



# Victor Seymour Infants' School

## Newsletter 28: 24/4/26

Dear Parents, Carers and Guardians,

Thank you for a lovely week everyone! We've had lots of celebrations this week and a busy week of learning and experiences.

### Sensible Squirrels

Well done to all of our Sensible Squirrels! This week you have been nominated for trying to find things out for yourselves and making good use of resources.

**Ishay, Stavros, Theo W, Duaa, Hayzel, Louie, Hannah, Jenson and Teddy.**



### Personal Achievements

**Caleb** for his achievements in rugby

**Hannah** for completing Stage 2 in swimming.

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**Charles** for his Timestable Rockstars award.

**Emma** for her Rainbow's achievement.

**Amber** for her creative painting.

**Mrs Johnston** and **Mrs Francis** for completing the Stepping Forward programme - we are so very proud of you both!

Thank you to our wonderful Squirrels, Brownies, Beavers and Rainbows who wore their very special uniforms on St Georges' Day! You looked so smart and represented your groups beautifully!



Have a safe weekend!  
Samantha Morrissy

### Healthy lunch box

Well done to all the children who entered the competition. There was lots of fantastic ideas and designs.

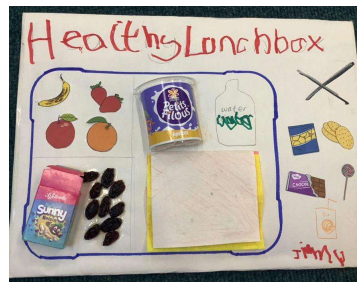
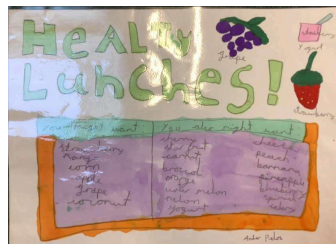
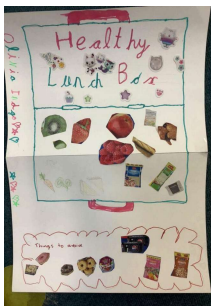
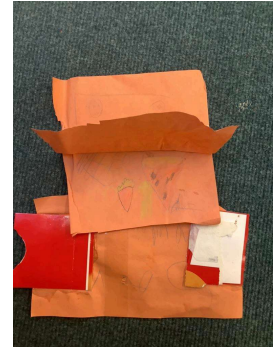
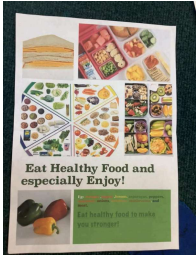
Thank you to ASDA Sutton and Creative Bee for their prize donations too.  
Winning design **Louie!**





## Runners up

Lylo, Amelia, Lavanya, Luca, Amber, Archie, Matthew, Charles, Archie, Amal, Olivia, Jimmy









# INTRODUCING: THE PANTRY PROJECT

WE ARE THRILLED TO ANNOUNCE THE LAUNCH OF OUR NEW SCHOOL FOOD-SHARE INITIATIVE, **THE PANTRY PROJECT**.

At our school, we believe that a well-nourished student is a ready-to-learn student. The Pantry Project has been designed to support our families by providing easy access to fresh, nutritious food items whenever they might be needed.




## 1,2,3 HOW IT WORKS: PARTICIPATION IS SIMPLE, DISCREET, AND OPEN TO ALL

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- **To Request:** Simply send an email to [PANTRYPROJECT@VSI.SCHOOL](mailto:PANTRYPROJECT@VSI.SCHOOL) to request a food bag.
  - **Collection:** Once your bag is ready, it can be collected directly from the school office.
  - **Privacy Matters:** We understand that some families may prefer a more private collection. If this is the case, please let us know in your email, and we will happily arrange a more discreet pickup location or time.



## WHAT'S INSIDE?

While contents may vary week to week based on availability, you can generally expect to find:

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- **Fresh Produce:** A variety of salad items and vegetables. 
  - **Food-to-Go:** Convenient items perfect for quick meals or snacks. 



## IMPORTANT NOTE ON ALLERGENS

The health and safety of our community is our top priority. Please be aware that **ALL ITEMS ARE PRE-PACKED BY SUPPLIERS**. As such, each individual item will have its own **COMPLETE ALLERGEN INFORMATION CLEARLY PRINTED ON THE PACKAGING**. We kindly ask that you **CHECK THESE LABELS CAREFULLY BEFORE CONSUMPTION**. Please note that Food To Go items will need to be consumed by midnight on the day of collection.

