

Trinity School Newsletter

21st September 2018



Dear Parents,

Over the last few days our children have been out and about enjoying learning. Year 6 visited the War Tunnels which was a very moving experience for them. They received compliments on their behaviour by a number of visitors to the island – that's always great to hear! Year 1 had a wonderful trip to Eye Can where they learnt lots that supports their topic work and Year 5 have started their swimming programme.

Thank you to all those parents and friends who joined us at the Reception and Nursery Harvest Service this morning. It was a wonderful celebration and I know that John Hodge from the Shelter Trust will be very grateful for all that you donated this morning. We look forward to our Y1-6 Harvest celebration on Monday morning. You are all very welcome to attend – in fact we need parent helpers to walk with us up to the church!

This half term we have lots of opportunities to share our learning with you - books looks, shared learning and phonics sessions. Please see the menu of parent events that we sent out last week for details of specific class activities. We have also uploaded the dates on the website calendar for your convenience.

As a new school year begins please can we ask you that if your child has had any change of medical or dietary requirements over the last couple of months that you let us know so that Mrs Racjan can amend the records.

We are always on the lookout for more parent helpers and appreciate any help that you can offer even if it is occasionally transporting the children in cars and supporting a trip. A DBS needs to be completed if you are able to help and this takes a few weeks to process. Please come and see Mrs Racjan if you'd like to complete a DBS check and go on our list of volunteer helpers. Thank you.

We plan to start our Trinity Action Groups on Wednesday 10th October – we have various choices for our KS1 and 2 children to get involved in school improvement, these range from Healthy Schools, Rights Respecting Schools to School Council and Eco schools. We have introduced a new team this term – Safety Team. The children love the opportunity to have their say and it's very important to me that we hear their voices! Each team will be deciding on a project and forming an action plan in their first meeting that they will work on over the coming year. Our Rights Respecting Schools team have a huge job as they are going to be steering us towards the Silver Award which we are due for assessment on in December. We hope to be the 4th school in Jersey to achieve this award.

We have taken the decision to postpone the Fun Run due to a limited number of families available to run. We appreciate that it was short notice and therefore we will try to arrange it for another time. It was great fun last year, so maybe we try again in the spring time.

Next Thursday at 7pm is the PTA AGM. Please do come along and support the PTA. It will only be a very short meeting but it is a formality that we have to do! If you would like to join the PTA committee please do pop in and see me.

In the approach to Christmas (!!) can I just remind you that if you buy through the Trinity EasyFundraising site you make us money without us having to do anything ... it all goes straight to the children! Please search for Trinity School P.T.A. at www.easyfundraising.co.uk

I hope that you have a good weekend

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Enjoy Learning - Learning for Life!

Everyone who works with children should do what is in the best interests of each child.

United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child - Article 3.