

# Newsletter

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Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2019

## Shipleigh CE Primary School

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE FIGURES w/e 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2019  
SYCAMORES =100% ASH =95% OAKS =94%, WILLOWS =100%

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### Dates for your Diary

Friday 29<sup>th</sup> March

Weald Multisports Event

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> April

FOSS Friendship Friday

Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> April to

Sycamores - Horsham Junior Citizen

Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> April

Easter Holidays

Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April

Return to School and Easter Service at Church at 10.30am

### Oaks at the 'Little Big Sing'



On Wednesday morning, Oaks went to Billingshurst Primary School to take part in the 'Little Big Sing'. They were part of a mass choir which included six other local schools. They had been very busy learning 3 songs, one of which they shared at their Sharing Assembly recently. It was a wonderful morning and the children were really engaged. We were called, "the smiliest school I've ever seen." As Mrs Simpson likes actions to help the children learn the words, we had actions for all 3 songs. One of them was used to teach all of the other children. Shipleigh were full of enthusiasm and keen to demonstrate. Here we are singing on our own to the rest of the schools.



Mrs Simpson was extremely proud of the children as they remembered all of the words and actions and sang beautifully. Well done Oaks.

## Ash Dance Festival at The Capitol

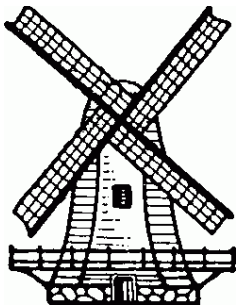


On Tuesday, Ash class performed two dances in the Horsham Schools Dance Festival at The Capitol theatre in Horsham. They had been working extremely hard on the dances since the middle of the Autumn term and practised every week. They have absolutely loved the experience and the buzz of performing on stage. Mrs Fuller is incredibly proud of them all and how hard they have worked to make their performances so fantastic. It was a truly memorable occasion for both staff and children. Well done Ash class.

The event was sold out and the audience loved it. Thank you to Mrs Fuller for choreographing the dances and for Mrs Bell helping backstage. Well done Ash for being so brave and performing with such joy on the big stage.

**Easter Service - Tuesday 23rd April at 10.30am** The first day back after the holidays, the whole school is off to church. The service starts at 10.30am and everyone is welcome to join us. If you would like to walk down to school with us, please be at school at 10am.

### After school club



The pilot scheme for our new after school club 'Windmills' starts next week on 26<sup>th</sup> March. It will run on a Tuesday after school and child care will be available until 5pm. If you would like more details please contact the office or read about it on our website at

<http://www.shipleyceprimary.com/windmills-after-school-club.html>

### Clubs Next Half Term

The clubs form will be sent out next week. Some of the clubs have changed days next term. This is because we have changed the day the staff have their CPD training to a Thursday in order to include staff who work at the end of the week. We apologise for any inconvenience. Clubs are always well attended and we have tried to include a range so there is something to suit all interests. The clubs will be as follows:

Monday	Arts and Craft	Basketball
Tuesday	Gymnastics	Stay and Play with Board Games
Wednesday	Gardening	Tennis
Thursday	Multi Sports	Fun with Phonics (by invitation)



### Bags of Support

Raised a fantastic £140 for FOSS. Thank you everyone.





Including the donation from Just Brownies we raised  
£134.93 - thank you

### House challenge



The children competed brilliantly in the inter-schools sports challenge as part of our Comic relief fun. The team work and camaraderie was really noticeable - well done to all the teams who competed in table tennis, skipping and the jumping challenges. In the end it was Bramber House who gained the most points and took the cup.



### Ecobricks from Unrecyclable Plastic

Miss Richardson and some of the children from Ash Class will be in the playground after school on Monday and Tuesday showing parents how to make ecobricks with unrecyclable plastic. We'd really like it if parents would have a look so they can try to make one at home to contribute so the children can build something with them in forest school.



### Tesco Bags of Help Tokens

Please mention it to all your friends and family.

### Reading Rewards

Thank you for supporting your children with their reading. The following children have their certificate and bookmarks:

**Ruby:** Willows - Emily B,

**Emerald:** Oaks - Will,

**Amethyst:** Willows - Noah, Alice, Oaks - Tess, Jonah, Ash - Valentino,

**Diamond:** Willows - Siennagrace, Oaks - Eve, Ash - Grace, Sycamores - Esther

**Visit to the Wormery:** Willows - Bunny, Oaks - Max, Ash - Florence,

## GOLDEN BOOK



### WILLOWS

GRACIE for amazing models with magnets.

SONNY for a fantastic numicon pattern which he then copied onto paper.

### OAKS

EDITH for working really hard in Maths.

BUDDY for fantastic answers in Science.

### ASH

All of ASH class for their AMAZING dance performance at The Capitol.

### SYCAMORES

Daisy, Josh and Connor for working hard on some tricky Maths.

## GOLDEN TICKET WINNER

All the golden tickets are put into a weekly draw. This week's winner is Katie.

### Finally - Farewell

We say goodbye to Miss Cuillinan -Jones, the student teacher in Oaks who has now finished her placement. Thank you for all your hard work.

*Kind regards*

*Mrs Jen Harvey & Mrs Karen Stocker*