



Shap CE Endowed Primary School

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Week 3 of the Live Lent: 40 day challenge focusses on **Land and Plants!**

#LIVE LENT
CARE for GOD'S CREATION

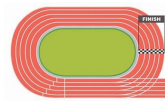


Try your best to achieve your weekend challenge too!

Running Track Project

A hardworking team of school staff, members of FoSS and our Governors, Ann Mallinson from TATA and grant funder Jill Bawden are working together to design and fund an all weather running track with the aim of making our school field accessible all year round!

YOU HAVE TO BE IN IT TO WIN IT



This will be a long term project, but to kick start our fundraising, some Year 5 children have designed a fundraising competition... Look out for them on the yard in the mornings where they will be selling squares (of a running track) and behind some of the squares will be some amazing prizes!



On Friday 20th March, we will be taking part in **The Great Cumbrian Litter Pick!** Eden District Council have very kindly offered to loan us their junior litter picking equipment (that includes litter pickers, Hi-Viz vests, gloves, hoops and bags) so we will be well prepared! Each class will be hunting for litter in different areas around the school and the village, and bagging it ready for Eden Council to take away.

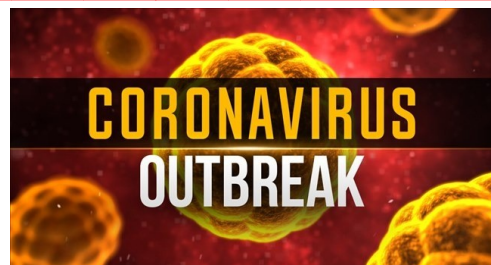
We would appreciate any adult helpers, so if you are free between 3pm and 1pm on 20.03.20 and fancy supporting our litter pick, please see your child's class teacher to volunteer!

PLEASE NOTE: There will be no Celebration Worship that day.



Sarah Caton, our Office Manager, will be off work for the next two weeks recuperating from a small operation.

The office will therefore be unmanned on Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays. If at all possible, please can we request that 'non-urgent' enquiries wait until Wednesdays and Fridays when Julie Hunter will be in the office to assist.



For current information regarding the Coronavirus, please follow this link created for our Penrith Cluster of schools:

<https://thepenrithhub-cumbria.frogos.net/covid-19>

We will keep you updated with any new information that we receive as it comes in!



Dates in blue denote new dates added to the calendar!



Dates for
the Diary:

16 March	2.00: Karen Dakin to work with Kidsty Pike children re: Internet Safety
19 March	Quicksticks Hockey Competition at Kirkby Stephen Grammar School
20 March	11.00-12.00: Blencathra children 'experiencing a blast' at Hanson's 1.00—2.30: Great Cumbrian Litter Pick 3.15: Mel Waddington to talk to parents re: internet safety PLEASE NOTE THIS HAS BEEN POST-PONED DUE TO RESTRICTIONS ON MEL'S DUTIES DUE TO THE CARONA VIRUS
24 March	12.15-2.30: Taster session for new N1 Nursery
25 March	2.50: Open the Book Worship Time—All welcome!
26 March	9.00—12.00: Blencathra Geology Work with Nicola Estill, Friends of the Lake District
27 March	2.00: Easter Service @ St. Michael's Church—All Welcome! Cake Friday: Blue team
30 March – 13 April	Easter Holidays
16 April	11.00-12.00: Ruth Evans - Northern Inter-Schools Christian Union (NISCU) to work with Helvellyn RE for 5 sessions over 5 weeks
19 April	FoSS Big Breakfast
20 April	Alan Hartley orienteering with Year 5 children
22 April	Some children attending Cumbria Youth Climate Summit
23 April	Road Safety Talks with GIST (and their wagon!) Y5 Orienteering Competition @ Newton Rigg 4.00—7.00: Some children attending <i>The Fun Primary Schools Ski Race Evening</i>
24 April	Cake Friday: Yellow team
04 / 08 May	CONFIRMED: SCHOOL WILL BE OPEN AS NORMAL ON 04 MAY AND THERE WILL BE A BANK HOLIDAY ON 08 MAY
07 May	Lacrosse Competition, Hunter Hall, some Y5/6 children
14 May	Wheelchair Basketball
11 – 15 May	Y6 SAT's
Wb. 01 June	Y4 Multiplication Tables Check
01 June	KS2 Bowling Helvellyn: Sex and Relationships Education—More information to follow
12 June	FoSS Bingo
08 – 12 June	Y1 Phonic Checks
08—19 June	Y1 Daily Swimming lessons Y1-6
18 June	6pm: 'Residential Meeting' for Helvellyn families
22 June	Y5 children to UCC for a science session KS2 Bowling
24 June	9.10: Welcome Meeting for new Nursery pupils and Reception pupils
26 June	KS2 Total Warrior at Leeds
29 June – 01 July	Y5/6 Residential—More Information to follow nearer the time
03 July	Premiership Rugby Championships KS2 Tag Rugby Festival @ Kingston Park Stadium, Newcastle
08 July	Sports Day
13, 14 July	<i>Bikeability</i> for our Y5 children
15 July	Reserve Sports Day

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16 July	FoSS Leavers' BBQ
17 July	Leavers Service End of Term
07 September	After School Orienteering Event hosted by Alun Hartley and <i>Border Liners</i> Orienteering Club - more information to follow nearer the time
15 September	Ankoma Dream visit to our school with Ghanaian exchange students
23 October	FoSS Halloween Disco (Memorial Hall)
13 November	FoSS Bingo
03 December	FoSS Pyjama Party
17 December	FoSS Disco
08 February	Young Voices 2021 @ Manchester Arena

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions regarding the content of this newsletter!

For in-depth information about every aspect of our school, please see our website: <https://www.shap.cumbria.sch.uk/>



For day-to-day news, reminders and celebrations, please see our School Facebook Page: Shap CE School



For information about fundraising and social events, please see Friends of Shap School – FoSS Facebook Page

Many thanks!

Katie Chappell

Acting Headteacher



Shap CE School: A Safe Branch from which to Soar

With children and the church at the heart of the school, we are
 'living in harmony' (Romans 12:16) within our community; nurturing one another
 in order to create an environment from which all can soar

