



Shortlanesend School

Newsletter



15th September 2017

Dear Parent/Carer

The vast majority of children have all settled into school life really well. Unfortunately the weather has not been so good but hopefully will improve a little soon. We look forward to working with you and your children during this busy term.

Surf Day

Unfortunately this had to be cancelled but you will be advised of a new date soon.

St Petrocs Appeal

Your child should have bought a letter home yesterday outlining our Harvest Collection plans for this year. We will be supporting Truro charity St Petrocs. Any kind donation of food or toiletries will be greatly received from Monday. Thank you.

Camp Year 4, .5,6

Thank you to all those parents who attended the meeting and who have paid their child's deposit. Please can reply slips and deposits be returned as soon as possible, at the latest w/c 9.10.2017 to enable us to make firm bookings for travel and activities. Space is limited so we have to act promptly to avoid disappointment for the children. Any questions or concerns please call at the office.

Photographs

On Tuesday all children will have individual photographs taken during the school day. Also if you wish to have a family photo with siblings who are in school or non-school age this will be possible from 8.30am onwards. Just arrive at school with your children no pre-booking required.

Jeans for Genes Day

Next Friday our school, following a request from a parent, we will be supporting Jeans For Genes Day. The children and staff will be allowed to wear non-uniform for the day (denim if possible) for a voluntary donation (suggested amount 50p). The money raised on Jeans for Genes Day will help provide grants for day-to-day support, equipment, nursing and patient support services, and events which bring together affected children and their families.

FOSS AGM - Monday 16th October at 5.30pm

Please mark the date for your diary. More details to follow.

P.E. Kit

Can all children have tracksuit bottoms provided in their P.E kit. With the unpredictable weather, a warm P.E kit is essential.

Parents' evenings

These are scheduled for Tuesday 17th October and Thursday 19th October.

Uniform

As a reminder please do not send your child to school wearing non uniform items such as trainers, non-uniform sweatshirts or jeans (except on special non-uniform days).

Outstanding Payments

All outstanding payments for camp and School Clubs need to be paid for last terms provision. Thank you.

If you are booking a holiday make sure it coincides with school breaks. Government guidelines need to be followed regarding holidays. The calendar dates this year are below:

Date Autumn Term 2017

Tuesday 19 th September	School Photographs
Thursday 21 st September	Class 2 Storytime
Friday 22 nd September	Jeans for Genes Day
Tuesday 26 th September	Reception Year1 & 2 Harvest Assembly 2.30
Wednesday 27 th September	Year 3,4,5,6 Harvest Assembly 2.30
Thursday 28 th September	Class 3 Storytime
Thursday 5 th October	Class 4 Storytime
Tuesday 17 th and Thursday 19 th October	Parents' Evening
Monday 23 rd October	Half Term Week
Wednesday 20 th December	Last Day of Autumn Term

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Thursday 4 th January	First Day of Spring Term
Monday 12 th February	Half Term Week
Wednesday 28 th March	Last Day of Spring Term