



Shute Primary School Newsletter

Friday 12th January 2024

Star of the Week

Our Star of the Week are:

Pre-School	Henry S
Squirrel	Theo
Fox	Darcy & Jasper
Hedgehog	Edward & Isla B
Badger	Evie & Alex



Well done to you all!

Golden Rules Reward

These children have done really well following the Golden Rules this week and have had their reward with Mr Marriott.

Squirrel	Arfie
Fox	Bluebell
Hedgehog	RB
Badger	LG



Well done to you all!

Biscuit Club – SAT's Revision

There are still places on Mr Germscheid and Mr Marriott's SAT's Revision Club. The club is known as 'Biscuit Club' and will run throughout the Spring Term starting on Wednesday 17th January from 3.30pm until 4.30pm. The club is aimed at the Year 6 children, focussing on Maths, grammar and reading comprehension.

Please let the school office know if you would like your child to attend these revision sessions in preparation for their SAT's in May.

Depending on the uptake from the year 6 children, this club is also available to the year 5's, but priority will obviously be given to the year 6's.

PTFA News

Easyfundraising - update

Many thanks to all the parents or family members who have signed up and are using the easyfundraising app to generate money for our school as you shop. So far we have raised £350.94 for the school!

If you haven't signed up yet, please do so, it's the easiest and quickest way to support the school.

You can use it to shop online at over 8,000 brands including Amazon, Ebay, Argos, H&M, Waitrose, Morrisons, Sainsburys, Tesco, Shein, Boots, Boden Not on the High Street, the list goes on....

Download the easyfundraising app today and start supporting our PTFA:
https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/easyfundraising-app?utm_campaign=pmc&utm_source=facebook&utm_medium=social&utm_content=ptaoctgiveaway-fb1

Mr Marriott has informed us that the old timber play area at school desperately needs to be replaced but the replacement cost is likely to be in the order of £10,000.

The PTFA intend to run a number of specific events during the course of the year - such as the ones above - to try to raise as much of the total as possible, but we also decided that we would relaunch easyfundraising as a means of enabling parents and others to raise funds for the school without very much effort at all!

You download the app and then whenever you make a purchase through certain connected sites, those sites will pay over a small percentage to your PTFA for nothing! In some cases (such as Amazon) you go through the app to the site to want to use which adds only a couple of seconds to the transaction. For most sites

though, once you have downloaded the app, the donation taking place automatically.

When new supporters raise £5, easyfundraising will give Shute Community Primary School another free £5!

Signing up for the app is quick and easy, it takes a matter of seconds! Once you have downloaded the app, you just have to link it to our cause, Shute Community Primary School and then you're good to go.

Message from the Treasurer

Please note that we do not under any circumstances accept IOUs or give credit at any PTFA fayres, sales or other events. Payment can be made by card machine or cash. Thank you for your understanding.

Have a great weekend.

Thanks

The PTFA team

Diary Dates

Thursday 18th January – Height & Weight Measuring for Rec and Year 6

Tuesday 30th January – Vision Screening for reception children

Wednesday 31st January – Animal Experience for whole school

Friday 9th February – Last day of first half of Spring term

Monday 19th February – Second half of Spring term

Wednesday 21st to Friday 23rd February – Year 3/4 Residential to Hooke Court

Thursday 28th March – Last day of Spring Term

Monday 15th April – Non Pupil Day

Tuesday 16th April – Start of Summer term

Monday 6th May – May Day Bank Holiday

Friday 24th May – Last day of first half of Summer term

Monday 3rd June – Second half of Summer term

Wednesday 19th to Friday 21st June – Year 5/6 Residential to Adventure Okehampton

Tuesday 23rd July – Last day of Summer term