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NEWSLETTER

20th July 2018

Dear Parents/Carers

Term 6 Value - Responsibility

Today we have many farewells to say. Mrs Woods, our SENCO, leaves us to appreciate her new grandchild after a long and distinguished career in education having been Headteacher at St Michael's Primary School in Sunninghill and a well respected member of the community for a very long time! We hope you love your days being Grandma Mrs Woods! Two of our Governors also leave us today—Richard Pelly after 25 years service as Governor and Chair of Governors and Sue Sleight who has been a Governor for five years including leading the Admissions Committee amongst other responsibilities. The school is so grateful to you both for your amazing energy and commitment to maintaining and improving standards, so freely given.

We have various children leaving us across the years too either moving away or to independent school. We wish you all much love and luck and hope that you will remember your days at Holy Trinity fondly as we will remember you.

And last but not least our Year 6 class are giddy with excitement and emotional as they spend their last day at primary school. What a high achieving bunch you are! You have been much appreciated by staff and pupils alike (especially your buddies) and we wish you every success as you move on to secondary school.

Have a great summer everyone! We hope the sun continues to shine for you.



Star of the Week

Congratulations to the following pupils who were awarded 'Star of the Week' for week ending 13th July 2018:

Reception— Miya for super contributions in class discussions and Inez for great focus and concentration in class.

Class 1— Eddy and Sophia for being star pupils all year . Wishing them good luck in their new schools.

Class 2P — Bo for her positive attitude towards her work and for always tidying the classroom.

Class 2W — Ava for super singing in assembly—well done!

Class 3— The whole class for being so well behaved on our trip to Windsor Castle. Well done Year 3!

Class 4— Sophie for helping others with their lines when rehearsing a group play.

Class 5— Ryan for always being polite and kind to others.

Class 6— A particular mention has to go to Hannah, Noah, Saskia and Olly for quietly taking on their roles in the production last week and helping to make the show!

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 V. Woods.

Looking Back...

We've managed to squeeze a huge amount in to this academic year aside from the usual and introduced various new activities and initiatives (e.g. The playground resurfacing, the learning hut, the outdoor classroom in the early years, spellodrome on-line, and growth mindset). The buddy system between Year 6 and Reception children has been particularly successful along with the introduction of our pastoral support hub. There have been numerous visitors into school such as the life bus, bikeability, a local artist in residence, a language teacher & various sporting companies. We have also increased the range and amount of trips and outings to support children's learning and introduced them to new learning opportunities and experiences.



We have linked up with many of the local schools; state and private in areas such as sport, drama, competitions (art, sport and academia), tutoring, transition of pupils and general training. We have also made links with local businesses including our church, the Parish Council, local shops and with many charity organisations both locally and nationally.

The school achieved 'outstanding' in our SIAMS church school inspection and maintained 'good' in our recent OFSTED short inspection. This is something we are very proud of and most certainly reflects the tremendous effort and hard work the staff, governors, pupils and parents put into our school community.

The PTA have been fantastic this year and we are very grateful to them and all those who have given their time, ideas and efforts in to raising funds and supporting children and staff throughout the school year. Many of the children really look forward to the fairs, family events, film night and the discos you put on for them.

We thank all the parents who give their time and energy into supporting in school. Diwali day was a huge success and all the reading and class support is fantastic to see. The children really enjoy working with different adults and school trips would be hard to manage without you!



The Christmas performances and services were wonderfully received by parents and preschool visitors and the sports day and Year 5 Olympic day was a huge success (helped by the wonderful weather!). The year 6 production with the support from years 5 and 4 was an amazing end to a very productive and busy year.

Well done Everyone... We couldn't do it without you!



