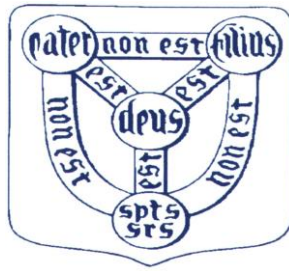


# Shellingford CE (A) Primary School

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"Inspiring hearts and minds"

School Newsletter

Summer Term Six 2024 - Issue 3

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*Value for the next two weeks: Our School Vision and Values*

'Roots and foundation in love'

- Ephesians 3:17-18

Dear Shellingford School Family,

Welcome back to the final term of the school year. We hope you all had a lovely half-term week and managed to find some time to rest and relax together as a family.

During the next two weeks we are thinking about our school's vision, 'roots and foundation in love' (Ephesians 3: 17-18), to inspire and guide our hearts and minds. In our Collective Worship and as part of daily activities and interactions we will be reminding ourselves that the best roots we can have can be provided by Jesus and demonstrated by the way we show love for other people. We hope that this will become the foundation of our lives to enable us to grow into good people.

Our **MATHS OPEN MORNING** was a real success just before half-term and we would like to thank parents for attending and supporting their children:



## **SUMMER TERM SIX EVENTS**

This term is always busy with transition visits, sporting activities and our KS2 summer production. I have included a list of diary dates at the very end of this newsletter as a reminder of school events scheduled to take place. Please check your emails regularly as well as the children's book-bags, the FoSS Facebook page and noticeboards displayed at the front of the school for further information.

Please also remember to look at our school website. It is a source of information for parents as well as for prospective families or visitors to gain information about the school. All our latest newsletters, diary dates and school news, school term dates, key school policies and curriculum information can be found at [www.shellingford.oxon.sch.uk](http://www.shellingford.oxon.sch.uk)

## **WHOLE SCHOOL CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY – Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June (2.30 – 3.00pm)**

Our next whole school Celebration Assembly this term is taking place next Friday at 2.30pm. Each class will be sharing some of their recent learning and all parents are welcome to attend. Please also support the FoSS stall on the green at the end of the school day.

## **MARY ARDEN'S FARM – Whole School Visit – Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> June**

We are looking forward to taking the whole school to Mary Arden's Farm to conclude our William Shakespeare work. Please remember all children will need to be at school by **8.15am**. They will need to wear full school uniform, bring a packed lunch in a disposable bag, a water bottle, and a waterproof coat/suncream and sun hat. The children will arrive back at school at **4.30pm** and we ask parents to collect promptly at this time.

**One of our highlights this term is our**

## **SUMMER FUN DAY**



**SATURDAY 15TH JUNE 11.00am – 3.00pm**

**FoSS are working tirelessly behind the scenes to raise money for the school and our children. FoSS are currently fundraising to help pay towards the costs of coach transport for school trips, workshops here in school and to purchase some classroom interactive whiteboards.**

**Please come and show your support at this event.**

**Each class will be performing, and we ask all children to be present at the following times:**

- **CLASS 3 & 4 – 12.30pm**
- **CLASSES 1 & 2 – 1.00pm**

**Thank you everyone.**

### **STAFFING UPDATE**

Mrs Elliott will be leaving us at the end of the Summer Term and we would like to wish her well in her new job. We are really delighted to announce that we have appointed Miss Villar who will be returning to our school as from September. Miss Villar will be again teaching Class 1 with Mrs Setchell. will be a great asset to our school and we are delighted that she will be re-joining the team. We will also be very sad to say farewell to Mrs Spencer at the end of the year and we wish her all the very best.

### **FOUNDATION STAGE VISITS AND SEPTEMBER 2024 ARRANGEMENTS**

We are holding two whole school transition sessions to coincide with our visiting new Foundation Stage children this term. These sessions will give all children a 'taster' of their new class in September as well as maintaining quality teaching and learning time across the school.

Teachers and classes from September are currently planned as:

Class 1 (FS) Mrs Setchell (3 days) and Miss Villar (2 days)

Class 2 (Y1/2) Mrs Roberts

Class 3 (Y3/4) Mrs Merritt (4 days) and Miss Long (1 day)

Class 4 (Y5/6) Mrs Sucksmith

### **ANNUAL REPORTS**

Finally, Teachers are busy writing the children's end of year reports. Reports will be sent out to parents on Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June.

With best wishes,

Judith R Terrell

**DIARY DATES FOR SUMMER TERM SIX:**

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1	Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> June	Summer Term Six begins (school opens at 8.45am)
		All Classes: Faringdon Tennis Club sessions (weekly)
	Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> June	New Parents meeting for September 2024 Reception children (3.30 – 4.30pm)
	Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> June	Class 3: OCMS Violin lessons (weekly)
		FoSS: Events Meeting (7.30pm) – venue TBC
2	Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> June (pm)	Class 3: TA Sports Stars (weekly)
	Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> June	Whole School Event: ShWimbledon Tennis Tournament
		School Council Meeting
	Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> June (all day)	Whole School Visit: Mary Arden's Farm, Wilmcote
	Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> June (2.30 – 3.00pm)	Whole School Event: Celebration Assembly & FoSS Stall
	Saturday 15 <sup>th</sup> June (11.00 – 3.00pm)	FoSS: Summer Fun Day
3	Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> June (pm)	New Reception children visit
		FoSS: Annual General Meeting (6.30pm)
4	Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> June	Last week of After-School Clubs
	Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup> June (pm)	New Reception children visit and FoSS teas
	Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> June	Annual Reports sent out to Parents
5	Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July (pm)	New Reception children visit and school transition session
	Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> July	SEN Consultations (all day)
6	Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> July (6.15pm)	KS2 Summer Production
	Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> & Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6: FCC Transfer Days
	Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> July	KS2 Summer Production (6.15pm)
	Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> July (pm)	New Reception children visit and school transition session
	Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> July	Y5: FCC Flight Day
7	Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> July (1.15pm)	KS2 Sports Day
	Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> July (1.15pm)	EYFS / KS1 Sports Day
	Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> July (12noon – 1.00pm)	FoSS: Year 6 Leavers BBQ
8	Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July (2.00pm)	Year 6 Leavers' Service at St Faith's Church, Shellingford
	Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> July	End of school year (school closes at 1.30pm for the summer holidays)