



## SHILLINGSTONE C.E. V.A. PRIMARY SCHOOL

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### **Dates for diaries:**

#### **Friday 24<sup>th</sup> June**

Non-School uniform day – for PTA donation

Desert Class parent celebration assembly

#### **Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> June**

Ocean Class education Visit to Weymouth Sealife Centre

6pm Parent Forum meeting in school

#### **Friday 1<sup>st</sup> July**

Talent Show

#### **Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> July**

School PTA Summer Fair

#### **Monday 4<sup>th</sup> July**

Year 5 and 6 going to Sturminster Newton High School –  
Sporting Challenge Day

#### **Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> July**

Transition Day

#### **Friday 8<sup>th</sup> July**

Ocean Class Parent Celebration Assembly

#### **Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> July**

Sports Day (Back-up Sports Day is on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> July)

#### **Friday 15<sup>th</sup> July**

Woodland Class Parent Celebration Assembly

School reports out to parents

#### **Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> July**

Last day of term

2:30pm Leaver's service in Holy Rood Church

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2016

Dear parents/carers,

### **School Summer Fair - Saturday 2nd July - 12pm to 3pm**

Our summer fair this year is themed around the Queen's 90th Birthday. There will be the regular favourites of Stalls, Games, Crafts, BBQ, Teas, Bouncy Castle and Raffle.

We will also be holding a Children's British Bake Off with prizes for the winners (details to follow).

We also have a commemorative medal for every pupil which will be handed out at a Royal tea party to enjoy the cakes the children have made.

As you are aware we have a non uniform day this Friday with payment being either chocolates or sweets for the Sweet Tombola or any type of bottle for the Bottle Tombola. We would be very grateful for any raffle prizes, donations and cakes for the cake stall.

If you can spare an hour (or more) on the day to help set up or help on a stall or clear up please let either a PTA member or the office know.

Thank you for your support.

From the PTA

### **Recruitment success!**

We are pleased to announce that we have employed an experienced teacher, Victoria Panther to teach in Jungle Class in September. Mrs Bray will be teaching

on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday and Mrs Panther will be teaching on Thursday and Friday. We look forward to introducing Mrs Panther to you all on the Transition day on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> June.

### **Desert Class Parent celebration Assembly**

We look forward to welcoming all the parents/carers of children in Desert Class for their Parent Celebration Assembly. The assembly will be held in the school hall at 2:45pm. We look forward to seeing you there!

### **Ocean Class educational visit to the Weymouth Sealife Centre**

All of the children in Ocean Class are looking forward to their educational visit to the Weymouth Sealife Centre on Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> June. We would like to thank the PTA for their generous gift, which was payment for the coach to get the children to and from this trip. This is just one example of how the PTA really support our children. Many thanks to the PTA!

### **Parent Forum**

We will be holding the Parent Forum meeting on Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> June at 6pm. Please make sure that you discuss any whole school issues with your parent representatives, so that these issues can be discussed at the forum. I would be very grateful for any feedback on initiatives such as Athletics and how parents feel we can work together to ensure that our attendance figures improve.

### **Attendance matters**

Please find attached a letter regarding the whole school attendance figures.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs J. Whitehouse-Sharpe



