

Essex County Council

Sheering Church of England  
Primary School

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**Attendance: 95.6%**

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> September 2024

Dear Parents,

We have had such a busy week in school. To begin with we had a lovely welcome in church last Sunday, for our Copeland children, who were presented with Bibles by the church wardens. It has been wonderful to see how well our Reception children have settled and how confident they are in their learning.

On Monday evening I attended the Licensing and Installation service for our new vicar Rev'd Sophie Weller. Sophie is looking forward to meeting the children next Thursday in school for Collective Worship.

On Tuesday we had a Local Authority Review, which is similar to an Ofsted inspection where staff were observed teaching and there were some deep questions about our new curriculum. I am pleased to say that there were many positive outcomes which I can let you know once we receive the report.

### **PTFA**

We are looking for someone to be Chair of the PTFA, starting as soon as possible. The PTFA have a meeting on October 1<sup>st</sup> at the Cock; we look forward to seeing new members including new parents to Sheering School. I would like to thank Claire Dorrian for being such an AWESOME Chair for the past 3 years by raising a substantial amount of money to support and enhance our children's learning.

### **Happy Book**

In the Happy Book this week; Mrs Alderman thanked Max and Sophia for helping her with the chairs at lunchtime; I thanked Otis, Robin, Olivia, Sophia, Ruby, Harper and Mae for my conkers; Miss Goodman thanked Sylvia, Jack and Radhika for being so kind to Owen during choir. I wanted to say a big thank you to the children who spoke to our visitors on Tuesday - you made me very proud; I also thanked all my staff who demonstrated such resilience on the day.

### **Achievement from Home and School**

**Home:** Mya was proud of her Student of the Week award for Karate and Lyra shared her AWESOME score for her LAMDA exam where she was given a distinction.

**School: Spelling Shed Superstar** is Fitzwalter class with 22,673,405 points and our **Top 20 Super Spellers** are; Belle, Mae, Noah, Sophia, Amalie, Leia, Robin, Jude, Harper, Edith, Rose, Elliana, Mya, Noah, Harry, Charlie, Patrick, Harry, Alfie and Esmee. **Maths Shed Superstar** is Quickbury class with 4,012,527 points and our **Top 19 Mathematicians** are Robin, Avery, Esmee, Olivia, Logan, Alfie, Belle, Noah, Sophia, Charlie, Harry, Harper, Edith, Elsie-Mae, Matilda, Elliana, Mya, Leo and Patrick. Rory and Olivia were awarded our very first **Numbots certificates** and Grayson and Esme were presented with their **Bronze Building Learning Power** awards. Esme, Owen and Zac were given a special award for 'finding their brave' this week.

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### **Roll of Honour**

Children who have enjoyed helping others.

**Copeland:** Esme often says 'I can help you' to her friends and supports them every day.

**Durrington:** Finley has been helping others with a little reassurance if they are upset.

**Fitzwalter:** Lyra, Mae, Mia and Charlie did a super job when they offered to help pack away after group work this week.

**Quickbury:** Ruby has enjoyed helping one of her classmates in maths this week.

**Star of the Week:** My Star of the Week is Sylvia for helping her family at home and for giving her time so generously.

### **Letters/Parentmails Home:**

#### **Dates**

*Please note these dates are subject to change if necessary.*

**Monday 21<sup>st</sup> October:** Parent Consultation (3:30-6:00pm)

**Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> October:** Parent Consultations (3:30-6:00pm)

**Friday 25<sup>th</sup> October:** Non-pupil day

**Monday 28<sup>th</sup> October - Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November:** Half term

Have a good weekend,

Mrs Lorna Brittain  
**Headteacher**