



HOLY TRINITY C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL

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NEWSLETTER

16th November 2018

Dear Parents/Carers

Term 2 Value - Truthfulness

As the weather has now well and truly changed please make sure children always have a coat in school. Preparations for the PTA Christmas Fair are well underway with so many of you dedicating your time to help raise money for the school while giving the children a fun afternoon. If you haven't signed up for a slot yet to supervise a stall for 30 minutes or more, please do so as soon as you can. On pages 3 and 4, Mrs Williamson has provided a summary of all the stalls and timings for the fair and a list of things you can help to provide if possible. There'll be a great selection of stalls from external suppliers too so there'll be plenty of opportunity to get some Christmas shopping in.

Many thanks to everyone for coming along to Parents' Evening. We hope you found it beneficial. If you didn't manage to make a meeting please do get in touch to arrange to see your child's class teacher.

Have a great weekend everyone!



The House winning the most points this week across the whole school is **Air**. Well done **Air** and enjoy your extra playtime today!

Star of the Week

Congratulations to the following pupils who were awarded 'Star of the Week' for week ending 16th November 2018:

Class 1— Eloise for always showing kindness to everyone.

Class 2 — Benoit for writing a fantastic letter to warn King James 1 about the Gunpowder Plot.

Class 3C— Cerys for making great progress with column addition and showing a positive attitude to your Learning.

Class 3G — Max D for working so hard during our assessments.

Class 4— Amber for excellent work in column addition.

Class 5— Nellie for a great continuation of a legend.

Class 6— Harrison for a well written and engaging biography on Charles Darwin.

Holy Trinity CE Primary School take safeguarding very seriously. If you have a concern, please do not hesitate to report to our designated staff;

Mrs P. O'Brien, Mrs J. Griffith, Miss S. Harding, Mrs F Fargher.

Scholastic Book Club—Online Shop Now Open

Our new **Scholastic Book Club is up and running!** Go to <http://schools.scholastic.co.uk/holy-trinity-sl5> to browse the latest books and order online. For **every £1 you spend** on this month's Book Club, **our school will earn 25p** in Scholastic Rewards.

Please place your **order online by December 3rd, 2018.**

Please check book bags for a Scholastic leaflet— many more books available online.

Forward the link to friends and relatives aswell to help us buy resources for school.



Staff Training Roundup



Our commitment to learning extends to our staff too and we've been able to invest in a variety of training in the Autumn term in addition to that we've already reported in the newsletter:

- Inset Day—all teachers received Safeguarding Training.
- Miss Bohdjalian, Mrs O'Neill, Mrs Neale and Miss Prince have received asthma and anaphylaxis training.
- Mrs O'Neill has been on a 2 day paediatric first aid course
- Mrs Fargher has attended safeguarding and child protection training
- Mrs O'Brien attended a Bracknell deanery 'Church and School together' training day with Rev. Jon
- Mrs Barnes attended a training session at St. Mary's university based on mentoring a PGCE student
- Mrs Griffith and Mrs O'Brien attended a 2 day Senior Leaders conference run by RBWM.

Disabled Parking Space

We do have a blue badge holder who needs to use the disabled parking bay on Station Road but is never able to do so because cars are always parked in it! Please do not use the disabled bay unless you can display a Blue Badge. Many thanks for your consideration.

Tummy Bugs

We have had several children off over the last few days with tummy bugs. Just a quick reminder that you may not bring your child back to school until 48 hours have passed from the time of their last bout of sickness and/or diarrhoea. This is because they will still be infectious to other children and staff alike.

School Coats

Direct Clothing are discounting the Green Reversible Showerproof/Fleece coat during the month of November by 25%!

Click here for more information:

<https://www.thedirectclothing.co.uk/school/holy-trinity-ce-primary-school/>



Breakfast Club Bookings

As Breakfast Club becomes busier we do require the full 24 hours notice for ad hoc bookings to make sure that we have time to put appropriate staffing in place. Lately children are turning up to Breakfast Club without booking in at all and this affects our ability to safeguard all the children who are at Breakfast Club and have booked ahead.



