



# Shirley Junior School Newsletter - May

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#### Dear Parents,

Wow! What an amazing end of term we have had, from fashion shows, a residential to sports days and Festivals! I had my very own private view of the Year 4 SJS fashion show, they were confident and sassy. The hard work and dedication all the pupils have put in to designing and creating their garments has been amazing. As well as the teacher patience and resilience to keep threading needles!! You can view the full fashion show in the secure 'Parent view' section on the website under Year 4.









Although there was a last minute change of venue, the sports day was a huge success. Well done to all those children who took part!

### Sports Day Results





#### **Taskmaster Day**

A day of thinking outside the box! Taskmaster day is design to develop children's understand of Grit, problem solving, growth mindset, resilience and team work. Year 6 created a range of challenges for the children to tackle throughout the day. They all worked in houses and earned

points.

OVERALL TOTAL	
BARN	1458
EAGLE	1464
SNOWY	1530
TAWNY	1356





# Goodbyes!

Today we have had a lovely day saying goodbye to our Year 6 pupils.

We are so proud of everything they have achieved. It has been a privilege to be part of their journey as they have grown and flourished in to such wonderful, unique young people. For all those families who are leaving the SJS family for the last time, we wish you all the luck with the future and we cant wait to see you all soon and learn about your new adventures.

We are also saying goodbye to Miss King, we wish her luck as she goes off to train to be a teacher.

### **Year 5 DT Projects**

Following their recent trip to Paulson's Park, Year 5 have designed and made some fantastic fair ground rides, here a few;







## **DFE Activity Passport The Summer Holiday Challenge**

We sent this out in weekly communication two weeks ago. However, we wish to take this opportunity to remind you of the lovely activity passport that you can do with your child

Please follow this link:

https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/my-activity-passport





### Thank you!



I hope you all have a safe and enjoyable summer. Although this has been a really challenging year, our community has gone above and beyond to support each other. Thank you for all of your support, commitment and patience to help our school run so smoothly and enable us to create such amazing learning opportunities for our children.

Mrs Hixon & Mrs Tearle