



Trinity Church School

A Church of England Primary School



Friday 21st September 2018

Newsletter 02

Our core Christian Values: *Trust, Friendship, Creativity, Courage, Respect, Compassion*

Reception Class

I have been so pleased with how the first two weeks of this new academic year have gone. I am delighted to say how well Conker Class have settled into the school routine. We have been very busy already, discussing 'what makes me special', looking at our appearances, our families and where we live. This has led us to making self-portraits using pasta, also family portraits and going outside collecting natural materials to make a class sculpture. We have been den building and using wooden blocks and shaving foam to make our homes.

I hope the children's enthusiasm for learning continues throughout the school year.

Miss Southwell



School News

Now we are settled back into the school routine, please ensure your child has their PE kit in school every day. PE T-shirts, hoodies and joggers (now only black available but any existing purple joggers can be worn) can be purchased from the online uniform shop: <http://www.michaelhope.co.uk/account/login>.

Please can you provide children with wellies (if you haven't already done so) to keep at school for use on the field. There are many occasions when the ground will be muddy and wet so it is essential that every child has their own pair to wear. We will also use them for school trips if it is considered necessary.

If you are having a clear out of old clothes and underwear for nursery and reception age children we would be glad to receive them. Please hand them into your class teacher.

Finally we would like to remind you that we are a nut/seed and kiwi free school so please ensure that you do not provide any of these items in lunch boxes or cakes etc. We have both pupils and staff who have severe reactions if they come into contact with these food items

Thank you for your co-operation.

Gracewell Care Home

We took our first group of Y5 children to meet the residents at Gracewell Care Home last Thursday. The residents were thrilled to receive a visit from our cheerful and inquisitive children which brightened up their day. It was wonderful to hear the stories being told which our children were fascinated to hear. A great tonic to both children and residents who are eagerly looking forward to the next visit. We look forward to forging friendships and developing interesting and fun activities over the next weeks to come providing enrichment for our friends at Gracewell.

Mrs Macdonald



Head Teacher's Award Winners



w/e 21st
September

Conker
Chestnut
Cedar
Willow
Cherry
Maple
Redwood

Alfie
Kevin
Ruby
Marcus
Roman
Theo
Jude



Best Class Attendance



Well done to **Conker** Class for best class attendance this week.

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House Winners Summer Term



House point winners this week are **Green** – Congratulations!

Class Assemblies



Please come and join us at 2.30pm for our Class assemblies as follows:

Thursday 25th October 2018	Cherry Class - Term 1
Thursday 22nd November 2018	Willow Class - Term 2
Thursday 14th February 2019	Cedar Class - Term 3
Thursday 28th March 2019	Maple Class - Term 4
Thursday 23rd May 2019	Chestnut Class - Term 5
Thursday 13th June 2019	Conker Class - Term 6
Thursday 18th July 2019	Redwood Leavers Assembly

Outside Achievements

Rhianydd (Y2) has been a super swimmer, passing stage 3 and achieving her 25 meter award. **Fantastic!**

Chloe (Y4) and Sophie (YR) took part in a 5k Bristol Bubble Rush raising £300 for St. Peters hospice. **Amazing!**



TASC News

Please can we remind parents that if you wish to book either of our TASC sessions that you do so 48 hours in advance. Prices for TASC are now £2.00 for the hour session 3.10-4.10pm and £6.50 for the longer session 3.10-6pm which includes a light tea.

Our TASC staff are introducing various activities during Term 1 including cooking sessions every Monday where children may bring home some edible goodies! We are also planning to make some pumpkin faces so any donations would be gratefully received. As bonfire night approaches we will be creating a Guy Fawkes so we will be looking for any unwanted newspapers as well.

Over the course of the term we will be working on a patchwork blanket for children who wish to sit quietly and work on this project. Those who think they might be interested could bring in an old t-shirt, a flannel or a piece of material which could be used.



Date	Event	Notes
Thurs 27th September	Y6 Parent Workshop	2 - 3pm Redwood parents invited
Fri 28th September	Y2 trip to Lower Stock Farm	9am - 3pm
Mon 8th October	Y6 Lifeskills trip	8.30am - 12noon
Mon 15th October	Individual School Photos	Whole school
Tues 16th October	KS1 Harvest celebration	YR, Y1, Y2 parents invited 9 - 10am
Tues 16th October	KS2 Harvest celebration	Y3, Y4, Y5, Y6 parents invited 2 - 3pm
Wed 24th October	YR Parent Workshop	2 - 3pm Conker parents invited
Fri 26th October	Mufti Day - Donations for Christmas Fair: KS1 - Sweets or Chocolates KS2 - Bottle e.g. bubble bath, wine, soft drink etc.	Whole School KS1: YR - Y2 KS2: Y3 - Y6
Fri 26th October	End Term 1	
Mon 5th November	Term 2 starts	
Mon 12th November	Parents Evening 3.30 - 5.30pm - further details to be provided	Whole School
Tues 13th November	Parents Evening 3.30 - 5.30pm - further details to be provided	Whole School
Sat 1st December	Christmas Fair	Parents and friends
Tues 4th December	Half price book fair arrives for one week	Whole school
Fri 14th December	After School Clubs finish	
Tues 18th December	KS1 Christmas performance	Parents invited
Wed 19th December	KS2 Christmas performance	Parents invited
Thurs 20th December	PTA Christmas Panto	Whole School
Thurs 20th December	Last day for TASC	
Fri 21st December	Christmas Dinner	Whole school
Fri 21st December	End of Term	

B Bath Strings Academy

Bath Strings Academy provides fun-filled musical experiences for string players of all ages and levels of experience, from beginners to advanced players.



Autumn Term Dates:

- Sunday 23rd September
- Sat 13th & Sun 14th October
- Fri 19th and Sun 21st October
- Sunday 11th November
- Festive workshop tbc

Fees per workshop:

Full Days: £38

(sibling discounts available – see website for details)

For more information or to book, please visit:

www.bathstringsacademy.org



Next Workshops...

Star Wars Meets Mars

Sunday 23rd September 2018, 10am – 4.15pm
Widcombe Junior School, Bath
Suitable for: Beginners – Advanced Players

Join us to explore the soundscape of music inspired by outer space, including BBC Ten Pieces work, *Mars* from the *Planet Suite* by Holst. We'll work on creating different sound effects using fun bowing techniques.

Inspired Weekend

Day 1: Saturday 13th October, 9am – 6pm
Royal Welsh College of Music and Drama, Cardiff
Suitable for: Grade 4 and above; tickets strictly limited

There is nothing more inspiring than working with top-class professionals. World-famous violinist Nicola Benedetti has built a reputation as a passionate educator as well as a top-flight soloist. We will take part in a workshop with other young string players at the Royal Welsh College of Music and Drama. Fees include supervised attendance at the workshop and transport from Bath to Cardiff.

Day 2: Sunday 14th October 2018,

2 hours, 10am - 4pm Widcombe Junior School, Bath

The following day there will be the opportunity to put what you have learned into practice, with 2 hours of chamber music coaching in small groups. Groups will be carefully matched by age and playing experience, and players will have the opportunity to explore new repertoire in duets, trios, quartets and quintets.

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