Items sent home via pupil post:

Scholastic Book Club—All Years





PTA Christmas Fair 2018
Saturday 24th November 11am—2pm



Class Stalls

Thank you so much to the reps who are busy making the stalls a success for our children:

Reception—Sweet Tombola—Year 5, Second Hand Uniform Stall

Year 1—Bar in the Main Hall - Prosecco and Wine, Mulled Wine, Soft Drinks and Crisps

Year 2—Pottery Painting in Year 2 Classroom

Year 3C—Entrance, Grand Draw and Silent Auction

Year 3G Bottle Tombola—Year 4 Classroom

Year 4—Secrets Room—Choose and Wrap a pressie for Mum and/or Dad—3G Classroom

Year 5—Santa's Grotto –Meeting Room by School Office

Year 6—Nerf Gun Shooting, Xbox Forza Time Trial, Lovelife Tombola, Make a Christmas Decoration and Mini Games (Pin the Nose on Rudolf, Lipstick the Teacher (!) and Decoration Dash

Teachers—Tea, Coffee, Cakes and Biscuits

Hot Food—all supplied and managed gratis by the kitchen staff (Thank you!)

Donations Summary

We appreciate there are many requests and are so grateful for everything you donate to make our main fundraiser a success:

Your Time—Please sign up for 30 minutes so that your class reps have some time at the fair with their families

Class Hampers—to your class reps please

Secrets Room—Small gifts suitable for men and women (we especially need gifts for men!). Crate in the covered are by Year 2

Sweet Donations—find small bags in book bags for the Sweet Tombola. Hand in to School Office

Santa's Grotto and Pottery Painting—Complete forms and place with correct money in PTA box

Raffle Tickets—please place stubs and money in the envelope provided and place in the PTA box—plenty more available from the office

Cakes, Biscuits and Mince Pies to be sold on the day—all your Nut Free contributions welcome on Friday and Saturday

Bring a Bottle Mufti Day Friday 23rd Nov—sealed and in date for mufti day (e.g. wine, beer, shower gel, body cream etc)

Bottle Carriers—anything to help us to collect and move your bottles around



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PTA Christmas Fair 2018
Saturday 24th November 11am—2pm



Running Order

11am - Fair opens. £1 per adult and children free.

11-2: Pottery Painting and Santa's Grotto.

13.30 - Choir (Main Hall)

13.45 - Raffle

13.50 - Silent Auction close and winners announced

14.00 - Fair closes. If you can offer any help even to move tables and chairs back to their locations all help gratefully received!

External Stalls

We have some great external stalls all of whom have paid to attend so why not grab a drink and start your Christmas shopping whilst your children are pottery painting?

1. Neal's Yard Beauty Products
2. Usbourne Books
3. Physico and Chiropractor
4. Jamerry Nails
5. Pocket Money Stall
6. Pets Accessories
7. Scentsy Consultant
8. Local Wood Product Gifts
9. Gingerbread Houses and Christmas Cakes
10. Sportswear
11. Facepainting (Year 4 Classroom)
12. Costco
13. Gifts Galore
14. Candy Floss
15. Make your own Sand Picture



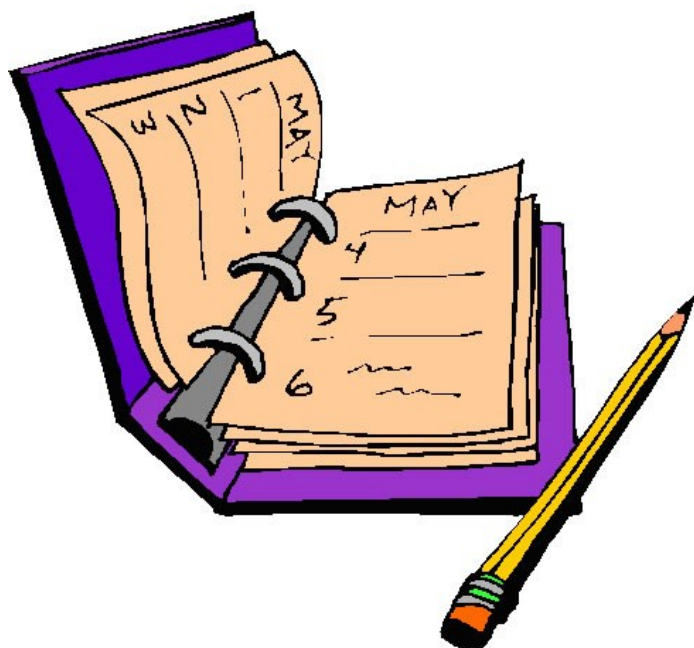
We look forward to seeing you on Saturday and hope you enjoy the fair!

