



# HOLY TRINITY C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL

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## NEWSLETTER

19th January 2018

### Dear Parents/Carers

#### ***Parking Concerns***

The parking behaviours around the school in the mornings and at school pickup time have become increasingly worse over the last few weeks. If our school parents and carers continue to park as they are at the moment, it is only a matter of time before someone is seriously hurt. The school has been inundated with complaints from neighbours and parents alike, concerned about shocking manners from adults and in fear for the safety of their families. Complaints include:

- Blocking off Parkside Road to residents on more than one occasion
- Many cars parking on double yellow lines which is illegal and extremely dangerous for other road users and your children trying to cross the road
- Parking on the corner of the junction of Church Road and Station Road causing an obstruction to other road users and danger to your children trying to cross the road
- Parking ON A NEIGHBOUR'S PROPERTY!
- Using the Village Hall Car Park which is private property and reserved for users of the Village Hall and Pre-School only

As a school we have tried to do what we can to alleviate the problem, with morning and breakfast clubs in place, staggered drop off between 8.40am and 8.55am and numerous after school clubs which reduce pressure at 3.15pm. From Year 6, many children walk to school unaccompanied and we support parents' introducing some independence at this stage. However, parking behaviours are making crossing the road very difficult for these young children who are at unnecessary risk. The police and the local authority have been informed. Patrols are likely to increase and photographs of offenders will be passed on. If you need to use the car for your school run and have difficulty parking, we recommend you give due consideration and park responsibly or use Broomhall Park and take a five minute walk up to school.

We are seriously concerned about the possible consequences for families and also relationships with our valued neighbours if the current situation becomes the norm. We hope you are equally concerned and will take personal action where necessary.

### Star of the Week

Congratulations to the following pupils who were awarded 'Star of the Week' for week ending 12th January 2018:

- ★ Reception— Jacob for working really hard with his reading and writing.
- ★ Class 1— Sylvia for being a true role model and respectful listener
- ★ Class 2P — Eloise for working really hard in her Maths group this week.
- ★ Class 2W — Aarav for super examples of alliteration in English.
- ★ Class 3— Lola for excellent contributions in English when 'boxing-up' Alice in Wonderland.
- ★ Class 4— Sophie for persevering with her learning about time in Maths.
- ★ Class 5— Harry for persevering in Maths and climbing out of the Learning Pit!
- ★ Class 6— Oliver L for his bravery during class assembly.

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.

## News and Reminders

### Lunch Debts—KS2 Parents

Please can you make sure that all lunch debts are cleared over the weekend and that your ParentPay account is in credit if you wish your child to have a school lunch. Many thanks for your attention to this.

### Smartie Tubes—School in a Bag

Well done to Abigail F in Year 2 for filling your Smartie tube by completing jobs around the house. There's still time to bring in your tubes—remember they don't have to be full to make a difference.

### Have you lost a Coffee Club Card?

A Coffee Club card was found outside school. Please collect from the School Office if it's yours.



### World Book Day

World Book Day this year will be on Thursday 1st March. We won't be dressing up this year but will be asking children and staff to bring their favourite book in to school to share. The PTA will also be running a second-hand book sale in the school hall.

### New Café Church Service 10.30 on Sundays

Holy Trinity Church have a brand new Café Church Service on Sundays at 10.30. Lasting about an hour, Café Church is suitable for all ages and includes children's clubs and a relaxed atmosphere throughout. Everyone is welcome so please do come along and give it a try.



### Do you want to Sync with our School Calendar?

Dear Parents

A feature of the school's website allows you to subscribe to events from the school calendar so that they download into your own personal calendar on your mobile phone, tablet or computer.

All you need to do is visit the calendar on the school website and click the link called 'Link the school events to your personal calendar'. You can then choose from three options: to add to your default calendar (for example, on an iPhone it will go to the iPhone calendar); to add it to your Google calendar; or input it to your calendar programme of choice.

