



"A Local School with a Global Perspective"



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Shaftesbury Park Primary School Shaftesbury Update

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Here comes the rain again...

With the arrival of more autumnal weather last week and more rain to come over the next few days, we would like to take this opportunity to remind parents that **all children should bring a coat to school** which, in keeping with the school's uniform policy, should be either navy blue or black.



We would also like to stress the importance of labelling your child's clothes with his or her name to enable us to return lost clothing and bags to their rightful owners. Thank you!

KS2 Lego Workshops

On Wednesday, children in Starfish, Seals, Sharks, Turtles and Dolphins enjoyed Lego workshops with a team from Battersea Arts Centre.

As part of these workshops, children worked together in small groups to create a fantastic 2m² mural of Battersea Power Station which will be on display at Battersea Arts Centre from 25th September to 27th September. We hope you all learnt something about team work and enjoyed yourselves too!

GLASSES FOUND!

A pair of glasses has been found. If you or your child have lost a pair and believe them to be yours, please pop in to the School Office.

Thank you.



****Advanced Warning****

Parent Teacher Social

Friday 2nd October - 7.00pm to 9.00pm

A fantastic evening full of fun and games!

Please look out for a letter about this being sent home next week



WORLD'S BIGGEST COFFEE MORNING

LET'S MAKE IT THE BIGGEST EVER

All donations greatly appreciated!

Hope to see you there!

WE ARE MACMILLAN. CANCER SUPPORT

25th September 9:00am

Everyone Welcome!

On Friday, all parents/carers are invited to come along to a Coffee Morning in aid of Macmillan Cancer Support.

With plenty of tea, coffee and cake, please join us to help raise money for this fantastic charity, working to ensure no one faces cancer alone.

Any donations of cakes (whether homemade or shop bought) would be greatly appreciated!

Thank you!

Farmers' Market

A huge thank you to everyone who attended our very first Farmers' Market on 12th September. As I'm sure you will all agree, it was an excellent day with lots of lovely food and flowers available to buy. The market also provided a great opportunity for Shaftesbury Park to get more involved with the local community.

Don't forget, the Lavender Hill Farmers' Market takes place every Saturday, so why not come along this weekend?



Many thanks to Catherine Weston for the lovely photographs!

LONDON FARMERS MARKETS

Lavender Hill Farmers Market
@ Shaftesbury Park School

Every Saturday

10am – 2pm

Support your local community and snap up some tasty bargains too!

From
Saturday
12th
September



Mathematics Mastery Workshops

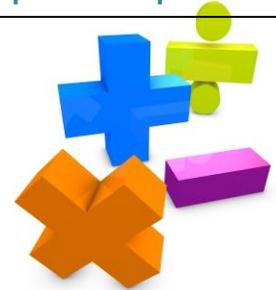
Come along to a Mathematics Mastery workshop to learn how maths is taught at Shaftesbury Park and ways in which you can support your child(ren) at home.

Key Stage 1
Thursday 24th September
5.30pm - 6.30pm

Reception
Wednesday 23rd September
2.15pm - 3.15pm

Reception
Tuesday 6th October
5.30pm - 6.30pm

We will also be holding a Mathematics Mastery Observation Morning. This will provide parents with the chance to visit classrooms in KS1 to watch a Mathematics Mastery lesson taking place. Parents in Year 3 are also invited to this event. (We hope to offer a specific Year 3 observation morning later in the year.)



Tuesday 13th October - 9.00am - 10.00am - Reception, KS1 & Y3

**Please return attendance slips to the School Office
to confirm your place!**

**Have you changed your
contact details over the
holidays?**

***If so, let the school
know!***



**It is essential that we have up-to-date
contact information in case your child is ill
or there is an emergency!**

We send a lot of information home by email. Don't forget to check your emails regularly so you don't miss out on crucial letters and school news!

*Don't
Forget!*



Our Right for the month is...

Article 12:

Every child has the right to have a say in all matters affecting them, and to have their views taken seriously.

On Friday, I spoke with some children about why having a School Council is important. Here, one of those children tells us why she thinks giving a voice to children, for example through a school council, is important:

Check out the
Rights of the Month
highlighted in blue



The School Council allows us to be heard and to actually make a difference and I think this is a really good thing.

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I think people are surprised that we have opinions on things that happen in our world. Last year when I was in Turtles class, we protested about children's rights and that surprised lots of people but I think *because* we were children protesting about children's rights, it actually made our protest more successful - more people listened to us which was really good.

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But I think children need to be listened to more, the reason being, children often have better imaginations than adults which allow them to think in a different way and approach things in a different way. That's why I think the School Council is so important - there is a lot we want to say.

Ikram
Dolphins class

UPCOMING DATES THIS HALF-TERM

Wednesday 23 rd September	Foundation Stage parent workshop on Maths Mastery 2:15pm
Thursday 24 th September	KS1 parent workshop on Maths Mastery 5.30pm
Friday 25 th September	Macmillan Cancer Support coffee morning 9.00am **EVERYBODY WELCOME**
Tuesday 29 th September	Friends of Shaftesbury Park meeting 7.00pm
Friday 2 nd October	Parent & Teacher Social 7.00 - 9.00pm
Tuesday 6 th October	Foundation Stage parent workshop on Maths Mastery 5.30pm
Thursday 8 th October	Individual school photo day
Thursday 15 th October	FoSP coffee morning
Tuesday 20 th October	Harvest Celebration Ascension Church, Lavender Hill 2.00pm
Thursday 22 nd October	Year 6 visit to London Zoo
Friday 23 rd October	Last day of Autumn 1

Half term: 26th - 30th October
(children return to school on Monday 2nd November)

Shoot to the Moon winners!

<p style="text-align: center;">Foundation Stage:</p> <p>Zebbras: - Tigers: Amelia & Niyah Leopards: Lina & Ciara</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Key Stage 1:</p> <p>Badgers: Charlotte & Arthur Hedgehogs: Gian & Donia Owls: Aliyyah Foxes: Avery & Javen</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Key Stage 2:</p> <p>Starfish: Kyle & Glory & Leanne Seals: Zak & Moses Sharks: Njay & Megan Turtles: Katie & Ismael Dolphins: Luca & Angello</p>
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The best attendance and punctuality for last week!

<p>Our Foundation Stage winning class</p> <p>Zebbras & Leopards</p> <p>Both with 100%!</p>	<p>Our Key Stage 1 winning class</p> <p>Foxes</p>	<p>Our Key Stage 2 winning class</p> <p>Starfish</p> <p>With 100%!</p>
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