



### **MESSAGE FROM THE HEADTEACHER**

Last week was predominantly occupied by the National Curriculum Tests for Year 6 pupils. I have been so impressed with how the children have approached their SATs with a high level of maturity and they have certainly tried their very best. We feel enormously proud of their achievements to date and I would like to thank the Year 6 team for all their hard work in helping to prepare them for the tests, as well as all of the important transition activities they will do with them in these last few weeks at our school. Parents will receive the results of the SATs tests at the end of the term with pupils' end of year academic reports.

### **INSET DAY**

A reminder that on Friday (22<sup>nd</sup> May) school will be closed for an inset day.

### **TICKS**

As the weather gets warmer and children spend more time outdoors, it's important to stay vigilant for ticks. Ticks are tiny spider-like creatures commonly found in grassy areas, woodlands, and parks, and they can sometimes carry infections such as Lyme disease. After outdoor activities, it's a good idea to check your child's skin carefully for ticks, paying close attention to areas such as behind the knees, around the waist, under the arms, and along the hairline. If a tick is found, it should be removed promptly using fine-tipped tweezers or a tick removal tool. Most tick bites are harmless but it's important to be vigilant.

### **SCHOOL CAPS**

If your child requires a green school cap please purchase one via Scopay and then come into the School Office to collect. Please ensure caps are named as they easily get mixed up!

### **HASLEMERE FRINGE**

Haslemere Fringe Festival has invited Shottermill Junior School students to help create a colourful community art installation. They're asking everyone to decorate any old CDs, DVDs or gaming discs using paints, pens, stickers, glitter — anything you like. Children can write their name, their school, or simply create a design that makes them smile. The decorated discs will be displayed around Haslemere and at the Fringe Festival itself!

If families have spare CDs at home and are happy to donate them, please send them into school (without cases) so they can be shared with others. Please return finished CDs to the School Office by Friday 12th June.

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## PTFA NEWS

Mufti day – On Thursday (21<sup>st</sup> May) children are invited to wear home clothes for the day. The PTFA are asking for a 31 donation, which can be paid on Scopay. Thank you for your support.

## WELL DONE

A HUGE well done to Reuben in Year 3 who ran a 2.5km inflatable fun run to raise money for the charity Growing Hope Farnham. He has raised an astonishing £2,813 so far (<https://www.justgiving.com/page/daniel-gilderson-4>). Well done Reuben – what an amazing achievement and what a huge amount of money you have raised for charity. Growing Hope Farnham is a charity that provides free support and therapy for children with additional needs and their families.



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# Half Term Fun



## WILD THINGS FOREST SCHOOL

at Shottermill Junior School

**TUES 26TH MAY & WEDS  
27TH MAY 2026  
10AM- 4PM**

£45 per child, 10%  
discount for booking both  
days. Includes snacks and  
a hot drink

[Wildthingsforestschoollclub@gmail.com](mailto:Wildthingsforestschoollclub@gmail.com)



### WILD THINGS FOREST CAMP

There are still a few places remaining on the half-term Wild Things Forest camp. Running on Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> May (10am-4pm) here at Shottermill Junior School. If your child would enjoy cooking on a fire, whittling, making forest crafts and playing games this is a great camp for them!

### ATTENDANCE

In each newsletter we will be congratulating the three classes with the highest attendance figures. Although we do appreciate all children from time to time do get poorly and this cannot be helped, we feel it is important to celebrate the classes who have the highest attendance.

4ZH - 97.2%

3N and 4M - 97%

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## DIARY DATES FOR 2025 - 2026

May	
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> May	3C to Pizza Express
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 6 to Chessington
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> May	Mufti day (wear home clothes)
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> May	Inset Day
Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> – Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> May	Half-Term
June	
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June	Year 6 photographs
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> June	Confederation Swimming Gala (tbc)
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 3 Tilford Trip
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> – Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 5 to Brenscombe
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> – Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 6 Bikeability for 6W
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> June	6H Treat Sale: 3.10pm
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> – Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 4 to Sayers Croft
Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> June	Confederation Sports
Tuesday 30 <sup>th</sup> June	Move Up Day
July	
Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> – Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Bikeability for 6H
Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> July	School Production
Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup> July	School Production
Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup> July	District Sports
Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> July	Sports Day
Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Leavers Disco: 6pm
Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Leavers Assembly (time tbc)
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> July	Mufti Day and End of Summer Term
Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July	Inset Day

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*Penalty Notices - Just to remind parents/carers that if you take your child out of school without authority, you will be liable to receive a penalty notice. Currently the amount payable is £80.00 per parent/carer per child if paid within 21 days. Thereafter the amount increases to £160.00 if paid between 21 and 28 days. Failure to pay the Penalty Notice will result in Surrey County Council considering legal proceedings against you in the Magistrates Court. Please note that penalty notices are issued per parent/carer per child so a family of two parents and two children will receive four penalty notices. Please note if you have received a penalty notice fine since 19<sup>th</sup> August 2024 the second penalty notice will be a flat fee of £160.00 – there is no reduction in fee regardless of how quickly payment is received. If you incur two penalty notices within three years you will NOT receive a third penalty notice – Surrey County Council will have no option but to consider a prosecution, per parent/carer per child, in the Magistrates Court under s 444 Education Act 1996. Our full Attendance Policy is available to view on our website.*

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