

Overall:

1st Owls

2nd Otters

3rd Stags (joint 3rd place with Swan)

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5th Red Squirrels

6th Eagles

KS2 Performance ticket allocation

Since Monday, the KS2 classes have been working hard to create their performance of The Wind in The Willows. There is a sense of urgency, industry and purpose as scenery, props, dance, drama and singing are being prepared and perfected. Keep going everyone – it's going to be great!

A letter will come home with your KS2 child today setting out the arrangements for getting your tickets. Due to fire regulations this is a **ticket only event** - please look out for the letter so that you do not miss out.

Catering service

Thank you to those of you who were able to attend the tasting session after Sports' Day for our new caterer. Leicestershire Traded Services will be in place from September 2018. There will be no change of our three catering staff members (Miss Alderman, Mrs Clark and Ms Starte). Information about informing the service of your child's special dietary requirements relating to diagnosed food allergies is attached. This information, along with other details of the service will also be on our school website shortly. Please do attend to this important task as soon as possible. Thank you.

Packed lunches

If your child brings a packed lunch to school, please ensure that it contains appropriate, healthy food choices, as we are seeing increasing amounts of food that are not permitted in school. Please note that fizzy drinks, sweets and chocolate bars are not permitted (although a chocolate covered biscuit is permitted). Very importantly, please remember not to include anything that may contain nuts. Thank you for your support in this.

Kind regards, Mrs Evans

Moving up

The children enjoyed a part of this morning with their new class teacher and TA(s) and were all happy and busy as I went round to check on them. It was lovely also to welcome the new reception children for the first of their visits today.

Not quite retiring!

I am pleased to let you know that, though Mr Paduano is retiring from full-time class teaching, he will however be around in the school during the next year as he has agreed to cover Mr Cuff's leadership and management release time on Mondays in Year 5 and three specific weeks in the year when Mr Cuff attends Pupil Progress Review meetings. Welcome back, Mr Paduano!

Kind regards, Alison Evans

Checking for Verrucae

Please can you ensure that you check your child's feet regularly for infections such as verrucae. These are very contagious and could easily be passed on to others. This is especially important at the moment whilst the children are swimming, but any activity where the children are bare foot, e.g. PE, gymnastics, jazz dance, could result in any infection spreading. If you suspect that your

child has a verruca, please provide appropriate treatment and ensure that they bring rubber socks to wear during bare foot activities until the verruca is gone.

Photos

If you would like to order a school class or club photo and haven't yet done so, please can you hand your order slip to the office by the end of the day on Thursday.

Change to lunch menu next Tuesday (10th July)

Fish and Chips

or

Veggie fingers and Chips

or

Jacket Potato

Choc ice

Year 2 choir taster sessions

These will take place on Friday 6th July and Friday 13th July from 8.00 - 8.45am. Please do consider sending your child to join Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 to try out this very popular activity in preparation for September. The last choir session for Year 3,4,5 & 6 will take place on Friday 20th July at 8.00am.

Badminton club

On Tuesday 3rd, 10th and 17th July both groups need to attend.

School uniform orders for next September

All orders should be made on the Brigade website, www.brigade.uk.com

The current Year 5 class have chosen Royal blue sweatshirts as their Year 6 colour, so please remember to order this rather than red.

Volunteer required for Netball Club

A volunteer is required to help coach Year 5/6 alongside Mrs Crew on Mondays 3.30-4.30pm. The sessions are fun and it is rewarding to see the children's skills develop. A knowledge of netball is essential along with the requirement to attend each week and the capacity to attend occasional after-school tournaments, two of which are in May. The necessary volunteer application form, DBS checks and induction session can all be easily completed via school. For more information, please enquire at the School office or email rachel.crew@frog.co.uk

There was no celebration assembly this week due to sports day.

Payment for book bags, recorders etc.

When paying for items available from the office, please **bring the correct money** as the office does not keep any petty cash for change. Prices are as follows:

Book bags £6.00	Recorder books: £4.00	Recorders: £9 or £16	School hats: £2.50
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PTA News

PTA Challenge 2018 – COMPLETE!

Just in case you haven't already heard through Classlist or at the gate, our PTA Challengers of 2018 completed the 63 mile London to Cambridge on Sunday in 8 hours and cycling in temperatures reaching 30°C. By doing so they have raised around £1000 for school and £200 for Amnesty International. Bradley and team...THANK YOU!



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More photos here: <http://tinyurl.com/PTAChallenge18>

To all the sponsors, including Woodfines, thank you. The team have really appreciated your messages of encouragement and appreciation, and the donations. There is still time left if you would like to add your support

<https://mydonate.bt.com/fundraisers/gobradleys>.

Kids' Disco tickets

Collect your tickets from Ali Melton at pickup Weds – Fri this week. The disco is on **Monday 9th July**, KS1 4.15 – 5.30pm and KS2 5.45 – 7.15pm. Tickets £5. All children must be accompanied by an adult (max 6 children per adult). Children from other schools are welcome so please spread the word!

Be Happy. Be Busy. Be Safe. Be Healthy. Be Organised. Reflect. Celebrate. Be an Enthusiastic Learner.

Cake/Lollies at the gate this Friday!

Join Year 3 this Friday with your 50ps at the ready for cake (and possibly lollies!) at the gate.

PTA event: Monday 23rd July, 3.30 – 5pm

On Monday 23rd July the PTA are holding an event straight after school so we can all thank and say goodbye to Mrs Evans, Mr Paduano and Mrs Jenkins, and hello to Mr Grey. All parents, carers and children welcome. More info on Classlist soon!

Year Reps for 2018-19

Rep positions are already being snapped up for next year! It's a great way to get involved with your year, without having to be at school every day, and it's easier to Rep now we have Classlist. If you are tempted to get Repping this time please talk to your current Reps for more info or message me via Classlist or pta@shelfordschool.org.uk.



85% of us are now on Classlist. To join see www.classlist.com.

Maria
and the

PTA team.

Autumn Term 2018	Spring Term 2019	Summer Term 2019
Tuesday 4 th September 2018 to Wednesday 19 th December 2018 inclusive Half term Monday 22 nd October 2018 to Friday 26 th October 2018 inclusive	Thursday 3 rd January 2019 to Friday 5 th April 2019 inclusive Half term Monday 18 th February 2019 to Friday 22 nd February 2019 inclusive	Tuesday 23 rd April 2019 to Wednesday 24 th July 2019 inclusive Half term: Monday 27 th May to Friday 31 st May 2019 inclusive May Day: Monday 6 th May 2019
Shelford School Professional Development Days (INSET) on which the school is closed: 1. Tuesday 4 th September 2018 2. Wednesday 5 th September 2018 3. Thursday 3 rd January 2019 4. Friday 4 th January 2019 5. Friday 24 th May 2019		