Reception Class—Mini Athletics

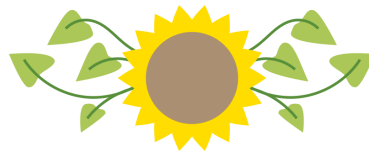
On Wednesday morning Mrs Leader and her sister kindly led Reception class in a mini-athletics sessions. They had lots of fun, running races, practising their shot-put style and throwing javelins. Many thanks to Mrs Leader and her sister Lucy for giving up their time.



Reception Class—Sunflower Competition



On Thursday afternoon Karen Brannigan from Savill's Estate Agent's visited Reception Class. Earlier in the year Savill's donated sunflower seeds to the school for the children to grow, and Karen came to see the results. Reception class planted the seeds earlier in the year and then took them home to watch them grow. The children have written about their plants, and measured their growth. Orla, Jack and Harry have been particularly diligent in their writing of their sunflower's progress. Harry's eventually got eaten by slugs much to his disappointment. Prizes were awarded for enthusiastic writing and for those who managed to grow extraordinarily tall sunflowers. Well done to the whole of Reception for their 'green fingers', this week they also enjoyed eating the potatoes they had grown in their outside area!



Year 3 Visit to Windsor Castle

We all enjoyed our visit to Windsor Castle. First of all we went into the Learning Centre and we met a lady called Shannon and the rules were 'Don't Frown' and 'Happy Faces' and 'Don't let the teachers go shopping and that's the same for children' but Mrs Griffith was almost going to go to the chocolate shop! Next we went through the security check leading to the castle grounds but Mrs Puckett got caught because scissors aren't allowed—but they trusted her. After that we went into St George's Chapel where there were tombs and lovely stained glass windows. Outside we saw the changing of the guards. Next we went in to the Garter Throne Room. A lady called Sophie told us about the Queen. In the throne room some children dressed up and some didn't. There were two Queens—Queen Emma and Queen Holly. Then we went through lots of other rooms including St George's Hall. After that we went home.

By Lina and Holly—Year 3



Club News

All information about school clubs and how to book on to them will be on the school website as and when it is received. Some clubs have already sent us their enrolment information which can be found here:

<https://holy-trinity-ce-primary.secure-primariesite.net/clubs-at-holy-trinity/>

We will continue to update this over the summer so that you can get booking! Marketing information about clubs not run by school will no longer be sent out to parents via email due to recently updated regulations governing the use of your personal data (GDPR).

Ice Cream Van

Year 6 have arranged for an ice cream van to be in the playground at 2pm today and are letting you know in case you wanted to bring some money for an end of term treat too!



Thunk of the Week

Our Year 6 class would like to leave you with a couple of thunks for the holidays!



'Are zebras black with white stripes or white with black stripes?' - Georgie

'Is sand called sand because it's the divider between the sea and the land?' - Isabella



Check out www.thunks.co.uk for more thunks to chat about at home.

KS2 Quadkids!

The results are in! Certificates were given out to children in assembly on Thursday for their performances in the Quadkids competition in June. Awards were as follows:

	Sprint	Distance	Long jump	Throw	Overall
Class 3	Sadie, Micah & Freddie F	Sadie & Toby	Lina & Toby	Grace & Sadie	Sadie & Micah
Class 4	Tianna & Jacob	Manika & Harry	Jacob & Tianna	Sebastian & Lexi	Tianna & Jacob
Class 5	Rebecca & Alfred	Rebecca & Alfred	Rebecca & Harry	Chloe & Harry	Chloe & Harry
Class 6	Hannah & Sam B	Charlotte & Sam B	Lottie & Tomas	Hannah & Sam L	Hannah & Sam B

KS2 Rounders!

On Tuesday afternoon KS2 took part in the annual Rounders competition. The children compete in mixed-age house teams. Thank you to the house and vice captains and other year 6s that helped with organising and motivating their teams as well as setting out and putting away equipment. The overall results were as follows:



4th place - Air

3rd place - Fire

2nd place - Earth

1st place - Water



Well done to Water, all of our winners and everyone who took part in both competitions!

