



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

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Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2018

### Dates for diaries:

#### **Monday 7<sup>th</sup> May**

Bank Holiday

#### **Week beginning Monday 14<sup>th</sup> May**

End of KS2 SATs

#### **Friday 18<sup>th</sup> May**

Shillingstone Primary celebrate the Royal Wedding

#### **Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May – Friday 25<sup>th</sup> May**

Year 6 residential visit to Weymouth – Outdoor Education week

#### **Friday 25<sup>th</sup> May**

Last day of Summer term 1<sup>st</sup> half

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

INSET

#### **Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> June**

Children due back in school for Summer term 2<sup>nd</sup> half

#### **Week beginning Monday 11<sup>th</sup> June**

Anti-bullying week





Dear parents/carers,

### **Attendance figures**

Whole school attendance from 6.9.17 to 27.4.18 is 96.66%

Please remember that term time holiday cannot be authorised by the head teacher – all term time holiday will be classified as unauthorised.

Attendance figures for each class:

Jungle Class – 96.33%	Woodland Class – 96.67%	Ocean Class - 96.90%	Desert Class – 95.02%
			

### **Simon Hoare MP visit**

We were thrilled to meet Simon Hoare MP on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> April. Mr Hoare visited classrooms and met with children and staff who all had a chance to ask him questions about his role in parliament. The school governors also had a chance to meet with him and discussed current issues about schools and education. We would like to thank Simon Hoare for his time.



### **Scholastic book orders**

Please remember the deadline to order any books through the Shillingstone Scholastic book club is Friday 11<sup>th</sup> May.

### **Royal wedding celebrations – Friday 18<sup>th</sup> May**

The whole school will be celebrating the wedding of Prince Harry and Meghan Markle on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> May. All children are invited to come into school in their wedding guest outfits. Mrs Rawlinson will be sharing a ‘mock wedding’ with the children and there will be a street party afterwards with cake and squash provided by the PTA. We hope all the children enjoy the celebrations. Please be aware that hot school lunches will be served as usual.

**Junior cricket at Shillingstone Cricket Club**

Shillingstone Cricket Club welcomes all boys and girls to go along and play on the local recreation ground throughout the Summer. Qualified coaches will welcome you and there is opportunity throughout the season (May-July) to play competitive matches. They run an Under 11 and Under 9 age group. Training takes place every Friday, starting on April 20<sup>th</sup>.

U9s (Year 3 and 4) 6:30pm – 7:30pm

U11s (Year 5 and 6) 6:30pm – 8pm

Contact: Louise Edwards 01258 861044/07977194553

**Maypole Nursery 1<sup>st</sup> Year Anniversary**

Maypole Nursery will be celebrating their 1<sup>st</sup> year Anniversary on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> May. They will be holding a fun day between 11:30am – 2:30pm with face painting, a bubble workshop, picnics and tuck shop. Everyone is welcome.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs J. Whitehouse-Sharpe

