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Parent Meeting

This half term, our Zoom meeting for parents/carers will present the school's approach to the teaching of Relationships and Sex Education. This will take place on Monday 21st March, at 6pm. Please email us on admin@shsharingey.co.uk if you would like to attend. A link for the meeting will then be emailed to you on the day of the meeting.

Nursery News

We are accepting applications for children who turn 3 years old before 31st August 2022 to start in our Nursery in September 2022. We offer full time places (9am–3pm) as well as 15 hour placements. Nursery places are prioritised for children with siblings in the school. Please either come to the school Reception to pick up an application form or email the school at admin@shsharingey.co.uk so that one can be sent to you. **Applications will need to be submitted before 23rd April.**

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Dear Parents/Carers,

World Book Day

Author Visit

Last week, we were very lucky and privileged to have Teddy Keen, explorer and writer of *The Lost Book of Adventure* and *Journey of The Last River* visit our school. He gave a talk about his incredible expedition into the Amazon and shared how he looked for treasure, only to discover unexpected natural wonders! He enthralled the children with the need to keep them secret in order to conserve them. Teddy brought along some of the animals he found and the tools he used on the expedition. The children got to see a tarantula, piranha and the skull of an aimara fish. [You can see pictures of these here.](#)



Dress up day

On Thursday last week, the children and staff across the whole school came in dressed as characters from their favourite book. On the day, children also participated in a range of activities to celebrate reading, such as: making book marks; book reviews; character masks; making their own comics; quizzes; pop-up pages of their favourite book: and they shared their favourite stories. [You can see pictures of the children and staff in their character costumes here](#)

Holidays

The Easter holidays are fast approaching. Please remember that the school does not authorise children taking holidays during term time. We ask that you do your best to organise all holidays and family reunions during holiday time. This includes requests to leave school early on Fridays for long weekends away.

Bike and Scooters

We love the fact that so many of our children cycle and scooter their way into school each day. Our scooter park on the Haringay Passage is open again. We will text out the code to unlock the gate to all of you soon. There is also some parking available in the Junior playground, close to the main entrance to the Junior building.

Please remember that we don't allow children to scooter, or bike, in the playgrounds as it is very busy at pick up time and we want to avoid accidents. This includes little brothers and sisters who have scooted along to pick their sibling up from school.



New Mental Health Support

The last 18 months have been particularly hard for young people's mental health and wellbeing. Young people and their families in need of urgent help with their mental health can now get free access 24/7 support from trained NHS mental health professionals by telephone.

Phone lines have been set-up by the NHS across London for young people in distress to access immediate support.

Friends of South Harringay News

Spring Bake Sale - Wednesday 30 March

We are delighted to have our first bake sale for two years planned for Wednesday the 30 of March in both Infants and Juniors. We'll need cakes, bakes and volunteers - more details will be on classlist shortly.



Summer Fair 2022

We have a date for the summer fair:

Saturday the 9th of July



Mark your diaries and get thinking about events, activities and stalls you would like to see. We will have a fair kick off meeting shortly. We'd like each class to run one stall or activity so have a think about what your class would like to do.

Get involved with Friends of South Harringay!

We are continuing to look for more parents to help us at Friends of South Harringay and would really appreciate your support so we can keep arranging fun events for South Harringay students and raising money for the school. We would really like general help with the upcoming events – eg helping out with the bake sale or the summer fair. We are also looking for specific help in terms of the secretary role and communications support. For more details please email: psa@friendsofsouthharringay.org

Community News

On Thursday 17 March 7 - 8:30pm Haringey Council are holding a webinar about the Harringay Ladder Traffic and Transport Review. To join register on Eventbrite:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/community-webinar-harringay-ladder-traffic-and-transport-review-tickets-275627879407>

Classlist and AmazonSmile

A reminder that our events and ticketing is done through Classlist (www.classlist.com) – please join if you're not already a member. Also, why not sign up to AmazonSmile (www.smile.amazon.co.uk) and support Friends of South Harringay for free when you shop.



Our mathletes for last week: Asia 6 Maple 2950 points

Our mathletics class last week: 5 Magnolia

Our mathletes for this week: Walt 5 Elm 4898 points

Our mathletics class this week: 3 Willow



Our star readers for last week: Emma 3 Acacia

Our star readers for this week: Anouk 3W & Ariel 3A

Charlie 4C & Euan 4P

Pearl 4 Cherry

Evan 5 Magnolia

Otis 5 Elm

Iris 6 Maple

Finn 6 Acer

Quiz master class: 6 Maple

Quiz master class: 4 Cherry



Monday 14 March– Friday 18 March– Bikeability training for year 5 and 6 participants

Monday 14 March– Rose Noses go on sale after school for £1.50 per nose

Thursday 17 March– Busy Bees visiting Kentish Town Farm

Friday 18 March– Red Nose Day– Wear your red nose and or something red

Monday 21 March– Teaching of Sex Education Zoom meeting at 6pm (email the school if you would like to join)

Tuesday 22 March– KS2 parents evening

Thursday 24 March– KS1 parents evening

Friday 25 March– Summer Fair Meeting and EGM at 1pm on zoom (details will be sent through Classlist)

Monday 28 March– Year 1 trip to Little Angels Theatre

Tuesday 29 March– Lively Ladybirds trip to Kentish Town Farm

Tuesday 29 March– Entries to be brought in for KS2 Easter egg competition (letter to follow)

Wednesday 30 March– Entries to be brought in for KS1 Easter bonnet parade (letter to follow)

Wednesday 30 March– PSA Spring bake sale—Nut and Sesame free cake contributions welcomed

Thursday 31 March– Busy Bees visiting Kentish Town Farm

Friday 01 April– Royal Albert Hall performance for choir club participants

Monday 4 April– Monday 18 April– Easter holidays– **No School**

Tuesday 19 April– Return to school