

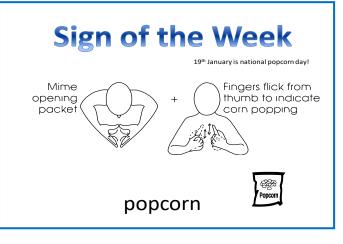
Shorefields School Newsletter

'Learning and achievement for all'

11th January 2019

Dates for the diary:

31st January – Siblings Group 7th February – Coffee Morning 18th February 2019 half term



Happy New Year to you all,we hope you all had a good Christmas.

A polite reminder regarding the parking spaces directly at the front of the school. As we now have over half the pupils being brought into school via the front entrance this inevitably causes problems with drop off & pick ups. We try to manage this as best we can with safe zone parking bays available, in the main this works well, however we are limited on those spaces. Whilst we appreciate it is nice for parents to chat to one another, it does delay other parents accessing the safe drop off/pick up zone. Could we ask that you return to your vehicles asap to allow other parents to drop off their children as they may well have a child who is becoming distressed at having to wait. Thank you for your cooperation.

Parents & carers currently receiving or seeking overnight respite or short break respite, once again Essex County Council are planning to review their respite service for SEN children in Essex. From April 2019 they are looking at the current respite service within Lavender House & The Maples being reduced down to a one flat operation in order to apparently give parents & carers a greater choice in how respite is given. Gary Knowles will be holding a meeting towards the end of Jan to see where to go forward from here. Please email Gary on info@gknowleskitchenfitter.co.uk to get involved and help to keep this service running.

Thank you to all the parents that have enjoyed the Pilates, this will return on 10th January 2019 at £4 per session 1.55pm to 2.55pm. We have a very experienced instructor called Wendy, all welcome.

On the 31st January 2019 for years 9 onwards we will be holding a 'Moving on' coffee morning, outside providers will be coming into school offering advice and guidance for students when they leave school. This will be an ideal opportunity for you to find out what's on offer beyond school life.

Di Spurling will be running a beginners Makaton course for 4 weeks, starting Monday 11 Feb to Monday 11 March, 9.30am to 12. The cost will be £40 total - £30 for the Makaton course books which you will keep (if a couple you can share a book) and £10 each for refreshments. If anyone is interested please book a place by 25 Jan, you can pay on line via School Gateway once your place is confirmed.

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School Dinners – w/b 14/1/19 we will be on week 2 of the Menu.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Meal Option 1	Sausage roll served with mash potato	Chicken tikka masala served with rice & naan bread	Roast beef, parsnips, Yorkshire puddings & roast potatoes	Pepperoni pizza served with seasoned cubed potatoes	Harry Ramsden fillet of fish served with chips
Main Meal Option 2	Tomato pasta bake	Quorn dippers served with seasoned cubed potatoes	Cheesy beans in a Yorkshire pudding, parsnips & roast potatoes	Macaroni cheese served with garlic bread	Beef burger or cheese burger served with chips
Vegetables	Sweetcorn & Cabbage	Cauliflower & green beans	Peas & carrots	Broccoli & mixed vegetables	Baked beans, bubble & squeak
	Salad Bar	Salad Bar	Salad Bar	Salad Bar	Salad Bar
Dessert/Pudding	Homemade chocolate marble cake with custard	Fruity flapjack with a choice of milkshake	Cheesecake or fresh fruit salad	Melon, strawberry & grape pots or muller corner yoghurt	Homemade lemon drizzle cake



Our very talented teachers, Katie Johnson, Emma Norfolk, Pete Norfolk and Jackie Stephens will be staring in Rapunzel at the end of January at the Westcliffe Theatre, if you would like to show your support, pop along and cheer them on....