
Friday 23rd July 2021

Shebbear Community School

Newsletter

Welcome to the last newsletter of not only this term but also the academic year!

On behalf of all of the Shebbear Community School Staff Team, we wish you a relaxing and happy summer holidays and look forward to seeing you again on Tuesday 7th September 2021.

Mrs Gough and Mrs Hawker

Year 6 Leavers: We were sad to say goodbye to our Year 6 leavers this morning – but what a fantastic assembly they gave us. We wish them all well at GTS next year – we know that they are ready for the next step of their academic journey and will succeed at whatever they want to do. Keep in touch and come back to visit. We must also say a massive thank you to all of the Year 6 children and their families for the incredibly generous gift of a 'Buddy Bench' for the playground and the beautiful flowers and gifts for all of the staff. We know that the bench will be well used for many years to come. Mr Alford was pleased to be able to join them for a Zoom call after the assembly.

Whole School Visit to Roadford Lake Activity Centre: Despite being one of the hottest days of the year, we were able to all enjoy a brilliant trip to Roadford Lake on Wednesday. We had thought the challenge would be some of the activities they were doing, but keeping cool was the biggest one!

Cup Assembly: This was held yesterday afternoon – well done to all of our cup and award winners – please see the side column for details of this year's winners.

Saints South West (SSW): Please see the link below to book for after school football club next term. Unless we have a willing parent



Upcoming Events

September 7

First day of Autumn Term.

Cup & Award Winners:

Reception – Mason

Year 1 – Darcie

Year 2 – Oakley H

Year 3 – Annie K

Year 4 – Ellie

Year 5 – Cody

Year 6 – Lexi

Year 6 – Ryan

Positive Attitude to School – Adam

Spirit of Devon (Friendship) –

Reuben and Buster

Sportsmanship - Zak

volunteer the numbers will revert to being capped at 16, so it will be first come first served:

Friday 10th September - Friday 10th December (excluding Half Term)

Booking Link: <https://saints-southwest.class4kids.co.uk/info/876>

School Uniform: Most of the order has arrived and been distributed with the exception of some of the fleeces and cardigans which are yet to come. If you were expecting any items but they have not been sent home then please contact the school office.

Photos: We have experienced a few problems with the photos this time. Koala class should be complete now and the revised link was sent out to parents and carers earlier today. The deadline for any of the group photos is next Wednesday 28th July so if you do want to order please make sure you do so by then.

Swimming: We will be swimming weekly from next term and the sessions will take place on Monday afternoons. Koala class will be going first with the first session being Monday 13th September. More details will be circulated next term.

Wildlife Competition: We are pleased to let you know that the winners are:

Photography	-	1 st Otto (ladybird photo)
		2 nd Ashleigh (snail photo)
Picture	-	1 st Reuben (foxgloves picture)
		2 nd Casey (ducks picture)

Both winners received a £5 Amazon gift voucher, with the runners-up receiving a bar of chocolate.

Thank you: To everyone who has kindly given end of term gifts to the staff – your generosity is so very much appreciated by us all. Thank you also to Raya's family for the donation of a complete set of Harry Potter books for the school library. We wish all our leavers happiness and success.

Thank you also to Mrs Quance, who once again has planted up the tubs and make a lovely splash of colour for us all to enjoy during breaktimes.

And a final, massive thank you to Andrew Goode, chair of the resources committee. He has been involved with Shebbear Community School for many, many years (even longer than Mrs Whiting and Mrs Hawker!) and has gallantly accepted a number of jobs to carry out over the holidays to improve and enhance the school – we are so grateful for his help and support over such a long time.



Year 6 Leavers' Assembly