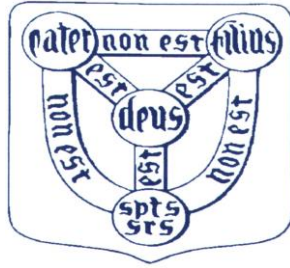


# Shellingford CE (A) Primary School

Headteacher: Miss Judith Terrell



"Inspiring hearts and minds"

**School Newsletter**

**Autumn Term One 2025 - Issue 3**

**3<sup>rd</sup> October 2025**

***Value for the next two weeks: Humility***

Be Patient. Be Gentle. Be Humble. Be Loving.

**Ephesians 4:2-3**

Dear Shellingford School Family,

'Class 3 went on an exciting trip to **WARWICK CASTLE**. We saw an amazing Trebuchet launch and a bowman fired long arrows at a target. We climbed the tallest tower in Warwick Castle and it was very, very high.'

*Written by Charlie Hoyland & Alex Bond*



## **Reminders and information for the next two weeks:**

### **INDIVIDUAL AND SCHOOL SIBLING PHOTOGRAPHS –TUESDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER**

Photogenic Photography will be in school to take the children's photographs on the above date. Please ensure the children are in full uniform and wearing school jumpers and cardigans, thank you.

### **NATIONAL POETRY DAY – THURSDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER**

We will be celebrating National Poetry Day across the school on the above date. We will be sharing our favourite poems and creating poetry of our own. Children are welcome to bring a poem into school to recite or poetry book to share on this day. Each class will also be preparing a poetry performance to share with parents at our next Celebration Assembly (on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> October).

**WHOLE SCHOOL CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY – Friday 17<sup>th</sup> October (2.30 – 3.00pm)**

Please join us for our first whole school Celebration Assembly this term.

Each class will be sharing some of their recent learning and all parents are welcome to attend.

**FRIENDS OF SHELLINGFORD SCHOOL (FoSS) STALL**

**Do join us afterwards on the green at the front of the school.**

**Hot chocolate, cakes, sweet cones, scarecrow craft activities and**

**All Hallows Trail packs will also be on sale.**

**SCHOOL MEALS – AUTUMN TERM TWO**

School lunches for next half-term will need to be booked and paid via School Gateway by **Monday 20<sup>th</sup> October**. *The children's Christmas Lunch is on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December – this meal also must be booked by Monday 20<sup>th</sup> October.* Please note school meals cannot be requested after the deadline set. Please refer to the email sent to all parents today.

**PARENT-TEACHER INTERVIEWS (PTIs)**

Our Parent Teacher Interviews will be held in-person this term from 3.30 – 6.30pm on:

- **Monday 20<sup>th</sup> October: All Classes**
- **Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> October: Classes 1 & 2**
- **Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October: Classes 3 & 4**

These appointments are particularly important and we ask all parents to make an appointment with your child/ren's teacher(s).

Please kindly note that we also request for children not to accompany parents to these meetings as it is important for us to have an opportunity to speak openly with you about your child/ren's progress and overall wellbeing.

**Appointment sheets are displayed outside on the green weather permitting, or contact the School Office to make an appointment. Each appointment will last for 10 minutes.**



**FILM CLUB – 'Hotel Transylvania' - Friday 10<sup>th</sup> October (3.15 – 5.15pm)**

**£5.00 including snack and drink**

**SMARTIES CHALLENGE – Friday 17<sup>th</sup> October**

**PLEASE REMEMBER TO RETURN YOUR SMARTIES TUBE FULL OF COINS on the above date!**

**ALL HALLOWS TRAIL – Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> October – Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> November**

**In and around the woods during half-term. Packs cost £5.00.**

With Best Wishes,

Judith R Terrell

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