Things to know:

- If the school edits its calendar, the updates will appear automatically in your calendar (the time that this takes to happen will depend on your calendar programme).
- You cannot edit the events in the school calendar.
- All events will pull through in one colour only, not the colours set by the school.
- You can name the calendar and choose how often to receive updates (we recommend you set this to as often as possible)
- You can unsubscribe via your own calendar at any time.

**If you have any questions or feedback, please let the office know and we can forward them to the school's website provider**

### Items sent home via pupil post:

Years 6—SATs Revision Book Bundle

Years 4, 5 & 6— Research Questionnaire



### **PTA Update**

Thank you to everyone who supported the 2P Cake Sale - extra special thanks to Domino's in Sunningdale who also provided pizzas in contribution.

- School Disco - 2nd Feb - please put your slips in the PTA box in reception with £4 cheque or cash next week. If anyone needs another slip just let you class rep know!
- March 12th - amended date for next PTA meeting 8-8.50pm. We'd welcome feedback either on the night or to your class reps on any ideas or feedback you'd like to give about school fundraising!

Thank you for continued support and contributions.,

**Andi, Belle, Michelle, Mark, Karen and Jo. (PTA Committee)**

### **Are you Green Redeeming?**

Hopefully by now you'll have set up your Greenredeem account. Seven schools in RBWM are collecting donated points for 6 months starting from last Friday 5th January. The pot of £3000 will be shared amongst the seven schools according to the percentage of points donated to each school. At the moment we're third in the table but the two schools above us have lots more points and so are currently in line for a much bigger share of the pot! Please log on to Greenredeem and donate your points to us if you can. Many thanks!



## **RUMBLE IN THE JUMBLE SALE**

**From 1pm (while stocks last!)  
Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> January**



**Bag a  
bargain!**

**1st Sunningdale Scout Hut  
Sandy Lane, Sunningdale, SL5 0ND**

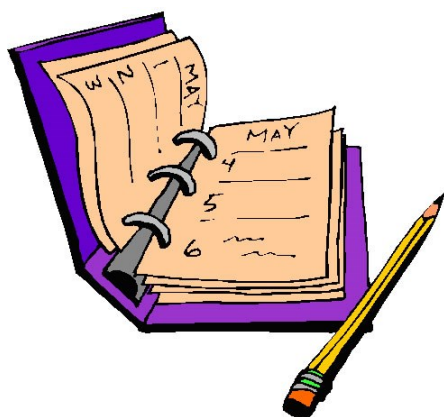
All welcome. Tea, coffee, cake and bargains galore!

**Good quality jumble donations invited from 10am-noon on Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> January**

**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.

### Spring 2018

Tues 23rd Jan—Year 6 Trip to Harry Potter World  
 Fri 26th Jan—Year 4 Class Assembly—9.15am  
 Fri 26th Jan—2W Bake Sale  
 Wed 31st Jan—Year 3 Parent Consultation Meetings  
 Thurs 1st Feb—Year 3 Parent Consultation Meetings  
 Thurs 1st Feb—Year 5 Trip to see George's Marvellous Medicine  
 Fri 2nd Feb—Year 3 Class Assembly—9.15am  
 Fri 2nd Feb—PTA School Disco  
 w/c 5th Feb—Come and See Week  
 Tues 6th Feb—Y3 Trip to Winchester Science Museum  
 Tues 6th Feb—Y3 & Y4 Sportshall Athletics—Charters—3.30—5pm  
 Thurs 8th Feb—Netball Holy Trinity Vs SAVS at The Marist 3.30pm  
 Fri 9th Feb—Prayer Group—9am All Welcome. Meet in School Reception  
 Fri 9th Feb—Y2 Visit to Windsor Theatre  
 Fri 23rd Feb—Year 1 Bake Sale  
 Thurs 1st March—2W Class Assembly—9.15am  
 Thurs 1st March—World Book Day PTA Book Sale—School Hall  
 Fri 2nd March—2P Class Assembly—9.15am  
 Tues 6th March—Y5 & Y6 Netball at Charters—3.30—5pm  
 Fri 9th March—Year 1 Class Assembly—9.15am  
 Fri 9th March—Reception Class Bake Sale  
 Mon 12th March—PTA Meeting 8pm  
 Tues 13th March—Parent Consultation Meetings  
 Thurs 15th March—Parent Consultation Meetings  
 Fri 16th March—Prayer Group—9am All Welcome. Meet in School Reception.  
 Fri 16th March—Reception Class Assembly  
 Tues 20th March—Easter Service Rec, 2P, Y3 and Y5 9.30am Holy Trinity Church  
 Wed 21st March—Easter Service Y1, 2W, Y4 and Y6 9.30am Holy Trinity Church  
 Fri 23rd March—Y4 Bake Sale  
 Weds 28th March—PTA Easter Egg Hunt



