



# Shavington Primary School

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# Weekly Newsletter



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# Important Information

<p><u>Monday</u> <u>9th July</u></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Year 5 residential to Whitemore Lakes</li> <li>• Year 4 @ High School (Forensic Science visit)</li> <li>• 2-3pm New Reception drop in sessions</li> <li>• 4pm Yrs3, 4 &amp; 6 Cross Country @ Vagrants</li> </ul>
<p><u>Tuesday</u> <u>10th July</u></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Year 4, 5 &amp; 6 swim 25m catch up programme.</li> <li>• Yr6 to visit St John's Church 9am</li> </ul>
<p><u>Wednesday</u> <u>11th July</u></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Year 5 return from Whitemore Lakes residential</li> <li>• 10-11am New Reception drop in sessions</li> <li>• 3.30-5pm Parents evening drop in sessions. Teachers will be available for parents to "drop in" to discuss their child's end of year report and progress should they wish to do so. All teachers will be in their classrooms during the stated times. You do not need to book an appointment</li> </ul>
<p><u>Thursday</u> <u>12th July</u></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9.10am Yr 2 Parents assembly in KS1 Hall.</li> <li>• 9.30-12.30 - Yr 6 to Police custody unit in Crewe.</li> <li>• Yr. 5 taking part in Primary College.</li> <li>• 6.30-8.30pm Yr 6 Prom @ Wychwood Park</li> </ul>
<p><u>Friday</u> <u>13th July</u></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Whole School dress down day in exchange for a small prize for the Summer Fair Tombola.</li> </ul>
<p><u>General</u></p>	<p><b><u>Midday Assistants x 3</u></b> Please see the website for details of the above vacant positions.</p> <p><b><u>Sports Day</u></b> Thank you to all our parents who came along to support our traditional Sports Day. The sun was certainly shining! Thank goodness for gazebos! This year we did ask parents to not take personal photos as we would be taking and uploading a selection to our website. This was included in the weekly newsletter and announced at the start of our sports day. We do have a social media policy which is available to all parents on the school website which states:</p> <p>"Parents must not post pictures of pupils, other than their own children, on social networking sites where these photographs have been taken at a school event".</p> <p>Of course we appreciate that parents may want to take personal photos of their own child but at an event such as sports day where we have the whole school on view it becomes increasingly difficult to take single photos and not include other people's children in such photos. There are certain safeguarding rules in place that we have to adhere to and I appreciate parent's support with this.</p> <p>I thank all parents who supported us with this decision this year and enjoyed the event with us. It was great to see all our children participate in a variety of races and cheer each other on in their houses.</p>



# *Important Information*

<u>Dates</u>	Please see the calendar section of the school website for all up and coming dates. The calendar is colour coded so you can easily identify events that are relevant to your child/children.
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### Nursery—Miss Wilks

This week has been a busy one! We've had next years new nursery children visiting - everyone was really nice and friendly to them. We also had our last stay and play of the year! Thank you everyone who came. Sport's day is this Friday morning, the children have been practicing a lot and they are super excited. We've also been making maps to be pirates, using scissors and glue before rolling them up. On Wednesday afternoon (while Reception were on their trip) we took the opportunity to play in Reception's classroom. The children were really good and enjoyed the new toys.

### Reception—Mrs Earl, Mrs Hurst & Mrs Smalley

We have had a very exciting week in Reception.

First of all the children have loved pretending to be commentators at the football world cup in our role play. They have been great at using the microphones and asking questions.

The children have also had the opportunity to learn some football skills by playing football on the school field. After practising some skills the children were split into two teams to play a game. They also had the chance to play subuteo football in the classroom. At first this was a little bit tricky but the children enjoyed flicking the player to kick the ball.

We have been learning some facts about some countries taking part in the world cup. They have been counting in Spanish and learning some flamenco dance moves. They learnt how to say hello and goodbye in Russian. The children also learnt about some of the customs from Brazil.

Our trip to Delamere was amazing. The children were beautifully behaved and we were very proud of them. They all went on a walk and some even found the Gruffalo! They all loved going on a bug hunt and founds lots of different creatures.

The children enjoyed showing their parents the homework they had done – it is fantastic. Thank you for your support in helping the children with this wonderful work.

We had lots of fun in our sports day in all the different races. Again thank you for supporting us at this event.

Have a great weekend!

### Year 1— Mrs Bloor, Mrs Rivers & Mrs Hunter & Mrs Gawn

Year 1 have been busy with lots of alphabet activities this week. We have sung songs about the alphabet, played alphabet games and practised writing the alphabet.

In Maths, we have been looking at place value and using the “greater than”, “less than” and “equals” signs.

Rev. Den came into school on Monday to talk to us about moving to our new classes in September. We enjoyed singing songs and she even bought some sweets for the staff!

We all enjoyed Sports Day this morning – thank you to everyone who came to support us. Well done to all the Year 1's for taking part in the races so enthusiastically.

Please can we remind you to send in Chester Zoo replies as soon as possible. Thank you and have a lovely weekend.

### Year 2—Miss Simms

Wow! What a week we have had in year 2! We spent the first two days of the week in Castleton. The children were all absolutely amazing and so grown up. We had lots of fun doing archery, team challenges, candle making, egg rocket launching, walking up to a castle....and lots of eating and talking. I am trying to put as many photos as I can onto the blog, so keep checking for new photos that are being added!

