



Shorne C of E Primary School

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Ready, set...Summer!



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A message from Miss Hewett

Dear Parents, Carers and Members of the Shorne School Community,

As we come to the end of another wonderful school year, I would like to take this opportunity to thank you all for your continued support and to reflect on what has been another busy, successful and memorable year for our school.

This final term has certainly been one of our busiest! Our children have enjoyed a wide range of exciting opportunities, including educational visits, sleepovers, netball matches, balance bike competition, sports days, school productions and performances, all of which have allowed them to develop confidence, resilience and lasting friendships. A particular highlight has been the residential visit for our pupils in Years 3, 4, 5 and 6, where they embraced every challenge with enthusiasm and represented our school brilliantly. Year 4 also did a brilliant job raising money for charity!



To our wonderful Year 6 pupils, we wish you every success as you move on to the next stage of your educational journey. You leave us with many happy memories and have been excellent role models for our younger pupils. We are incredibly proud of everything you have achieved and know that you will continue to thrive in your new schools.

As we say goodbye to Year 6, we also say farewell to a number of families whose children have been part of the Shorne community for many years. Many of you have supported the life of the school through volunteering, fundraising, attending events and championing our community. Your contribution has been invaluable, and we are incredibly grateful for everything you have done over the years.



GOODBYE

Whilst we celebrate all that has been achieved, we also remain committed to continually improving. We will continue to monitor and develop teaching and learning across the school, striving to provide the very best education and opportunities for every child as we look ahead to the next academic year. We are especially grateful to the Trust for the investment in our new windows and doors, which have made such a positive difference to our learning environment.

Our fundraising efforts this term have been amazing, and we are truly grateful for all your support.

The 5k Muddy Run for Cancer Research raised a total of £1521.14 and the Bear Fundraising Week for ellenor raised £622!



**THANK YOU
SO MUCH!**



My thanks also go to our fantastic Friends of Shorne (FOSS), whose enthusiasm, hard work and commitment have once again raised an incredible amount of money to enhance the experiences and opportunities available to our children. Your fundraising makes a real and lasting difference to our school.

I would like to make a special mention to Sophie Harbert, who is stepping down as Chair of FOSS. Sophie has given so much of her time, energy and passion to supporting our school community, and we are incredibly grateful for all that she has done. On behalf of everyone at the school, I would like to thank her for her dedication, commitment and leadership, and wish her every happiness and success for the future.



Finally, I would like to thank our dedicated staff, our governors, our volunteers, our Trust, our Friends of Shorne, our families and, most importantly, our amazing children. It is a privilege to be part of such a caring, supportive and inspiring school community, and I am immensely proud of everything we have achieved together this year. We would like to say goodbye and good luck to our trainee teacher Mr Morrison, and also goodbye to our Year 1 teacher Mrs Wanmer.

I wish you all a safe, restful and enjoyable summer break. We look forward to welcoming you back in September for another year of learning and growth.

With best wishes,



Miss T Hewett
HEAD OF SCHOOL



Celebrating a year of **SPORTING SUCCESS**

Thank you to everyone who came along to support the children at our Festival of Sport! The children were absolutely fantastic and worked incredibly hard throughout the day. It was wonderful to see so much determination, teamwork and encouragement on display.



Havisham won the house cup!

Sports Day points:

Copperfield - 1797

Havisham - 2170

Nickleby - 1988

Pickwick - 1840



Sports Person of the Year for each year!

Sportsperson of the Year is a special award given to someone who has shown outstanding commitment, effort, and attitude in sport throughout the year. This person always tries their best, supports others, shows great teamwork, and represents the school with pride. It's not just about winning – it's about showing a true love for sport and being a positive role model to others. This is for sport both in and outside of school.

R - Isla

1 - Florence G

2 - Theo

3 - Tilly

4 - William

5 - Sidney

6 - Beth and Charlie



Trust Athletics - We came 5th out of 11 schools and were only 10 points off 4th! Amazing work by all involved - Beth throwing a trust record in the javelin!

Team Shorne played their final league game against Singlewell Primary. The netball played was outstanding and we won 4-0!



In June, Year 3 and 4 beat Singlewell 1-0 in the final to win the Sullivan Shield!



Shorne's StAR Awards

	RESILIENCE 	COMMUNITY 	RESPECT 
Year R	Dua	Zalan	Daisy
Year 1	Dhaiya	Izzy	Lara
Year 2	Harry	Ellis	Theo
Year 3	Isabella	Lennie	Parker
Year 4	Noah	Sophia	Oliver C
Year 5	Louisiana	Drew	Ella
Year 6	Emily	Thomas	Molly



Our StAR Award winners!



Accelerated Reader Achievements:

This term, we have read a grand total of:

4,457,013 words!

Our readers who have read the most words per class this term are:

2 - Theo C - 67,649

3 - Georgie - 332,295

4 - Ben - 151,792

5 - Primrose - 219,902

6 - Matthew - 220,900





Diary Dates

Keep up-to-date
with our news and
events on our
Facebook page!



Key Dates - Term 1

Tuesday 1st September	Staff Development Day
Wednesday 2nd September	Staff Development Day
 Thursday 3rd September	Term 1 begins
Friday 25th September	Staff Development Day
Thursday 22nd October	Term 1 ends
Monday 2nd November	Staff Development Day
Tuesday 3rd November	Term 2 begins
Friday 18th December	Term 2 ends



Getting Into Teaching

We would like to remind our school family that we are part of a school-based programme to train to be a teacher. If you or someone you know has a degree and is interested in training to be a teacher, either here at Shorne or at another local primary or secondary schools, do get in touch; enquire in school or send an email to our teacher training lead, Laura on: bunnyl@aletheiatruster.org.uk.