

Holy Trinity C E Primary School

Number 8

http://www.holytrinityceschool.org

1st November 2019

"Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another" John 13v34



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

On a separate email please find this term's overview.



ASK ME WHAT I DID POSTCARD

Nursery - Betsy

Reception - Alkedjo

Year 1 - Coco

Year 2 - Seb

Year 3 - Harry

Year 4 - Muco

Year 5 - Kyle

Year 6E - Grace

Year 6G - Leron

MERIT BADGE

Year 6G-Ela

GOLDEN BOOK AWARDS

Year 3—Freddie Year 6E—Charlie T Year 6G—Ela, Joseph, Sadie

ATTENDANCE AND PUNCTUALITY MATTERS

Monday 28th October— Friday 1st November

Congratulations to Year 4 for having the highest (100%) attendance and to Reception for having the highest (100%) punctuality

ALLERGIES AND ALLERGIC REACTIONS

The number of children with allergies are increasing year on year. In the BBC news today they discussed the risks of children having anaphylactic shock due to allergies. Recently a pupil in secondary school died due to his allergy to cheese (we do not have anyone allergic to cheese at our school).

Teaching and non-teaching staff had their annual training on our Inset day on Monday by the school nurse on how to spot signs of an allergic reaction and how to use an Epipen. We have 16 First Aid trained staff to help your children. Please support us in being a nut free school so that we will not have to use our training to save a life.

Please do not bring Nut based products onto school premises <u>at all</u>. Not even at hometime. In our school we have children and staff allergic to nuts, seeds and milk. This means that a child with these allergies could have a potential allergic reaction and need life saving treatment. Often foods have 'hidden nuts' ie chocolate spread and some products ie kinder. Please remind your children not to share their packed lunches as there could be allergens in another child's packed lunch that may cause a reaction.

Please do not give your children nut based products for lunches ie seeded bread, chocolate biscuits, chocolate spread. We have reminded families about not bringing sweets or cakes for birthdays. Often nut products are put in with non-nut products for example snickers in Celebrations. We

are also not always aware of nuts in cakes that are bought in.

If you would like to celebrate your child's birthday please bring in a book for the library and we celebrate their birthday in collective worship.



For those families that need an epipen, please make sure they are in date, that we have 2 in school and the staff are aware of the allergies.

Thank you for your support on this matter.



British Values 28th October – 3rd November

Individual Liberty

There are not as many penguins in Antarctica as there used to be because the ice is melting. Learning about the penguins can help us think about if and how we can look after them.



SCHOOL EVENTS

POPPIES

It is that time of year again, and poppies will be available to buy from Monday 4th November. A Suggested is at least £1 per poppy for this worthwhile cause. The school will be having a two minute silence on Monday 11th November at 11:00am in Remembrance.





PENNIES FOR PUDSEY

On Friday 15th November we will be taking part in Children In Need. We are asking children to bring in any lose change and we will make a Pudsey out of them. This will then be counted and donated to Children in Need. Children to come to school in their normal uniform.

EYFS READING WORKSHOP AND 'MEET THE TEACHER' - WEDNESDAY 6TH NOVEMBER @ 8:50AM IN THE HALL

As part of the Reading Workshop for Reception and Nursery, there will be a meet the teacher event for parents on Wednesday 6th November. Please put this date in your diaries.

CAULIFLOWER CHRISTMAS CARDS

The Cauliflower Christmas cards were sent home today. You can place your orders directly with Cauliflower Cards using the information on the ordering sheet. Please note that your children's artwork must be returned to school by the 8th November so that it can be collected by Cauliflower Cards to enable them to print your orders.



MUSIC—SPRING TERM 2020

If your child is interested in learning piano or recorder next term can you please let the office know by Monday 11th November. All lessons take place during the school day. Recorder is taught in groups of between 2-4 children (each child has the equivalent of 7.5 minutes per week) and is charged at £52.50 for the term (10 lessons). Children are taught the piano individually in weekly 15 minute lessons and cost £105.00 for the term (10 lessons).



CHURCH NEWS

It's the Holy Trinity Church Autumn Fair, this Saturday 2 November 12-3pm. If you can donate any items such as alcohol/anything nice in a bottle, bric-a-brac, paperback books, children's clothing/shoes/toys/books, or cakes, jams and chutneys please bring the items to the church Friday evening or Saturday morning. Or simply come join us on the day for fun, delicious food and drinks and great Raffle prizes.

COMMUNITY NEWS

SCHOOL FUNDING An event has been planned on **Saturday 2nd November** but now there is an election coming it is even more important that people are aware they need to choose a government that will champion and fund education.



LIBRARY CUTS

Please help us save our Libraries! Tell Barnet about the impact of library cuts on you; the deadline to answer is 6th November.

https://www.activistgroup.co.uk/barnetlibraries/



HTSA NEWS

SECOND HAND UNIFORM

We sold 88 second hand uniform items before half term. Thank you to everyone who helped and who bought in clothes. Going forward if you do have uniform you wish to donate please let your class rep know as we plan to run another sale at some point next year.



CHRISTMAS FAIR

There will be a meeting next Friday 8th November 9am to discuss Winter Fair (which is taking place on Saturday 30th November) everyone welcome.

FILM NIGHT

Don't forget our film night on Friday 15th November—tickets will be available from your class rep.

CAKE SALES—2019/2020

Friday 1st November—Year 2 (Fireworks)
Friday 13th December—Reception (Advent)
Friday 10th January—Nursery (New Years)
Friday 14th February—Year 1 (Valentines)
Friday 12th March—Year 5 (Red Nose)