We are so excited to get this project off the ground and continue supporting our wonderful school family. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to get in touch!





**VSIPTA  
UPCOMING  
DONATIONS FOR THE SPRING  
FAIR**

<b>25</b> MARCH	<b>TEDDY BEARS</b> - DONATE UP TO 5 CUDDLY TOYS TO THE TEDDY TOMBOLA.
<b>17</b> APRIL	<b>MUFTI</b> - WEAR YOUR OWN CLOTHES AND DONATE £2.
<b>1</b> MAY	<b>BOTTLES</b> - DONATE A BOTTLE OF ANY KIND; WINE, BEER, SOAP, KETCHUP TO THE BOTTLE TOMBOLA.
<b>7</b> MAY	<b>JOLLY JAR</b> - DESIGN AND DONATE A JOLLY JAR.

Collection at morning drop off

<https://pta.events/VSIPTA-Raffle>

### The Spring Fair Raffle is now LIVE!!!

Up for grabs we have prizes including; x2 chances to win tickets to The Goodwood Festival of Speed 2026, tickets to Bockett's Farm, Hobbledown Epsom, Reformer Pilates classes, Kung Fu sessions, free meals and haircuts!

- ☀ Tickets are priced at £1 each and are available to buy using the link below. Alternatively, scan the QR code on the posters that are up around the school.
- ☀ The draw will take place on Saturday 9th May at 3pm, with online ticket sales closing at 2.30pm. Winners will be notified via email.

**VICTOR SEYMOUR PTA**

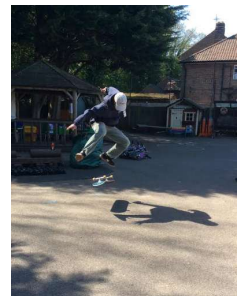
# JOLLY JARS

- 1** Get a clean empty jar.
- 2** Fill with sweets, chocolate, toys, stickers or stationery – anything fun. (NO NUTS, MARBLES OR CHOKING HAZARDS PLEASE)
- 3** Get crafting and decorating – there will be a prize for the best decorated from each year group.
- 4** Bring to school on the morning of **Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> May** – please label the bottom with your child's name and class to be entered into the competition



### Scootability

This week Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 took part in a Scootability workshop. The children each learnt how to stay safe on a scooter and how to cross a road and avoid obstacles. They also learnt some tricks! It was great fun.



### Y1 VR Workshop

On Thursday, Year 1 had a VR workshop about Space travel for our topic How did explorers change the world? We learnt lots of facts about the planets in our solar system and experienced a space rocket blasting off!





**CREATIVE  
WEEK 2026**

A WEEK OF CREATIVITY AND ART

**JUNE 1-5** || **SHOWCASE FRIDAY 5TH 2:45**

FEATURING ARTWORK INSPIRED BY TAKE ONE PICTURE  
from the National Gallery

**IN CLASSROOMS  
AND IN THE HALL**



## Summer Term Dates

Monday 4th May	BANK HOLIDAY
Tuesday 5th May	NHS Reception National Child Measurement Programme (Heights and Weights)
Friday 8th May	<b>Red</b> Class Assembly - 9am in the school hall PTA Jolly Jars into school
Saturday 9th May	PTA Spring Fair 11-2pm
Monday 11th May	Reception trip to the Ecology Centre <b>Blue</b>
Thursday 14th May	Reception trip to the Ecology Centre <b>Red</b> and <b>Yellow</b>
Friday 15th May	<b>Blue</b> Class Assembly - 9am in the school hall
	Whole class photos
Friday 22nd May	<b>Yellow</b> Class Assembly - 9am in the school hall
	Y2 trip to Brooklands Museum
22nd May - 29th May	HALF TERM
Monday 1st June	Back to school
Tuesday 2nd June	Y1 Ancient China Workshop in school
Friday 5th June	Creative Gallery 2:45-3:30pm
Friday 26th June	Sports Day
Friday 10th July	Y2 Sleepover
Tuesday 14th July	Y2 performance of Peter Pan at 9:30am
Wednesday 15th July	Y2 performance of Peter Pan at 9:30am
Thursday 16th July	Last day of school for Nursery
Friday 17th July	Last day of school for YR, Y1 and Y2



## Should I send my child to school?

Please read the NHS guidance [here](#)

## Special Educational Needs (SEND)

Mrs Wilkinson is running parent drop in sessions.