Year 6—PE Kits

If you have a child leaving us this year and their PE kit will no longer be needed, we would be very grateful of any PE kit donations received. Many thanks!

Winter Uniform

Please note that we will return to school in September in winter uniform. Please can you also make sure your child is wearing proper school shoes. Trainers and other shoe styles will not be permitted in school.

Persistent Absence

Absence due to holidays has been very high this year and has been commented on very unfavourably by Ofsted. The school has once again missed its attendance target as a result. Governors will be considering ways to reduce holidays in term time and as this has a considerable impact on continuity of education for our pupils.

Pinworms

We have reports of pinworms in some children in school. Although harmless they can cause discomfort and sleep disturbance so do look out for symptoms. They can be treated successfully with over the counter medication.

Amazing Staff Lunch!

Staff would like to say an enormous thank you to Year 6 parents who put on an incredible spread for staff lunch on Tuesday this week including catering for special dietary requirements! The lunch was so much appreciated by all.



PTA News

Thank you to all the Class Reps for all their hard work this year.

All the hours invested in organising class socials, Bake Sales, Xmas and Summer Fair Hampers and Stalls not to mention teacher gifts are very much appreciated!

Thank you too to you all for giving time to the school especially for our Fairs – they wouldn't go ahead without you!

Calendar of events for next year can be found on the school website at:

<http://www.holytrinityschsunningdale.co.uk/pta/>

We are always looking for help either on the committee or for any new roles - we'd welcome your questions and involvement.

Don't forget stampastic! https://stampastic.co.uk/pages/school-welcome#a_aid=5afd3cf525bc4
Code SL50NJ

Stampastic PTA Rewards – stampastic-uk

A big pat on the back for landing on this page as it means that you would like to raise money for your school, club or charity! What a lovely person you are ☐ In 2017 people just like you helped to raise £17,665.25 for good causes through the Stampastic Cashback Scheme and we hope this year will be even more successful

Have a fantastic weekend - Andi, Mark, Karen, Michelle and Belle.

Wednesday 8 August Special Summer Holiday Crafty Rendezvous Café 9.15 am - 12 noon



Come along with your young people
and take part in fun **FREE** craft activities
(for adults too!)



Tea/coffee with delicious cakes (£1),
soft drinks and cookies (50p)

Meet up with friends
and make new ones.
Do drop in!



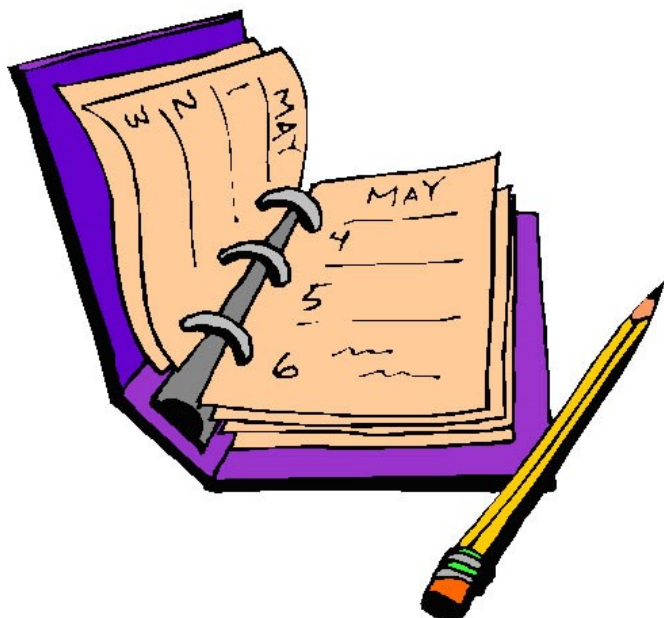
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Future dates — all dates are correct as at today's date but are subject to change. More information will be given ahead of all events. Please keep an eye on the website as this is where any last minute changes will be advertised.

