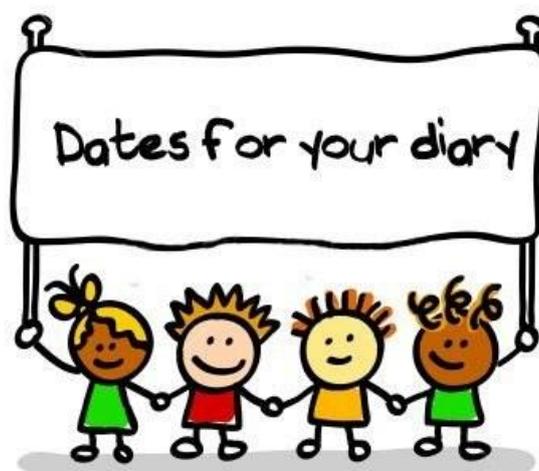




Family Newsletter- Friday 13th
September 2024

Diary Dates



- *Thursday 19th September Sponsored Walk*
- *Friday 27th September MacMillan Coffee Day*

SHOREFIELDS SCHOOL ANNUAL CALENDAR 2024 - 2025

AUTUMN TERM	SPRING TERM	SUMMER TERM
<p>SEPTEMBER Mon 2nd Meet the Team Tues 3rd New Starters Only Thurs 19th Sponsored Walk Friday 27th Macmillan Coffee Day Timetable to follow</p> <p>OCTOBER Thurs 10th - Fri 11th - KS3 Birch Hall Residential Thurs 10th Oct- Harwich Coffee Morning- New families only Fri 11th - Drumming Workshop Wed 16th Alex Ball Football tournament Wed 16th Oct- Parents Coffee Morning- Clacton (Brotherhood Hall) Thurs 17th Autumn Festival St Pauls 10.00 whole School Fri 18th Dress up day for a donation of sweets for Christmas Disco Tombola 21st -25th Colourscape workshops-</p> <p>NOVEMBER Wed 6th- Moonbeam Theatre Wed 13th Nov- Parents Coffee Morning- Clacton Fri 15th Children in need – Dress up for donation. Thurs 21st- Harwich Coffee Morning</p> <p>DECEMBER Wed 4th Christmas Bazaar Tues 10th Lower School Christmas Show Pier 1 & 2, Beach 1,2 & 3 Sunshine 1,2,3 & 4 Wed 11th Father Christmas & Dinner Day Thurs 12th – Wed 18th Winter Wonderland Mon 16th SPLASH Christmas Disco 5-7 Tues 17th Christmas at St. Pauls- Pier 3, 4 & 5 Beach 4 & 5 Sunshine 5, 6, 7 & 8 10am Wed 18th Students go home half day, 1.30</p>	<p>JANUARY Tue 21st Jan- School Photos Wed 22nd - Parents Coffee Morning- Clacton Thurs 23rd - Harwich Coffee Morning</p> <p>FEBRUARY Wed 5th Pink Day - Dress up for a donation. Cakes, etc. Wed 12th- Parents Coffee Morning- Clacton</p> <p>MARCH Thurs 6th World Book Day Dress up as a book character Wed 12th- Fri 14th- Residential trip Centre Parks Wed 12th- Parents Coffee Morning- Clacton Wed 19th Parent evening 3.30 – 4:30- Cafe Thurs 20th- Harwich Coffee Morning</p> <p>APRIL Thurs 3rd Easter Egg distribution Fri 4th Children home half day</p>	<p>MAY Wed 7th - Parents Coffee Morning- Clacton Mon 12th – 16th – Careers week Wed 21st Sports Day Thurs 22nd Harwich Coffee Morning</p> <p>JUNE Wed 4th Sports Day (Reserved) Wed 11th Parents Coffee Morning – Clacton Mon 16th – Fri 20th National Sports/Fun Week Thurs 19th-- Harwich Coffee Morning</p> <p>JULY Thurs 3rd Coffee Morning in for parents in the café Wed 16th College Show Fri 18th Shorefest Mon 21st Leavers Afternoon Children go home half day 1.30</p>

SPLASH News



If you would like to book any of these

- Go to Shorefields School PTA and events on Facebook
- Email Louise lbennison89@gmail.com
- Put a note in the home school book



Sun, 6 Oct at 16:00

Splash Amazing activities private hire



Sun, 20 Oct at 11:00

splash private hire of walton pool

School Menu- Week 3

 Menu Week 3 New Summer Menu 2024					
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Option 1	Home made Pizza Served With Seasoned Wedges	Spagetti Bolognaisse Served With Garlic Bread	Roast Chicken Sage & Onion Stuffing Yorkshire Pudding Roast Potatoes	Sausage Roll Served With Mash Potato	Omega 3 Fish Fingers Served With Chips
Option 2	Carbonara	Quorn Dippers Served With New Potatoes	Cheesy Beans In A Yorkshire Pudding Sage & Onion Stuffing Roast Potatoes	Tomato Pasta Bake	Southern Fried Coated Chicken Breast Fillet Served With Chips
On the Side	Mixed Vegetables	Cauliflower & Mixed Vegetables	Cabbage & Carrots	Broccoli & Sweetcorn	Baked Beans Or Spagetti Hoops
For Dessert	Home Made Marble Cake Custard	Fresh Fruit Pots Or Angel Delight	Home Made Bakewell Tart Custard	Raspberry Ripple Ice Cream Roll Or Chocolate Ice Cream Roll	Home Made Cookie With Milkshake

School beach hut

The beach hut is still available to hire for parents and children of Shorefields School - if you would like to book it.