This week we have also started practising for our class assembly. The children are enjoying looking back over the year and thinking about all the fun things we have been doing. Our assembly is on Thursday (12th July).

Today was sports day and the children all had a great attitude towards the races and showed some fantastic team spirit.

Due to our very busy week, we have not done spellings or reading focuses this week.

Have a lovely weekend!



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### Year 3—Miss Chapman & Mrs Watson

This week in Year 3 we have been designing our spy gadgets. We have had to think carefully about how we are going to disguise it, what materials we will use to create it and how each function will work. In maths, we have been looking at analogue and digital time in 3C, trying to convert between the two. In 3W, we have been exploring mass and capacity by imagining that we are greengrocers and selling fruit and vegetables in the shop. We have celebrated homework on Thursday. Thank you for everyone who brought in their homework. There have been some fantastic pieces!

### Year 4—Mr Hazeldine

In English, we have been creating our setting and gadgets. Some really imaginative ideas for the creation of the gadgets which is fab.

We have been looking at properties of triangles and quadrilaterals in Maths. Some really brilliant pieces of work with this. Keep up the good work.

In Re, we have been looking at why people pray and we have focused on how Muslims pray.

Well done to everyone today! A great sports day. Excellent memory regarding hats and bottles. Brilliant!

Have a great weekend!

### Year 5—Miss Spencer

Well done to all Year 5 for their incredible music performance and thanks to everyone who came to watch us. I am sure you all agree that they were all fantastic! Year 5 pupils are able to continue learning to play a brass instrument - please have a look at the letter online.

In maths, we have been learning all about coordinates and translation and reflection of shapes.

In English, we have been using DASH? to write another paragraph; this time we wrote our paragraph using Jungle Book characters. The work they produced was fantastic!

Year 5's catch up swimming lessons are going really well and everyone is really progressing with their swimming skills.

We have seen some fabulous homework this term. Thank you for coming and celebrating our home learning with us!

Well done to everyone who took part in Sport's Day!

### Year 6 - Miss Brock

This week in Year 6 we have had more children attend their transition days. I hope that these have all been very successful and that they are now looking forward to their new start in September.

We have spent this week rehearsing for our performance, gathering props and sorting costumes. I will be uploading a list of costumes that we will be asking the children to contribute towards – some of these things are items of clothing that they already have. Please can any clothes or props brought into school be labelled with the child's name. Thank you for your support. **A reminder that the tickets are available to be booked online.**

We have also spent time working in our groups on our enterprise projects. The children will be selling their products at the Summer Festival on the 20<sup>th</sup> July and have been asked if they can man their stalls. I will send out a letter with further details next week.

In our PE sessions, we have been practising for Sports Day. Please see the blog for some photos.

Year 6 have participated in their last Sports Day at Shavington Primary School this week and have loved it! Well done for all of your participation and good sportsmanship!

We are looking forward to our visit to Crewe LPU next week! Please make sure all slips are returned to the office prior to our trip.

I hope you have a lovely, sunny weekend.



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# Star of the Week



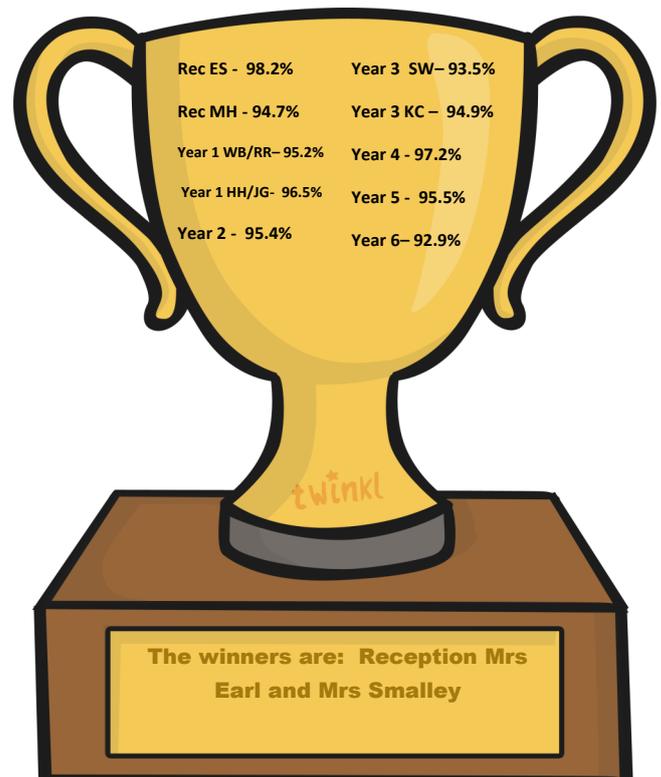
Class	Teacher	Pupil	Achievement
Reception	Mrs Earl/Mrs Smalley		NO STARS OF THE WEEK THIS WEEK
Reception	Mrs Hurst		BACK NEXT WEEK
Year 1	Mrs Hunter/Mrs Gawn		
Year 1	Mrs Bloor/Mrs Rivers		
Year 2	Miss Simms		
Year 3	Mrs Watson		
Year 3	Miss Chapman		
Year 4	Mr Hazeldine		
Year 5	Miss Spencer		
Year 6	Miss Brock		

We are on **Week 3** for dinners next week (W/C 09.07.18)

## The Golden Table

No Golden Table  
because of Sports  
Day.  
Back Next Week

## Attendance



## Sports Personality of the Week



KS1: NO SPORTS PERSONALITIES

KS2: