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Friday 5th October 2018

TRINITY PRIMARY NEWSLETTER



Dear Trinity families,

In this week's newsletter you will find important information regarding our new proposed admissions policy which is currently out for consultation. Please check the school website to read the this policy and email any feedback you have.

You will also find information about our Harvest Festivals which are coming up very soon too, so we hope to see you there.

Please also remember that Wednesday is our Parents' Open Evening, during which you will have the chance to look at your child's learning, look around their classroom and ask the teachers any questions you may have.

As ever, I wish you the very best of weekends, full of rest and fun, ready for learning on Monday.

Darren Janes

Head of School
Primary Phase

Trinity all Through School

TRINITY ALL THROUGH SCHOOL: LEARNING, LOVING, LIVING

Harvest Festival

This year our Harvest Festivals will be held at St Swithuns church on Tuesday 16th October. We will have two morning events:

9:20am – 10am - Reception, Y1 and Y2

10:55 am – 11:40am - Y3, Y4 and Y5

Between the two events, there will be coffee and biscuits put on by the PAFT if parents have pupils in both age ranges.

Each year we ask the children to bring a donation for a local charity. This year we will be supporting AFRIL (Action for refugees in Lewisham).

Trinity Harvest collection 'Helping Hands Foodbank'



Items needed:

Milk (UHT)
Fruit juice (carton)
Tea bags/instant coffee
Tinned fish
Washing up liquid
Cooking oil
Tinned tomatoes
Rice/pasta
Cereals
Biscuits
Jam
Toilet rolls

PAFT Quiz Night

SAVE THE DATE! Trinity Quiz Night

Evening of Friday 16th November

(change of date since the last newsletter)

**A fun social event organised by PAFT where
parents, carers and teachers from both
primary and secondary team up on trivia!**

Drinks. Food. Fun. Meet & Mingle.

Tickets on sale soon!

(all profits to the school)



Year 3 wade through Deptford Creek

What a fantastic visit to Deptford Creek! We bravely made our way through the sticky, muddy riverbanks and had a wonderful time wading and learning about the river. We loved fishing and were so excited to catch fish, shrimp and even an eel!

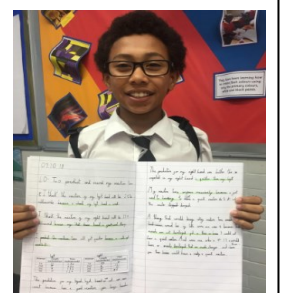


Year 5's Rapid Reactions

Year 5 tested their reaction times in milliseconds! They predicted which hand would be stronger and if their reaction times would improve. We reflected on our experiment and can recognise how age and amount of sleep can



negatively affect our reaction times.



Parents' Open Classroom Event:

Today you should have received a text to say which timeslot you have been allocated. Please arrive promptly for the talk in the downstairs hall. Children will be able to play in the playground during this time with the staff, before being invited up to classrooms with their parents.



Black History Month: Ignatius Sancho

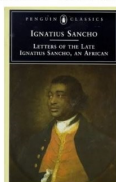
In worship on Wednesday Miss K taught the school about a local hero, Ignatius Sancho. The children heard about his inspiring journey; he was born on a slave ship but went on to become the first Briton of African heritage to vote, right here, in South East London! The children also learnt that if you go to Greenwich park today you will find a plaque commemorating his achievements.

Who was Ignatius Sancho?

- Born on a slave ship in 1729



- He lived in Blackheath and started writing about his experiences



Who was Ignatius Sancho?

- He became the first Briton of African heritage to vote in a British election





We are very close to becoming a full through school (education for pupils from the age of 4 to 16) – and are very excited about this prospect. A lot of work has been happening with all the staff across both phases to ensure the process is smooth and so that many of the practices at the secondary work very closely with the primary to ensure the pupils move between year 6 and 7 without the usual turbulences of secondary transfer. For all the primary pupils there will be an automatic place at the secondary phase – you don't even need to fill in the common application form. If you have a place at Trinity school you have a place across the complete age range. To ensure there is a smooth transition we have altered our admissions policy, to ensure it is transparent to all.

We are consulting on these changes to ensure the community help shape our policy. Those in the primary phase will automatically have the right to transfer to the secondary phase – and we will still have places left for those that did not come through our primary provision to get a place at Secondary level.

Please check our school website to read the proposed admissions policy and please email back any feedback you have. Email comments to consultation@trinity.lewisham.sch.uk

Our website: www.trinitylewisham.org.uk

- **Start of consultation 12pm Friday 5th October 2018**
 - **Length: 7 weeks (including half term)**
- **End of consultation 12pm Monday 26th November 2018**

LEARNING - LOVING — LIVING

Date:	Time:	Event:
17/09/2018		Y5 Windrush Workshop
21/09/2018		Jeans for Genes Day - £1 for pupils to wear Jeans for the day
27/09/2018	6:00pm - 7:30pm	PAFT 'International' evening
02/10/2018	AM	EYFS (Reception age)- 'What is typical talk?' parent drop in session
03/10/2018		Year 3 trip to Creekside
04/10/2018	7:00pm - 10:00pm	PAFT: Annual Meeting - new parents welcome
05/10/2018		Y1 trip to National Maritime Museum
10/10/2018	3:45pm - 5pm and 6pm - 7pm	Parent Open Classroom Evening
16/10/2018	9.20am– 10.00am	Harvest Festival at St Swithuns for Reception, Year 1 and Year 2
	10.55am– 11.40am	Harvest Festival at St Swithuns for Year 3, Year 4 and Year 5
17/10/2018		Y2 trip - Great Fire of London Walk
18/10/2018	3:30pm - 4:00pm	Year 5 Cake sale
19/10/2018		Get colourful day - Evelina children's hospital - £1 to wear colourful clothes for the day
20/10/2018	1:45pm pick up	Half term
29/10/2018		First day back
16/11/2018	7:30pm	PAFT Quiz at Trinity Secondary
30/11/2018	1:45pm pick up	Half day - INSET
03/12/2018	6:00pm	Turning of the year concert at Blackheath Concert Halls Y2 pupils
06/12/2018	3:30pm - 4:00pm	Year 4 Cake sale
10/12/2018	9:45am and 2:30pm	EYFS (Reception classes) Nativity
11/12/2018	9:45am and 2:30pm	KS1 (Y1 and 2 classes) Nativity
17/12/2018	9:45am and 2:30pm	LKS2 (Y3 and 4 classes) Nativity
18/12/2018	6:30pm	UKS2 (Y5 classes) Christmas Carol Concert
19/12/2018		Christmas dinner lunch for children
19/12/2018		Christmas jumper day
20/12/2018		All Christmas parties - own clothes optional
21/12/2018	1:45pm pick up	End of term
08/01/2019		First day back
15/01/2019	AM	EYFS (reception age) Maths drop in session for parents
18/01/2019	AM	Years 3-5 parent workshop - How to do a maths review
22/01/2019	AM	Years 3-5 parent workshop- What to do when your child doesn't know a word
04/02/2019 - 08/02/2019		E Safety week & Art exhibition in hall (after school)
06/02/2019	3:45pm - 6pm	Parents' Evening
07/02/2019	3:45pm - 7pm	Parents' Evening
14/02/2019	3:30pm - 4:00pm	Year 3 Cake sale
15/02/2019	AM	Year 1 Parent workshop - Phonics drop in session
15/02/2019	1:45pm pick up	Half term (Half day)
25/02/2019		First day back
07/03/2019		World Book Day
11/03/2019 - 15/03/2019		Science Week
15/03/2019	3:30pm - 5pm	Science Fair
22/03/2019		Red Nose Day - theme to be decided
04/04/2019	3:30pm - 4:00pm	Year 2 Cake sale
06/04/2019	1:45pm pick up	Easter Break
24/04/2019		First Day Back
01/05/2019	3:45-5pm & 6:00pm- 7:00pm	Parent open classroom evening
03/05/2019		Be Courageous Day
06/05/2019		Bank Holiday
14/05/2019	3pm	EYFS- Year 2- 'How to Have Fun Reading' parent Session - Playground after-school
21/05/2019		Share a story with Steph parent session - Playground afterschool
24/05/2019	1:45pm pick up	Half Day / Half term
03/06/2019		First day back
07/06/2019		Fun Friday: TBC
15/06/2019		Summer fair at Trinity Primary
14/06/2019		Fun Friday: Immersive History Day
28/06/2019		Fun Friday : Sports Day
03/07/2019	Evening	Through School Summer Showcase Concert - at Trinity Secondary
03/07/2019 - 05/07/2019		Year 4 Residential trip
05/07/2019		Fun Friday: TBC
12/07/2019		Fun Friday: Diversity day
19/07/2019	1:45pm pick up	Last day of term