The current rates are:

3 days use - £40 donation to Edith Elms Trust

1 day use - £15 donation to Edith Elms Trust

If parents would like to make a booking please contact the school office.

Relaxed Swim Leisure World

[SEND Sensation - Essex Short Breaks: Clubs & Activities](#)

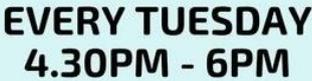
Due to popular demand, Essex Short Breaks have partnered with Leisure World Colchester to offer a number of Relaxed SEND Swim sessions, every Tuesday 4:30 - 6:00pm in the LEISURE POOL

From 17th September for a 6 week trial period

Children & young people with a SEND diagnosis can enjoy a swim session with a parent/carer and siblings

To book your spot please visit: <https://www.eventbrite.com/.../relaxed-weekly-send-swim...> Don't forget to have your Short Breaks Passport ID when booking, for any support in getting this please email essexshortbreaks@sendsensation.co.uk

PLEASE NOTE: These sessions are at a highly discounted rate of £5 per child/young person with ONE parent/carer free. Any additional adults and siblings will also be charged £5 - payment to be made on the day.



Good News Friday



Sunshine 7 - Had a wonderful afternoon tea!

Sunshine 8 - Visited the beach for a climate change project with local artist Jane Stewart

Sunshine 6 - Had a brilliant cooking session exploring fruits from around the world with lots of cutting, squishing and eating

Pier 1 - A student enjoyed their first time swimming in the school's hydro pool and loved the light up ball. Another student enjoyed pushing up on the wedge and one student can now get themselves in and out of the ball pool

Sunshine 2 - It has been a lovely week of settling in!

Sunshine 1 - A brilliant start for 8 new pupils and one of the children has been tolerating their glasses all day

Sunshine 4 - Fantastic engagement in attention bucket

Pier 2 - Feeling happy to be back. A lovely PE session was had using the trampoline. One of the students has a new toy and has enjoyed talking to it

Pier 5 - Some of the students have participated in outings to the shop and leisure centre whilst others have taken part in cooking in the class

Sunshine 3 - One of the students has settled in well this week, using PECS for food. Another student has been keeping their shoes on whilst out on the playground

Beach 2 - Two students loved having their music session with Davey

Beach 5 - A student stayed in performing arts for a whole session and another student walked to the park and back

PE - A superb start in PE football, netball and trampolining this week!

Pier 4 - Two students have coped really well with their class move

Beach 4 - A student did a really good job engaging in PE

Beach 1 - Class have settled in really well. One student loves PE and another student is discovering new things that they like

Sunshine 5 - It's been a lovely week getting to know the children. One of the students has been using the toilet

Beach 3 - One of the students has had a wee on the toilet. All students took part in an excellent performing arts session

Please remember - our school is a smoking and vaping free site. Please ensure that you do not smoke or vape on the school premises or grounds. Thank you.

Essex Local Offer

Are you signed up to the Essex Local Offer Newsletter? The newsletter is for Essex families who have children with Special Educational Needs or Disability (SEND). The monthly newsletter brings together relevant information and news, including:

- **education**
- **health**
- **social care**
- **parent and carer support**
- **activities and things to do**
- **events that are taking place across Essex**

Visit the Local Offer website to sign up now: [Stay up to date with the Essex Local Offer newsletter | Essex Local Offer](#)

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Upcoming Events

[BETWEEN THE TIDES, Walton Arts Festival | Arts festival in Walton on the Naze](#)



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17-25

social group

Are you aged 17-25?

Do you find social situations a challenge?

Come join our small, friendly social group! Meet others, chat, play games, activities, and more! Our activities are free, dedicated to providing every young person with the opportunity to be included.

From smoothie making to creative writing, you can get involved with our FREE sessions now! All you have to do is contact us to find out how to get involved!



You can now sign up to join our social group, running Tuesdays, from 17th September at 4pm-6.30pm, until the 17th of December!



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The theme of the social group sessions is:



HAPPY HOLIDAYS



Over the course of these next few weeks we have plenty
of autumn and winter themed activities planned, such as
paper mache modelling and snow globe creations!

Thursday from 4pm-6pm

Running from the 12th of September to the 19th of December

All our activities are completely FREE!

All you have to do is sign up!

Contact us today to find out on how to join the fun!

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Alison Beasley
Deputy Head Teacher-
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