### HOLY TRINITY C.E. (A) PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER 7 (Summer)

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# Congratulations to our pupils....



**Communication** Freddie P (Maple)

Respect Ridley A (Ash) Finlay R (Hawthorn)
Ourselves Luke B (Silver Birch) Josh L (Pine)

Leon G (Beech) Max L-D (Elder) Poppy B (Larch) Paul M (Oak) Rosie

(Willow) Creativity Emily N (Chestnut)

Aspiration

**Mighty Multiples** 

**Gold** Sophie B (Maple) Charlie M (Oak)

Platinum Alice B, Olivia E, Sophie B (Maple) Sophia J, Max S, Hal F (Oak) Flora J (Larch)

Golden Coat Peg Silver Birch

Singing Stars KS1 Chestnut KS2 Maple Congratulations for other achievements.....

Kwik Cricket Yr 4/5 Leah M, Oli H, Oli M, Penny A, Phoebe W(Pine); Oli S, Issy, Josh B (Silver Birch); Josh J (Willow)

Kwik Cricket Yr 6 Tilly B, George H, William G-G, Flinn H, Toby V, Isaac H, Oli S, Erika T (Silver Birch)

# **Change to Deputy Head Hours**

Holy Trinity will be seeing a little less of Mr McCulley after Half Term as he begins his liaison with his new school, St. Peter's CE Primary School in Henfield. Mr McCulley will take up Headship at St. Peter's in September, but, after the half term holiday, will spend part of each week visiting the school in preparation for his new role. Mr McCulley will continue to carry out his Deputy Head duties at Holy Trinity, and his teaching commitments will be covered by Mrs Saunders, Mrs Whinder and Mrs Duarte.

We know parents and carers would like to join with us in wishing Mr McCulley well for the future and we will enjoy the time he spends at Holy Trinity in the second half of the term.

#### **New Leadership Appointments**

We are delighted to announce that Mrs Saunders and Mrs Smitherman have both been appointed as interim assistant headteachers for the coming academic year. We know they will both do an excellent job as part of the leadership team.



# SEND Parent/Carer afternoon: Book your place

# Friday 10th June between 2.15pm - 3.15pm, led by Mrs Dann (SENCO) and Mrs Smith (Special Needs Teacher)

The focus for this term's meeting will be 'working memory'. Working memory plays an important role in concentration and in following instructions. Weak working memory skills can affect learning in many different subject areas including reading and maths. We will be discussing strategies for supporting weak working memory and how these can be used both at home and in school.

Please do come along and join us - this is open to ALL parents. Tea/coffee and biscuits will be supplied. Please let the school office know if you would like to come along by Monday 6th June, so we have an idea of the numbers.

## **School Lunches**

Reminder, that this Sunday is the cut off to book school meals for your child for the week after half term. Without your booking your child will not be on the hot meals listings and will need a packed lunch all week.



# **Kwik Cricket Update**

Last week saw the Year 6 team play out at Bolney Cricket Club and put on an amazing performance, coming third overall - we are just awaiting confirmation that the Year 6 team will be through to the next round. Many thanks to Mr Gibbons and Mrs Schlup, for taking children to the tournament and staying with the children throughout the afternoon.

Year 6 team: Will GG, Toby V, Flinn H, Oli S, George H, Erika T, Tilly B, Katie E



#### Olympic Day

After half term we have our Olympic day to look forward to on the 9th June. The children will start the day off with our opening ceremony and they will then all take part in some sporting events organised by our Sports Crew and Charity team throughout the day.

Your children will come home this week with a sponsorship form to raise money for Sports Relief and we asking the children to get busy persuading friends and family to sponsor them while they all work hard to show their skills as future Olympians! We are asking for any money raised to be returned to school by the end of the following week Friday 17th June. We are sure the children will have a fantastic time and look forward to your support for making this a successful fundraising day.



## **Weatherman Wows on School Visit**

Year 3/4 children were extremely lucky to have a visit from a TV celebrity this week: Jay Wynne, a BBC weatherman. The visit formed part of this term's topic, Whatever is the Weather?

