



East Sheen Primary School

Newsletter Friday 22nd May 2026



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Sports Day:

This week, we have enjoyed two fantastic Sports Days, held at both Rosslyn Park and Barn Elms. Pupils showed great enthusiasm, determination, and teamwork as they took part in a wide range of events. From sprints to relays, every child gave their best and demonstrated excellent sporting conduct throughout both days.

It was wonderful to see so many families supporting and cheering, creating a positive and encouraging atmosphere. We are incredibly proud of all our pupils for their effort and resilience and a huge thank you to the school staff and NS Sport coaches, who helped make both days such a success. We look forward to sharing photos from the events in due course.

Year 2:

Year 2 have enjoyed a creative computing project, designing their own space-themed maps and writing algorithms to guide their friends safely back to planet Earth.



World Bee Day:

It was World Bee Day on Wednesday 20th May. The children learnt about the vital role that bees play in pollination, supporting the growth of many of the crops and plants we rely on for food. We also discussed





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the importance of protecting bees and their habitats to maintain a healthy and balanced ecosystem.

Rose Theatre:

On Tuesday, the school choir sang their hearts out at the Richmond Music Trust festival! They had a fantastic time singing and dancing to a whole range of songs, and performed two duets with Sheen Mount Primary School. As always, they represented East Sheen beautifully.



Helping Hands:

Congratulations to A in 5B for being our Helping Hands winner this week, for always being ready to learn and for always being kind.



We would like to take this opportunity to wish **Miss Swift** all the very best as she begins her maternity leave today. We are delighted for her as she prepares to welcome her new arrival and everyone at East Sheen Primary School sends their warmest congratulations and best wishes.



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Message from the PTA:

ESPS PTA London-Amsterdam bike ride - please sponsor our riders!

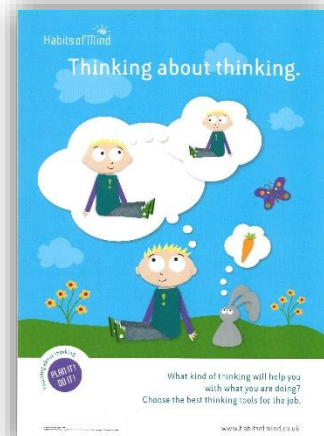
They've done the training and now it's time to raise some money. In just over three weeks, our intrepid PTA cyclists will roll out of the playground to start their epic two-day ride to Amsterdam.

One rider's employer is generously offering up to £10,000 in a 'double-match' of the funds he raises, so it would be great if you are able to sponsor Esteban. That way, we can raise £3 for every £1 you give! Please click on this link to visit Este's fundraising page and donate: <https://shorturl.at/Eyppk>

All PTA fundraising from the bike ride will go towards our library refurbishments. Thank you for your support and the difference it will make! To find out more or to make a donation, please [click here](#).

Thinking Schools

The three Habits of Mind we are focusing on this half term are:



Attendance:

School target: 97% Last week: 96% Classes above target: 8

RD	88.7%	1B	93.3%	2N	99.3%	3G	94.8%	4D	95.8%	5B	98.7%	6B	98.9%
RG	93%	1D	94.3%	2S	99.6%	3K	96.8%	4F	96.2%	5C	98%	6C	98.2%
RM	94.5%	1L	97%	2SB	97.9%	3S	95.2%	4H	95.7%	5M	91.3%	6T	99.3%



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Notices and reminders:

Please note that we have an INSET day after half-term, and the term starts again for the children on **Tuesday 2nd June**. For information about NSS activity camp on Monday 1st, please [click here](#).

For information about upcoming holiday swimming lessons and bookings with SwimWay, including discounts to ESPS parents, please [click here](#).

SUMMER MARKET IN THE GARDEN
AT THE HARE & HOUNDS, EAST SHEEN
SATURDAY 6 JUNE - 10AM-1PM - FREE ENTRY

Fashion for Kids & Grown Ups
Beautiful Jewellery
Tasty Treats
Candles & Bath Bombs
Holidays & Hobbies
Health & Fitness
Riveting Reads & Fun Activities for Kids
And More!

***Why not pop in, say hello, meet & support
our fabulous local entrepreneurs!***

HARE & HOUNDS
COMMUNITY CENTRE

EAST SHEEN VILLAGE