Please see significant dates for the **Summer term** on the website.

## **Term Dates**

### 2017/2018 Academic Year

#### Term 3

**Term Starts 03.01.2018**

Term Ends 09.02.2018

#### February Holiday

12.02.2018 to 16.02.2018

#### Term 4

Inset Day 19.02.2018

**Term Starts for Pupils 20.02.2018**

Term Ends 29.03.2018 **2PM**

#### Spring Holiday

30.03.2018 to 13.04.2018

#### Term 5

**Term Starts: 16.04.2018**

Term Ends: 25.05.2018

#### May Holiday

28.05.2018 to 01.06.2018

#### Term 6

**Term Starts: 04.06.2018**

Term Ends for Pupils: 20.07.2018

Inset Day: 23.07.2018

Inset Day: 24.07.2018 **2PM**

**Please do not book holidays or family days during term time. Thank you.**



Join this free webinar to hear more about the role we all play in keeping children safe online. In particular:

- strategies for keeping children safe online
- danger signs and how to spot them
- what to do when things don't feel right

## Presenters



**Lorin LaFave**

*The Breck Foundation*

Founder of The Breck Foundation and mother of Breck Bednar who was tragically murdered by someone he met online.



**Daniel Lambert**

*Ofsted*

Her Majesty's Inspector of schools, south east region.



**Hilary MacDonald**

*Ofsted*

Senior Her Majesty's Inspector of schools, south east region.

*This session is specifically designed for parents, teachers, school staff, local authority staff and others who look after, and are responsible for, children in the south east of England.*

# Online safety

## Webinar

Wednesday 31 January 2018 | 7-8pm

Find out more and register free at:



[bit.ly/OnlineSafetyWebinar](https://bit.ly/OnlineSafetyWebinar)

# Space in your heart? Spare room in your house?

We need your knowledge and experience to help children in care.  
Foster carers come from all walks of life.

## If you are...

- Over 21
- Live in the UK
- Have a spare room you can convert into a bedroom

...then we want to hear from you.

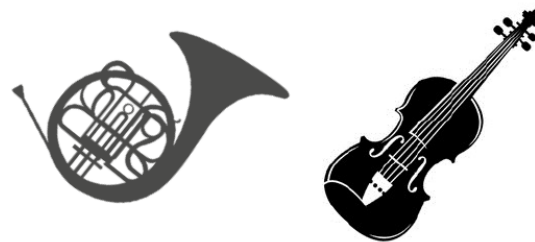
## Financial support and full training is provided.

- You don't need to have had children to foster
- You can be single/married/divorced/LGBT
- It is possible to foster and work



Call Rebecca to book an appointment  
or to find out more on 01628 636376 or  
email: [fostering@thecornerstonepartnership.com](mailto:fostering@thecornerstonepartnership.com)





## Invitation to all young musicians!

If you play an instrument Windsor Music Ctr will have an ensemble that will help you make friends, learn more and experience playing as part of a group or orchestra. We also host concerts to allow students to show off what they have learnt to friends and family.

We are inviting you to try out as many of our ensembles (that suit your ability) as you like this term. No need to book, just turn up. There will be no obligation to join before the February half term, our final rehearsals will be the week ending Friday 9th February.

We look forward to seeing you soon!