Mr Wynne enthused the children about the weather and how a forecast is produced. He chatted about the pros and cons of his job and shared some trade secrets: he informed his audience that he doesn't use a script, but tells a 'story'. There isn't even a cameraman in the studio - it's all automated.







#### Polite Reminders.....



- Children should not enter the school using the vehicle gate please use the pedestrian access at the field entrance only, for your child's Health and Safety
- Dropbox is now situated by the field door.
- Please check for head lice and treat if necessary.
- Please make sure your child/children know who is collecting them at the end of the day, before they come to school.
- Please do not put nuts or nut products or chocolate in packed lunches.
- School uniform includes smart brown or black shoes please, no trainers or boots

HOLY TRINITY SCHOOL: PTA NEWS (charity no: 1088779)

Save the date for the Holy Trinity Summer Fair - Saturday 2nd July 2-5pm

Please remember: www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/holytrinitycuckfield/ and sign up for free

## Governor News

The school building works continue to progress well, thanks to the continuing run of good weather.

Mrs S. Smitherman 25.5.16

#### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY 2016 - correct at time of issue

(New entries and information will be added in RED)

Holidays 30<sup>th</sup> May – 3<sup>rd</sup> June

22<sup>nd</sup> July INSET

#### **SUMMER TERM 2016 - PROVISIONAL**

22<sup>nd</sup> July INSET Day 5<sup>th</sup> Sept INSET Day

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26<sup>th</sup> May Yr2 walking to Holy Trinity Church pm
26<sup>th</sup> May Yrs 5/6 Greek Market. 2.45-3.45pm in Yrs 5/6 classrooms – details to follow
27<sup>th</sup> May Yrs 3/4 - Quantum Theatre group performing The Big Drip at 10.15am
30<sup>th</sup> May – 3<sup>rd</sup> June Half-term
6<sup>th</sup> June 2-4pm Parents/carer open afternoon in classes
7<sup>th</sup> June – Class and sports photos
9<sup>th</sup> June Yr 6 Cricket Finals at Ansty Cricket Club
10<sup>th</sup> June 2.15pm SEND parent/carer forum meeting – all welcome
w/b 13<sup>th</sup> June year 1 phonics testing week
13<sup>th</sup> June & 17<sup>th</sup> June IEP review days – invitations to follow
15<sup>th</sup> June 2.00pm Father's Day Worship in school for Reception and Key Stage 1
16<sup>th</sup> June Council of Councils at Lindfield Primary School (School Council)
23<sup>rd</sup> June Yr 1 trip to Worthing (details to follow)
w/b 27<sup>th</sup> June WPA work experience students in school
28<sup>th</sup> June 9.30am Year R/KS1 Sports day (reserve 29<sup>th</sup> June)
30<sup>th</sup> June Transitions to new classes 2-3.00pm
30<sup>th</sup> June 9.30am KS2 Sports day (reserve 4<sup>th</sup> July)
1<sup>st</sup> July pm years 3-6 Oathall Athletics
4<sup>th</sup> July Warden Park meeting for current year 6/new year 7 parents/carers
4<sup>th</sup> July Transition to new classes 2-3.00pm
w/b 4<sup>th</sup> July teacher meetings for parents/carers after school 3.30pm (yr 1 Tues, yr 2 Weds, yr 5/6 Thurs, yr 3/4 Fri)
8<sup>th</sup> July Transition to new classes 2-3pm
8<sup>th</sup> July – all day year 6s to Warden Park for transition
w/c 11 July - Bikeability Yr.6
12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> July 6.30pm year 5/6 production – tickets will be issued in advance
13<sup>th</sup> July Annual Summary Reports to Parents
14<sup>th</sup> July 1.30pm Year 6 Leavers' Service @ Worth Abbey
14<sup>th</sup> July Year 6 Leavers' BBQ – 5-7pm
20<sup>th</sup> July 1.45pm Cups' Worship (no Infant Worship) Parents/carers by invitation only
21st July 9.30am Leavers' Service @ the Church, whole school; last day of term for all pupils
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