**Who can attend?** Any parents.

**When will appointments happen?** Wednesday between 9 - 10 am and 2 - 3pm.

**How long will a session be?** 30 minutes

Please sign up for an appointment [here](#) if you would like to discuss any worries.

## Clubs page

External companies who run clubs after school at VSI. Click on the logo to book a place!



**Martial Arts:** Pickup at 4.15pm

- Mondays Y1 & Y2 (Pickup at 4.15pm)



**Football Club:** Pickup at 4.15pm

- Tuesdays Girls Football Y1 & Y2
- Thursdays Boys Football Y1
- Fridays Boys Football Y2



**Story telling & Dramatic play:** Pickup at 4.15pm

- Wednesdays Y1 & Y2



**French Club:** Pickup at 4.15pm

- Thursdays Y1 & Y2





## Carshalton Summer Programme 2026 (part 1)

### Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April to Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May




MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<p><b>Circle of Security Parenting Programme</b> 9:45am - 11:30am 6 week course Creche available booking required (call centre to book) <a href="#">The Grange</a></p> <p><b>Nature Hunt</b> 1:30pm - 2:30pm 2 - 5 years <b>Beddington Park (meet by The Grange Play Centre)</b></p> <p><b>Baby &amp; Us - for couples</b> 6:00pm - 7:30pm 0-4 months 4 week course booking required (call centre to book) <a href="#">Carshalton Family Hub &amp; Children's Centre</a></p>	<p><b>Bumps &amp; Babies</b> 9:30am - 11:00am Bumps to pre-walkers <a href="#">Carshalton Family Hub &amp; Children's Centre</a></p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Please note:</b></p> <p>There will be no sessions across all centres Thursday 21st and Friday 22nd May due to staff training.</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Workshops</b></p> <p><b>Introducing Solids:</b> Step-by-step guide to starting your baby's weaning journey.</p> <p><b>Starting Reception:</b> Practical workshop to help prepare for reception.</p> <p><b>Toilet Training:</b> Practical workshop for tips and confidence. Booking required please visit or scan QR code: <a href="https://sutton.events.mylibrary.digital/">https://sutton.events.mylibrary.digital/</a></p>	<p><b>Learning Through Play</b> 9:30am - 11:00am 18 months - 5 years 5 week course <a href="#">Hackbridge Primary School</a></p> <hr/> <p><b>Elklan Let's Talk</b> 10:00am - 11:00am 18 months - 5 years 6 week course booking required <a href="#">Carshalton Family Hub &amp; Children's Centre</a></p>	<p><b>Mini Explorers</b> 10:00am - 11:30am New walkers to 30 months <a href="#">Carshalton Family Hub &amp; Children's Centre</a></p> <p><b>Terrific 2's</b> Invite Only <a href="#">Carshalton Family Hub &amp; Children's Centre</a></p> <p><b>Stay &amp; Play</b> 1:30pm - 3:00pm 0-5 years No session 19 Feb <a href="#">Carshalton Family Hub &amp; Children's Centre</a></p> <p><b>Baby &amp; Me</b> 2:00pm - 3:30pm 0-4 months 5 week course booking required (call centre to book) <a href="#">Riverside Centre</a></p>	<p><b>Stay &amp; Play</b> 10:00am - 11:30am 0-5 years Term time only <a href="#">The Grange</a></p> <p><b>Early Years Parents/Carers Group</b> 9:30am - 11:30am, drop-in on the 1st Friday of the month (for families with children under 5 with developmental concerns) No group in January <a href="#">Carshalton Family Hub &amp; Children's Centre</a></p> <p><b>Baby Massage</b> 2:00pm - 3:30pm 5 week course for babies birth-16 weeks; booking required <a href="#">Carshalton Family Hub &amp; Children's Centre</a></p> <p><b>Young Parents Stay &amp; Play</b> 2:30pm - 4:00pm For parents aged 21 years or younger with children 0-5 years <a href="#">Carshalton Family Hub &amp; Children's Centre</a></p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>MAY HALF-TERM</b></p> <p><b>SEND Stay &amp; Play</b> Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> May 10:00am - 12:00pm 2:00pm - 4:00pm booking required</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><a href="#">Carshalton Family Hub &amp; Children's Centre</a></p>		<p style="text-align: center;"><b>SATURDAY</b></p> <p><b>Male Carers Stay &amp; Play</b> 10:30am - 12:00pm 0-12 years 2nd Saturday of the month</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><a href="#">Carshalton Family Hub &amp; Children's Centre</a></p>		







