Kamila Foxes: Nathanael &amp; Maya</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Key Stage 2:</p> <p>Starfish: Seals: Sharks: Turtles: Dolphins: <i>no praise assembly</i></p>
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## The best attendance and punctuality for last week!

<p>Our Foundation Stage winning class <b>Zebbras P/T</b></p>	<p>Our Key Stage 1 winning class <b>Foxes</b></p>	<p>Our Key Stage 2 winning class <b>Turtles</b></p>
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## DATES FOR THE DIARY

### THIS WEEK

Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup> March	Reception handwashing workshops	-
Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup> March	Spring term parents' evening 2	Please book an appointment with your child's teacher.
Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup> March	Seals sharing assembly - 9:30am	Parents welcome
Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup> March	Dolphins trip to the WE march	-

### COMING SOON

Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> March	Spring term parents' evening 3	Please book an appointment with your child's teacher.
Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> March	Year 5 Junior Citizenship workshop	-
Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup> March	Turtles sharing assembly - 9:30am	Parents welcome
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> March	Sharks trip to London Zoo	-
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> March	Sports Relief	-
Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> March	FoSP meeting 7:00pm	Parents welcome
Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> March	Easter competition entries due in	-
Thursday 24 <sup>h</sup> March	Easter parade with winners of the competitions <b>LAST DAY OF TERM - finish at 2pm</b>	-

**Children return to school on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> April**

