



Friday 8 May 2015

Summer Term: Issue 5

Sharmans Cross Junior School

Striving for Excellence

Dates for your diary:

2015

May

11th - 15th - SATs Week Year 6
12th - School Council
12th - Fit for Life Y3
13th - Fit for Life Y5 & Y6
13th - Parents Forum
13th - Governors Site & Buildings Meeting
14th - Fit for Life Y4
15th - 3EP Outdoor Learning
15th - School Bank
18th - 4LS Violin Concert
22nd - School Bank
25th - HALF TERM

June

1st - Y5 at Langley Sec
2nd - Y5 at Langley Sec
3rd - Y5 performing at Langley
3rd - MENCAP Coffee Morning (9am)
3rd - PTA Meeting
3rd - Governors' Finance Meeting
5th - School Bank
5th - PTA Quiz Night
9th - School Council
12th - School Bank
17th - Governors' Curriculum Meeting
18th - PTA Meeting (pm)
19th - School Bank
24th - School Council
25th - New Intake Evening
26th - School Bank
29th - Y6 First Aid

Dear Parents

At Sharmans Cross Junior School, we value all types of reading and aim to reward children who read in different areas. This week saw the launch of the 'Really Broad Reading Awards', which celebrate a love of reading. The spirit of the Really Broad Reading Awards is best summed up by the motto: "All Reading is Good!"

These awards are a way of acknowledging the breadth of reading, or specialist reading interests. There are nine reading awards to attempt, including poetry, biographies and diaries, journalism and sports journalism! All children are welcome to participate and they can collect an information form from the library.

This week, Year 4 held their family workshops, combining English with history. They were a great success and I know that the children will produce some outstanding writing for their homework project! Here are a few comments from adults and children about the workshops:

"Great workshop- fun and informative. Thanks!"

"It was great to have the opportunity to come and sit with my child in a lesson."

"I enjoyed it and want it to happen again in Year 5!"

As you know, next week is a very important week for our Year 6 children- SATS week. The children and staff have worked extremely hard to prepare for these exams and we know that they will be fantastic! We also know that the rest of the school will be considerate and supportive during this week. Good luck Year 6!

Our trophies were awarded to:

Best class attendance: 3EP, 4TB & 6GS

Tidiest corridor: Year 6

Tidiest classroom: 3EP

Well done! Keep up the good work!

Have a great weekend,

Miss Boon

Value for the week beginning 11th May 2015

Value of the week is 'reliability'.



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PUPIL ACHIEVEMENTS

Laura Smitten, class 6CB, was successful in gaining a place in the Warwickshire County Cricket Club's under 11 squad at the weekend! She will now represent the Warwickshire Bears throughout the summer season.
Well Done Laura!!

July

- 1st - Governors' Strategy Meeting
- 1st - PTA Meeting (pm)
- 2nd - Y4 Lunt Fort Trip
- 3rd - Coffee Morning
- 3rd - School Bank
- 3rd - Summer Fair
- 6th - Y4 Lunt Fort Trip
- 7th - School Council
- 7th - Sports' Day
- 8th - Y4 Lunt Fort Trip
- 9th - Open Evening
- 10th - School Bank
- 13th - Y6 at Solihull School
- 14th - Y6 at Solihull School
- 15th - Y6 at Solihull School
- 15th - Y6 Evening Performance
- 16th - Y6 Leavers' Tea
- 16th - Y6 Leavers' Disco (pm)
- 17th - School Bank
- 17th - Y6 Leavers Assembly (pm)
- 17th - **TERM ENDS**

Well done to all Camp Hill rugby players who went on tour at the West Coast Festival of Rugby over the bank holiday weekend in Barnstaple.
Jack Linekar, Jack Farrell and Alfie Holland
from Year 4 all played some amazing rugby for the under 9's team!



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SC KIDS CLUB

SC kids are **FULL** on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> & Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> May for both breakfast and after school club.  
**Can I also appeal to those parents who may need to use the holiday club in the summer to return the recent questionnaire please? We have had very few returned so far, and a decision on whether we have enough bookings to open will have to be taken by the end of May. Further copies can be obtained from club or school reception.**

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MENCAP COFFEE MORNING

Inga Tarkowska from Mencap will be attending a coffee morning on Wednesday 3rd June at 9.00. Inga will use this opportunity to talk about SEN reforms in general and the implementation of EHC plans. Parents will also have the opportunity to ask any questions.
Hope to see lots of you there!

Jane Ferguson
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EARLY YEARS SCHOOL WEAR - COFFEE MORNING

Last Friday morning we had a very interesting coffee morning with two lovely ladies from Early Years. We discussed some of the issues that our parents have had with certain items of uniform and these were quickly rectified.  
The ladies had some very useful information about how to look after our uniform and keep it looking great for longer.

**Top Tips:**

**Always wash garments on the coolest wash possible.**

Never dry garments on radiators, which are usually hotter than your tumble dryer, as this can cause them to shrink and lose shape.

**Where possible, hang wet garments directly onto a coat hanger or lie flat to keep shape.**

Using fabric softener can affect the shape of woollen cardigans. Always wash garments at the correct temperature.

**Wash garments inside out.**

Do not iron garments. A hot iron can cause glazing and break down fibres which can result in holes.

  
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