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Weekly Newsletter

It's been another busy week here at Shanklea, with the sun shining and lots of fantastic learning taking place. Thank you to everyone who joined in our Number Day with such enthusiasm. Congratulations to **Harrison D** from Year 3 who won the **SumDog Competition**.

Shanklea Seaside Lunch

Shanklea students are invited to celebrate summer with a spectacular **seaside lunch** on **Thursday 20th May 2021**. Please pre-order (and pay where appropriate) on the School Gateway.

It is very important to pre-order your child's school meal. To reduce wastage, our Catering Team cook to order with only a few "extras." They must prioritise fulfilling the orders made so if you do not order for your child there may only be limited options available. Please discuss the choices with your child to prevent cases of children saying they don't like what has been ordered for them.



NF1 Awareness Day

On **Monday 17th May**, Shanklea will be turning **green** and **blue** to support the **Childhood Tumour Trust** and **Neurofibromatosis Type 1 (NF1) Awareness Day**.

At Shanklea we work hard to encourage children to show kindness and consideration for others and to understand the challenges other people can sometimes face. You can find out more about NF1 and how you can support this fantastic charity at <https://www.childhoodtumourtrust.org.uk/>



Walk to School Week 17th-21st May 2021

Next week is Walk to School Week. This is the annual celebration of walking to school organised by the charity **Living Streets**. The aim is to encourage pupils and their families to leave the car at home and walk, cycle or scoot to school so there will be less traffic outside our schools, improved air quality and pupils will increase their daily activity levels.



What is your Walking Superpower?

For Walk to School Week this year we want pupils to think about what their walking superpower is.

Does walking to school make you super happy, super smart or super strong?



KS2 Egyptian Virtual Workshop



Children in Key Stage 2 will be learning lots about the Ancient Egyptians on Tuesday 18th May. This will involve a live online Question and Answer session with a curator at the **Great North Museum**. The children will be able to ask questions (all linked to the Ancient Egyptians). Following this, we will all be



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participating in an exciting Mummy Investigative Workshop!

Netball Opportunities

We have been advised that a netball club has been created for children from Year 5 upwards. Training sessions for juniors are currently taking place on Wednesdays (not Thursdays as the poster says). Anyone who is interested should look up Astley Netball Club on Facebook for more information.



Shanklea Superstars

Congratulations to the **Shanklea Stars** of last week

Jacob S

Deegan S

Darcie A

Ellie T

Will W

Harry R

Jackson C

Jack S

Jonathan M

Leo C

Lexi C

Brannon B

Amber C

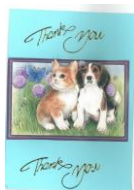
Zane V

Sophie K

Joseph C



A huge well done to **Mrs Earle** who has followed **Lois'** fantastic example and donated long lengths of hair to the **Little Princess Trust** who make real hair wigs for children who need them. We love the new style, Mrs Earle.



The children have received a beautiful home-made card from the residents at Hartford Court, thanking them for their Christmas Cards. It's so lovely to see that the children have made such a difference.

