



SHILLINGSTONE C.E. V.A. PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dates for diaries:

Friday 1st July

Talent Show

Saturday 2nd July

School PTA Summer Fair

Monday 4th July

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

Thursday 7th July

Transition Day

Friday 8th July

Ocean Class Parent Celebration Assembly

Wednesday 13th July

Sports Day (Back-up Sports Day is on Thursday 14th July)

Friday 15th July

Woodland Class Parent Celebration Assembly

School reports out to parents

Wednesday 20th July

Last day of term

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

Wednesday 29th June 2016

Dear parents/carers,

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

Please come along to the school Summer Fair on Saturday! 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! All the money raised on the day goes directly to school and benefits every child in the school. We look forward to seeing you there!

Any donations towards the Summer Fair will be gratefully received. We would be delighted to receive any cakes, which can be brought into school on Friday. All offers of help to set up, run a stall or clear up at the end are appreciated.

Thank you for all the donations on non-school uniform day, the tombola items were very much appreciated!

Sturminster Newton Pyramid Athletics

On Tuesday we took pupils from Year 3 – 6 to the Pyramid Athletics competition, where children had the opportunity to compete against children from all the other pyramid schools. Congratulations to all the children, who represented the school, you were great ambassadors for our school. Particular

congratulations to Katie (Year 6) and Eddie (Year 3) who have qualified to compete in the County Primary Athletics in Poole on Saturday 2nd July.

Sturminster Newton Pyramid Aquathon

Well done to Maemi, Tom, Henry and Lily who represented the school at the Pyramid Aquathon, which was held at William Barnes Primary School on Tuesday after school. The children had to swim 8 lengths of the pool and then run a lap of the field. The children showed great team spirit and sportsmanship – Well done!

Sainsbury's vouchers

The deadline to hand-in Sainsbury vouchers is approaching! Please ask any family members/friends for any further vouchers, as every voucher counts towards equipment for our children. We will be sending our order on Friday 8th July. Thank you for all the vouchers received to date.

Transition day

On Thursday 7th July all of our year 6 pupils will spend the day at Sturminster Newton High School. We will also welcome our new reception children from 9:30am – 2:30pm. Current children will move up a year and our three new teachers, Mrs Hillier (Woodland Class), Mrs Clasby (Desert Class) and Mrs Panther (Jungle Class) will also join us for the day. We hope all the children enjoy experiencing their new classes and teachers.

Gardening club

Gardening club have been successfully growing lots of lovely, healthy vegetables this season. If you would be interested in sampling any of their produce, e.g. potatoes, onions, garlic, beans, lettuce etc, please would you let the office know. Small donations are gratefully received, so that we can fund future growing.

Mrs Bennett and Mrs Long

If any parents would like to contribute to leaving gifts for Mrs Bennett and Mrs Long please hand your contribution in to the school office in an envelope marked with their name on the outside.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs J. Whitehouse-Sharpe