Summer 2018

Friday 20th July—Term ends at 2pm

Ice Cream Van in the Playground



A few dates for the Autumn Diary...

Autumn 2018

Tuesday 11th September—Meet the Teacher 3.20pm

Friday 21st September - Year 6 Bake Sale

Mon 24th September—PTA AGM

Friday 5th October—Year 5 Bake Sale

Mon 15th October—Harvest Festival (Rec, Y2, Y4, Y6) - 9.30am—Church

Tues 16th October—Harvest Festival (Y1, 3C, 3G, Y5) - 9.30am—Church

Tues 16th October—Flu Vaccinations Rec—Year 5

Tues 13th November—Parents Consultation Evening

Thurs 15th November - Parents Consultation Evening

Fri 23rd November—Bring a Bottle Mufti

Sat 24th November—PTA Christmas Fair

Wed 12th December—PTA Film Night

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

2017/2018 Academic Year

Term 6

Term Ends for Pupils: 20.07.2018 **2PM**

Inset Day: 23.07.2018

Inset Day: 24.07.2018

2018/19 Academic Year

Term 1

Inset Day: 03.09.2018

Term Starts for Pupils: 04.09.2018

Term Ends: 19.10.2018

October Holiday

22.10.2018 to 26.10.2018

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



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OPEN DAY



SATURDAY 18 AUGUST
10AM – 4PM



See the police helicopter and team
Meet the mounted and dog sections
Learn about different departments
Visit the police museum

Come and join us at Thames Valley Police Training
Centre at Sulhamstead near Reading (RG7 4DX)

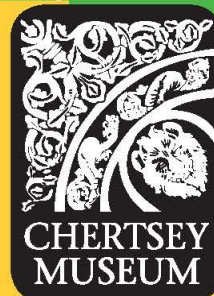
FREE ENTRY

**No admission before 10am,
last entry 3.30pm**

Parking available on a first come first served basis
Disabled parking and wheelchair access
No dogs permitted on site, except assistance dogs
Food available on site; cash only.

www.thamesvalley.police.uk/penday

Summer Holiday Activities



Perfect Peg Dolls

Thursday 26th July

11am-12 or 2-3pm

Cost: £3

Paper Window Boxes

Thursday 2nd August

11am-12:30pm or 2:00-3:30pm

Cost: £3.50

Superhero Masks

Thursday 9th August

1-3:30pm Drop-in session

Cost: £1

Unicorn Cushions

Thursday 16th August

2-3:30pm

Cost: £4.50

Wooden Aeroplane Gliders

Thursday 23rd August

1-3:30pm Drop-in session

Cost: £1.50

Sea Life Pencil Pot and Topper

Thursday 30th August

11-12pm

Cost: £3.00



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WILDFIRE

To help keep you and our countryside safe, we have come up with a checklist for what to do if there is a fire.



What to do:

- Do not try and tackle the fire yourself
- Call 999 and request the Fire Service
- Give an accurate location of the fire, for example -
 - Name of the nearest road
 - Access points
 - Visible land marks (pubs, farms, power lines, etc)
 - Locally known names
 - Map grid references (Ordnance Survey ideally or an A to Z)
- Move to a safe area and contact the local land manager if possible
- If the fire is in a remote area, please meet emergency services at the access point so that you can guide them to the location



What not to do:

- Do not discard cigarettes
- Do not have BBQs in unauthorised areas
- Never leave a BBQ unattended
- Do not start camp fires out in the countryside
- Do not discard rubbish - particularly reflective materials
- Do not burn off garden rubbish during hot periods or if you live close to woodland or heathland
- Do not have bonfires on hot days or during prolonged periods of dry weather



Remember, prevention is key!

It has taken thousands of years to create the unique habitats that we have in the UK - a wildfire could destroy these in hours. Help Royal Berkshire Fire and Rescue Service keep you safe this summer.

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