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Friendly Reminders

Please let the office know immediately if your address or telephone number changes. It is important for us to have current and up to date information in the event that we need to get in touch.

If your child is packed lunch and would like to change to school meal or vice versa, please complete a meal preference form which can be obtained from the school office.

Please bear in mind that changes to your child's meal preference can only be made per half term/termly.

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Speak Out, Stay Safe

We held our NSPCC 'Speak out, Stay Safe' assemblies in the Infants, and Junior School, last week. The assemblies were followed by lessons in each class from year 1 to year 6. This work supports our children to understand that abuse, of any kind, is never ok. It also supports the children to speak out to a trusted adult if they have any worries.



It would be great if you could support this work by asking your child a few questions about how they can stay safe. Also, ask them who their trusted adults are. [Click here for a link to the NSPCC website for kids](#)

Parent Governor

You should have received a letter this week about our need for a new parent governor. If you need another copy of the letter, or a nomination form, please contact our admin team (admin@shsharingey.co.uk).

Road Safety Week 2021

Next week (15th-21st November) is Road Safety Week. The theme this year is 'Road Safety Heroes'. In school, we will be talking about how to stay safe when travelling to and from school and celebrating how people such as road designers, highway engineers and the emergency services all help people make safe and healthy journeys and support people after an accident.

We will also be talking about how everyone can be a Road Safety Hero by using roads safely, to

protect themselves and other people. As parents and carers, this includes: always holding your child's hand when you walk near a road; crossing roads in safe places; and always making sure children sit in a special car seat when they travel by car. The following website contains more details about Road Safety Week and how to talk to your child about road safety: <https://www.brake.org.uk/zebras>. Thank you for all your support.



Virtual Workshops

Despite the fact that museums have begun to re-open to the public, they are not yet offering workshops to schools. However, we have been able to organise some virtual sessions instead! Year 5 enjoyed an interactive workshop focusing on Volcanoes and Earthquakes, run by a geographer from the Science Museum; Year 6 enjoyed a workshop supporting their learning about Evolution and Inheritance which was run by a scientist from the Science Museum; and Year 3 participated in a workshop about Ancient Egyptian artefacts which was run by a historian from the British Museum. Our children thoroughly enjoyed the workshops and we will continue to provide similar opportunities to support learning until such time when we can safely return to the museums.

Friends of South Harringay News

AGM

Last week we had the Friends of South Harringay Annual General Meeting (AGM). Despite COVID, we were still able to hold some great events through the year – including the spectacular ADVENTure Trail (which will be repeated this year), the Scoot-a-thon and the Year 2 Disco. Our fundraising events raised £4,400 which was a significant increase on the previous year. (For the full minutes, please contact secretary@friendsofsouthharringay.org).

What do you want to fund?

As mentioned last month, we are setting our fund-raising priority for this academic year. There's still time to complete the survey – the deadline is Friday 19 November: <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/Y7NKB7Y> It only takes a minute!

Jingle and Mingle – Friends of South Harringay Christmas party

We are looking forward to the Friends of South Harringay Christmas Party which will take place on Friday 26 November (from 7pm) at the Salisbury Pub on Green Lanes. Tickets are £5 and can be purchased at www.classlist.com. As usual, funds will go to support the school so you can buy extra tickets to contribute more. Hope to see you there after a long and locked-down year!

Upcoming events

We have two events in the coming weeks. On Friday 19 November will have the Year 4 disco. The Year 5 movie night will be on **25 November** (please note the new date!) at which we will screen the classic fantasy adventure The Princess Bride. Tickets for both are available at www.classlist.com or please ask your class rep if you are having difficulties buying them.

AmazonSmile :-)

We are encouraging parents who use Amazon to sign up to AmazonSmile and let Jeff Bezos give us money! AmazonSmile allows you to support designated charitable organisations every time you shop, at no cost to you. You can access AmazonSmile via the Amazon app or by going to www.smile.amazon.co.uk


Classlist

Just a reminder that our events and ticketing is done through the Classlist platform. Many parents are now on this platform and it's really easy to sign up – just go to www.classlist.com



Our mathlete for last week: Maryama 6 Maple 3751 points **Our mathletes for this week:** Frances 4 Poplar 3080 points

Our mathlete class: 4 Cherry **Our mathlete class:** 6 Maple



Our star readers for last week: Emer 3 Acacia Benjamin 4 Cherry Reggie 5 Magnolia Ayyub 6 Acer Quiz master class: 6 Acer	Our star readers for this week: Arlo 3 Willow Benjamin 4 Cherry Freddie 5 Elm Paloma 6 Acer Quiz master class: 3 Willow
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