



Shorefields Parent Newsletter

23rd June 2023

<https://www.shorefields.essex.sch.uk>

Dates for your Diary:

Sports Day 29 June— you are welcome to come and watch 10.15-11.30

Non pupil Day June 30

Shorefest 7 July

Any new or unwanted gifts greatly received for our Summer Fete/Shorefest

Beach Hut

Edith Elms Special School Trust own a beach hut that is available for families of Shorefields School to use.

If you would like details on how to use the beach hut, please contact the school office

Happy Friday Good News—What a wonderful week we have all had this week!

Katie has been story telling with us this week—she had fantastic props and told a story about a Garden— all the classes have enjoyed a wonderful sensory experience (the staff enjoyed it too!)

Brilliant National Sports week and the children have been taking part in the Daily Mile each morning, and lunchtime sports activities—football, tennis and multi sports with Emma. One student from Sunshine 1 is now requesting PE!

On Thursday we had an amazing Fun Day —Science Boffins were in the sports hall with fun experiments, Circus Skills in the dining room and Animal Encounters brought in a skunk, snake and large tortoise! Everyone had great fun and thanks to Happy Days and Edith Elms Special School Trust for funding this event.

Sunshine 2—one student has been really trying hard with his talking and becoming much clearer.

Sunshine 4—one pupil has been wearing shorts, this is a MASSIVE achievement

Sunshine 5—Amazing Beach Hut trip and even helped to tidy up

Sunshine 1—one child has been able to tolerate different shoes this week

Pier 4—loved the trial of the Comos ICT switches

Pier 3—more toileting success this week

Sunshine 8—one student chose 2 peers to play ball with and this lasted for 20 minutes!

Thrive with Leah—a child from Sunshine 1 has begun to recognise when he does and doesn't need support

Sunshine 3—Lovely trip to Jimmy's Farm and also toileting success in class.

Beach 3—all made rockets to launch next week during Kindness Week

Beach 1—lovely trip to Colchester Zoo and saw lots of animals

Beach 4—loved water play in Beach 5's garden

Beach 2—had a final swim at the Leisure Centre, they have made so much progress and gained in confidence

School Dinners – w/b 26.6.23
Week 1 of the Summer Menu.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Meal Option 1	Cornish Pasty Served with mash potato	All day breakfast, sausage, egg, bacon & hash brown	Roast pork, sage & onion stuffing, Yorkshire pudding & roast potatoes	Chicken fillet served with Bombay potato	Omega 3 fish fingers served with chips
Main Meal Option 2	Tomato pasta bake	Vegetarian sausage, egg, hash brown, tomato	Cheesy beans in a Yorkshire pudding, stuffing & roast potatoes	Macaroni cheese served with garlic bread	Chicken burger served with chips
Vegetables	Mixed vegetables	Baked beans & mushrooms	Cabbage & carrots	Broccoli & sweetcorn	Baked beans, bubble & squeak
	Salad Bar	Salad Bar	Salad Bar	Salad Bar	Salad Bar
Dessert/ Pudding	Banana cake & custard	Fresh fruit pots or angel delight	Fruit crumble & custard	Raspberry ripple or chocolate mousse with homemade biscuit	Lemon drizzle cake

Some information about the Autism Central Peer Education Programme which Essex County Council are running for the East of England.

We now have our first online events booked for parents, carers and Personal Assistants of people with autism.

<https://www.eventbrite.com/cc/autism-central-east-of-england-2243549>

SEND Local Offer Roadshows

Are you a parent/carers or family member of a child with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND)?

Do you have questions about accessing support in your area or questions about SEND support available in Essex?

Would you like to link up with other parents in your area?

If you do, please come along and see us at the Roadshow. You can meet groups and services such as:

- Essex Family Forum
- SENDIASS
- Representatives from the Education Teams
- SEND Navigation Leads
- Local Support Groups

The roadshow is a drop-in event with no need to book.

Tuesday 18 July, 9am to 12.30pm – **North East Essex** - The Princes Theatre, Clacton

<https://send.essex.gov.uk/i-think-my-child-needs-help/send-local-offer-roadshows>

Did you know:

There is a Care Advisor at your doctors surgery?

They can give advice on equipment, they also help with form filling and do referrals plus a lot more

<https://www.cvstending.org.uk/what-we-do/carers-information-and-advice/>

Smash Expectations With Brightlingsea Pan-Disability Cricket Squad!

Session 1

(part of the Lords Taverners Super 1s programme)

**Northern Gateway Sports Centre, Colchester,
(Term-time only) Mondays, 5-6pm,**

FREE!

Session 2

**Brightlingsea Cricket Clubhouse, Regent Road,
Brightlingsea, CO7 0NN**

every Saturday, 11.15am-12.15pm,

£3 per session.

For more details on both sessions contact Richard Hunt

Mobile - 07464-195852

Email - brightlingseacricketclub@gmail.com

Darts Charity Day. 12 hour marathon, auction signed football plus lots more, all money raised will be donated to Shorefields



HERE AT UDSC

12 Hours Darts Marathon

Sat July 1st 10am-10pm

Logan Collis

We are calling on the Darts Family to try raise some money for a Local School to Raise Awareness for Autism It would Great to see As many people as Possible to pop up an hour to play to keep the Darts going for the full 12 hours Please Contact Shay Chubby or Shaun Fox if interested even if for an hour of your time there will be some Darts games throughout the day



Round the clock Doubles :Killer Darts : Team game 10,001 : Cricket Darts 16 Person Comp £5 entry (Trophy to winner) shootout comp 401 1 leg

many more ..

Any ideas Welcome

There will be a Raffle with Many Prizes Donated by Local Community



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Week Camp Sunday 20th to Friday 25th August 2023
Weekend Camp Friday 25th to Monday 28th August 2023



For further information or to book
Telephone: 01206 383226
Email: info@merseafestival.org.uk
Website: www.merseafestival.org.uk

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InterAct

CLACTON CLUB

THURSDAY
FROM 6-8PM
AT BAPTIST CHURCH, 117 PIER AVENUE,
CO15 1NJ

FOR 8-14 YEAR OLDS WITH SPECIAL
EDUCATIONAL NEEDS & DISABILITIES (SEND)

These monthly clubs will allow young people with SEND from the ages of 8-14 to get together, hang out and have some fun. The club will be centred-based and will offer a variety of activities each week, from games to crafts to cooking, and lots more!

To find out more about InterAct and how to register please visit:
www.interact.org.uk
Email:
youngpeopleteam@interact.org.uk

Summer Club

Based at the "Little Explorers" Pre-School at Greenstead Community Centre, CO4 3QE

10am-3pm £35 per day (Ask for 1:1/2:1 rate) 4 - 11 years






Running from Monday 31st July until Friday 25th August 2023

Drinks & Snacks provided (Bring own Lunch)

Exercise, Education & Safe!

Fully inclusive

To book contact:
kerryaustin@ktmcare.co.uk
07919 522341

All Staff DBS checked, Fully trained and able to support ALL children



Care Service for All—Specialists in Autism



Please click on the link below to find a website selling a selection of adaptive bags and backpacks for wheelchair users.

<https://jansport.co.uk/pages/adaptive-collection>