PTA Reps and Committee

Future dates — all dates are correct as at today's date but are subject to change. More information will be given ahead of all events. Please keep an eye on the website as this is where any last minute changes will be advertised.

Autumn 2018

Thurs 22nd November—Y 5&6 Netball League Match at the Marist
 Fri 23rd November—Bring a Bottle Mufti
 Sat 24th November—PTA Christmas Fair 11am to 2pm
 Thurs 6th December—Y 5&6 Netball League Match at the Marist
 Fri 7th December—Year 2 Bake Sale
 Fri 7th December—Reception Class Nativity—School Hall - 9.30am
 Mon 10th December—KS1 Nativity School Hall—1.30pm
 Mon 10th December—KS2 Christmas Service Holy Trinity Church 6.30pm
 Tues 11th December—KS1 Nativity School Hall - 9.30am
 Wed 12th December—Christmas Lunch
 Wed 12th December—PTA Film Night
 Thurs 13th December—Charters Basketball Years 5 & 6 3.30—5pm (tbc)
 Thurs 13th December—Reception and KS1 Christmas Parties
 Fri 14th December—KS2 Christmas Parties
 Weds 19th December—Christmas Jumper Day 2pm End of Term



Ofsted noted a marked increase in persistent absence (a holiday will register as persistent absence). Please do not book holidays or family days during term time. Thank you.

Term Dates

2018/19 Academic Year

Term 2

Inset Day: 29.10.2018

Term Starts for Pupils: 30.10.2018

Term Ends: 19.12.2018 at **2PM**

Christmas Holiday

20.12.2018 to 02.01.2019

Term 3

Term Starts: 03.01.2019

Term Ends: 15.02.2018

February Holiday

18.02.2019 to 22.02.2019

Term 4

Inset Day: 25.02.2019

Term Starts for Pupils: 26.02.2019

Term Ends: 05.04.2019

Spring Holiday

08.04.2019 to 22.04.2019

Term 5

Term Starts: 23.04.2019

Term Ends: 24.05.2019

May Holiday

27.05.2019 to 31.05.2019

Term 6

Term Starts: 03.06.2019

Term Ends for Pupils: 19.07.2019

Inset Day: 22.07.2019

Inset Day: 23.07.2019



Cliff Roe Sports

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9:30AM - 4:30PM

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CHRISTMAS RACING
WEEKEND

IT'S THE MOST WONDERFUL TIME OF THE YEAR

Saturday 22nd December 2018 - Festive Family Fun

As the year draws to a close gather friends and family to enjoy Ascot's most valuable day of Jumps Racing and festive fun for all.

Arrive early to see Father Christmas arrive on his sleigh then enjoy story-telling with Mrs Christmas, say hello to the reindeers and huskies and see what our cheeky elves have in store! With mulled wine, mince pies and uplifting carol singing to finish it's the perfect way to start your Christmas celebrations.



ascot.co.uk

Adult Queen Anne Enclosure tickets: £25
(when booked in advance).

Accompanied children enter free.

No additional charges for activities and performances.

To book call **0344 346 3000** or visit **ascot.co.uk**



COLTS & FILLIES CLUB

Younger racegoers may wish to join the Colts and Fillies Club which is free for all children aged 17 and under. The club offers young people the chance to learn about horse racing while having lots of fun.

Benefits Include:

Membership Pack (a metal membership badge, a pen and welcome booklet)

Colts and Fillies cap to collect on your first visit to the races

Dedicated family days each year with entertainment for the whole family

The opportunity to be a racehorse owner with our club horse

Raceday activities exclusively for Colts & Fillies members including our much loved breakfast with Father Christmas before racing on 22nd December

Booking discount for family members

A chance to meet and have your picture taken with Scotty, the club mascot

Dedicated Colts & Fillies viewing area around the Parade Ring, reserved for members

Newsletters with all the latest news, events, competitions and visits

Trips on non racedays to equine attractions, trainer's yards and stud farms

Competitions for prizes, days out and special events



Visit coltsandfillies.co.uk for further information and joining details or contact the club on 0344 346 3621 or coltsandfillies@ascot.co.uk