### STRINGS

|                                |          |                 |
|--------------------------------|----------|-----------------|
| Maidenhead Magic Strings       | Tuesday  | 4.40pm—5.25pm   |
| (Held at Newlands Girl School) |          |                 |
| <i>Beginner—Grade 2</i>        |          |                 |
| Windsor Magic Strings          | Saturday | 11.15am—12.00pm |
| <i>Beginner—Grade 2</i>        |          |                 |
| Allegretto Strings             | Saturday | 9am—10am        |
| <i>Grade 3—4</i>               |          |                 |
| Presto Strings                 | Saturday | 8.30am—10.30am  |
| <i>Grade 5 +</i>               |          |                 |

### WOODWIND & BRASS

|                         |          |               |
|-------------------------|----------|---------------|
| Buzzing Brass           | Friday   | 4.30—5.15pm   |
| <i>Beginner—Grade 1</i> |          |               |
| Wacky Woodwind          | Saturday | 9.15—10am     |
| <i>Beginner—Grade 1</i> |          |               |
| Chinook Wind Band       | Saturday | 11.15—12.15pm |
| <i>Grade 1—3</i>        |          |               |
| Mistral Wind Band       | Saturday | 9—11am        |
| <i>Grade 3—5</i>        |          |               |
| Zephyr Wind Band        | Saturday | 9—11am        |
| <i>Grade 5+</i>         |          |               |

### VOICE

|                        |          |               |
|------------------------|----------|---------------|
| Junior Choir           | Saturday | 9.30—10.15am  |
| <i>Years 1 and 2</i>   |          |               |
| Intermediate Choir     | Saturday | 10.15—11.00am |
| <i>Years 3+</i>        |          |               |
| RB Contemporary Voices | Friday   | 6.15pm—7.15pm |
| <i>Ages 12+</i>        |          |               |

### Chamber Groups

|                    |          |           |               |
|--------------------|----------|-----------|---------------|
| Saxophone Ens.     | Grade 2+ | Saturday  | 11.10—12.20am |
| Pan Flutes         | Grade 2+ | Saturday  | 11.40-12.25am |
| Clarinet Choir     | Grade 4+ | Saturday  | 11.15am—12pm  |
| Double Reed Ens.   | Grade 1+ | Wednesday | 7pm-7.30pm    |
| RB Symphonic Brass | Grade 4+ | Wednesday | 7pm-8pm       |

### GUITAR & PERCUSSION

|                                        |           |              |
|----------------------------------------|-----------|--------------|
| Windsor Guitar Band                    | Saturday  | 10am—10.45am |
| <i>Beginner—Grade 5</i>                |           |              |
| Junior Percussion Ensemble             | Saturday  | 8.30am—9am   |
| <i>Beginner—Grade 2</i>                |           |              |
| Senior Percussion Ensemble             | Wednesday | 4.30—5.45pm  |
| <i>Ages 12+ with two years tuition</i> |           |              |

### SOUNDSTAGE—Contemporary Band experience

Wednesday 6pm—7pm  
*All ages and abilities welcome*



### JAZZ

|                                        |               |
|----------------------------------------|---------------|
| Thursday                               |               |
| East Berkshire Jazz Training Orchestra | 4.30pm—5.30pm |
| <i>Grade 2-4</i>                       |               |
| East Berkshire Jazz Orchestra          | 5.30pm—6.30pm |
| <i>Grade 5+</i>                        |               |



### MINI MAESTROS—Saturday Mornings Early Years

|              |          |               |
|--------------|----------|---------------|
| Walking Tall | Ages 3-5 | 9.30am—10am   |
| Beat Keepers | Ages 5-6 | 8.45am—9.30am |
| Pied Pipers  | Ages 7-9 | 11am—11.45am  |

Mini Maestros members can attend our  
Junior and Intermediate choirs free of charge

If you have any questions or would like further information, please call Dawn Parker on 01753 306761 or 07921 808884.

Or alternatively by email: [windsor@berkshiremaestros.org.uk](mailto:windsor@berkshiremaestros.org.uk)