# HOLY CROSS CARSHALTON



## Playgroup



### COME JOIN US FOR...

*crafts, singing, stories, soft play  
and socialising with other families over  
tea/coffee and biscuits*



### Dates for Spring 2026:

12 Jan, 26 Jan, 9 Feb,

2 Mar, 16 Mar

Venue: 46 North Street, Carshalton

Time: 09.00 - 10.15am

£1.50 per family

All are welcome.





**BALLERS  
SPORTS  
CLUB**

REVIEWS.io



5 stars average on reviews.io

# HALF TERM HOLIDAY CAMP

**25 MAY – 29 MAY**

Football and Multisport Camps



## INFORMATION

- ✓ Football and Multisport
- ✓ Easter Fun Day
- ✓ Free Fruit and Water
- ✓ Excellent Facilities
- ✓ Qualified Coaches
- ✓ Sibling Discount
- ✓ Ages 4-12



## MUSCHAMP PRIMARY SCHOOL

Muschamp Rd,  
Carshalton,  
SM5 2SE



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**THE  
FOOD  
HUB**

WEEK COMMENCING

13/4 27/4 11/5

01/6 15/6 29/6 13/7

# MENU

## Week 1

<b>MONDAY</b>	Cheesy Pasta 2,6	Cheese Pizza 2, 6 ✓	Mixed Vegetables A/F	School Cake 2,3
<b>TUESDAY</b>	Pasta Bolognese 2	Falafel With Tomato sauce 2 ✓	Peas & Garlic bread 2	Fruit Jelly A/F
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	Roast Chicken With Yorkshire Pudding 2,3,6	Vegetarian Parcel 2, 6 ✓	Cabbage & Carrots A/F	Apple Crumb Cake 2, 3
<b>THURSDAY</b>	Chicken Fajitas 2,6	Cheese & Tomato Pinwheels 2, 6 ✓	Broccoli & Carrots Rice	Vanilla Shortbread 2
<b>FRIDAY</b>	Fish Fingers or Salmon Fish Fingers 2, 4	Veggie Fingers 2 ✓	Chips Peas or Beans A/F	Selection of Pudding

**AVAILABLE  
DAILY**

Wholemeal bread, fresh salads, a variety of seasonal fresh fruit, yogurts & jacket potatoes.  
Please note that all our dishes can be adapted to suit the majority of dietary requirements

**little bites for every future**

Catering provided by Greenshaw Learning Trust. All products are locally sourced wherever possible. All food is cooked fresh on the school site each day.  
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| 2. Gluten | 7. Molluscs | 12. Soybeans      |
| 3. Eggs   | 8. Mustard  | 13. Sulphites     |
| 4. Fish   | 9. Peanuts  | 14. Tree nuts     |
| 5. Lupin  | 10. Sesame  | A/F Allergen Free |





**THE  
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WEEK COMMENCING  
20/4 4/5 18/5 8/6 22/6 6/7

# MENU

## Week 2

<b>MONDAY</b>	Basil and Tomato Pasta 2,	Cauliflower Broccoli Bake 2, 6 ✓	Peas & Carrots A/F	Strawberry Mousse 6
<b>TUESDAY</b>	Beef Burger 2, Halal	Veggie Burger 2, ✓	Wedges & Sweetcorn A/F	Blueberry Muffin 2, 3
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	Chicken Sausage Roast Yorkshire 2, 3, 6,	Quorn Sausage Roast 2, ✓	Cabbage & Carrots A/F	Shortbread 2,
<b>THURSDAY</b>	Chicken Curry 2	Creamy Lentil Curry 2, 12 ✓	Mix Vegetables Rice	Citrus Drizzle Cake 2, 3
<b>FRIDAY</b>	Fish Fingers or Salmon Fingers 2, 4	Quorn Nuggets 2 ✓	Chips Peas or Beans A/F	Selection of Pudding

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