

# Parish Post

The Weekly Newsletter, Friday 12<sup>th</sup> January 2018

## Years 3 and 4 Places

We still have current Years 3 and 4 places available and if you, or someone you know, is looking for one of these places, please make an appointment to come and look round and speak to Mrs Davis.

## New Member of Staff in Breakfast Club

We are pleased to announce that Dominique Patterson has become a new member of staff in Breakfast Club and we warmly welcome her to her new role in school.

## ART WEEK 2018

### Around the World: 5<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup> February 2018

During art week each year group will be creating artwork from a specific country or continent. On the Friday, they will have the opportunity to "travel the world" and make something from each destination around the school, collecting stamps in their 'passport'.

Every class will also take part in a tie-dye workshop. **Please can every child bring in a cheap, plain, white t-shirt for them to tie-dye.** This needs to be in school by Friday 2nd February.

On Friday 9<sup>th</sup> February, parents are invited to 'travel the world' after school (which will be set up as an art gallery) so that the children can show you what we have been up to! Bon Voyage!

## Car Park

Please can we remind parents that the car park is solely for staff and visitors and parents should not use it for dropping off or collecting their child. This applies between 8.15 am and 3.30 pm. Can you also make sure that anyone else dropping off or collecting your child also knows this. Thank you.

## Pancake Day – Shrove Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> February 2018

It is our tradition at Breakfast Club to celebrate Shrove Tuesday by serving pancakes. However, this year Shrove Tuesday falls in half term. Therefore, we will be celebrating this special day the week before, on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> February 2018, when we will be serving pancakes.

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You complete the form, send it to Admissions and Transport who then notify the school that you are on our waiting list. You can inform school letting us know that you are going through this process if you wish. Then after the January 15<sup>th</sup> 2018 deadline, when Admissions and Transport are in the process of allocating the Year 3 places, they will know which families (from different schools) would like a Year 3 place at Reigate Parish.

### **Year 3, September 2018, Reigate Parish Church Primary School**

Because we are a primary school **every year 2 child automatically** has a place in Year 3 at Reigate Parish. You do not need to apply because you already have a place.

### **Planning a party? Wanting a bigger space for that special event?**

You can hire the school's junior or infant hall and outdoor space. Very good competitive rates. Please contact the school business manager, Mrs Lis Bowen, on [admin@reigate-parish.surrey.sch.uk](mailto:admin@reigate-parish.surrey.sch.uk) for more details.

### **YEAR 1 NEWS:**

Year 1s have a World War One day on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> January. On that day the children can come into school dressed up in WW1 costumes e.g. children in World War One nurses and soldiers. We look forward to seeing them all in costumes!

### **YEAR 3 NEWS:**

#### **Great Fire of London - Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> January 2018**

Please can children arrive **in costume** as one of the following:

- School child from 1600** (e.g. school shorts/trousers with shirt and cap)
- Chimney Sweep** (e.g. tattered shorts/trousers and shirt, soot marks and cap - brush optional!)
- Rat Catcher** (e.g. tattered shorts/trousers and shirt, cap - toy rat optional!)
- House Maid** (e.g. long skirt, white blouse/shirt, pinnies and shawl)

Please can all children bring in two sturdy cardboard boxes (junk modelling) one bigger than the other! e.g. tissue box and wide cereal box. Please don't go too large!

On the day, we will be transforming the boxes into Tudor houses to look like this:

The fire will be filmed and we will let you know when the film will be screened for parents to view. Thanks to all parent helpers who have signed up to help - we really appreciate it!



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## Diary Dates 2017/2018 – new information in red

<b>SPRING TERM 2018</b>	
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> January	Deadline for applications to Reception for 2018 entry
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> January	8.00 pm PTA meeting in junior hall
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> January	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 7.00 pm Reception and Key Stage 1 Maths evening in infant hall</li> <li>• 8.00 pm Key Stage 2 Maths evening in infant hall</li> </ul>
Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> January	Deadline for PTA Quiz Night ticket applications
Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> January	Year 3 DT Day 'Fire of London' – parent helpers needed
<b>Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> January</b>	<b>9.00 am Prayer Group in staffroom – all welcome</b>
Wednesday 31 <sup>st</sup> January	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Years 3 and 4 Gymnastic competition at Donyngs – selected pupils and details to follow</li> <li>• Year 4 visit St Bede's School to watch production – details to follow</li> </ul>
Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup> February	Year 4 DT day 'Build a Bridge' – parent helpers needed
Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> February	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Every child to bring in a cheap, plain, white t-shirt to tie-dye for Art Week next week</b></li> <li>• 9.00 am Parents' Forum in staffroom</li> <li>• 3.00 pm Cake Sale – Reception</li> <li>• PTA Quiz Night for parents</li> </ul>
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> – Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> February	"Around the World" Art Week
Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> February	3.30 pm Years 3 and 4 Cross country practice race in Reigate Priory
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> February	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PTA Valentine Discos: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <b>Reception – Year 2 5.30 pm – 6.30 pm</b></li> <li>○ <b>Years 3 and 4 – 7.00 pm – 8.00 pm</b></li> </ul> </li> <li>• Art Week Gallery for parents to look at art work, after school</li> </ul>
Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> – Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> February	Half term
Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> February	3.30 pm Years 3 and 4 Cross country race in Reigate Priory
Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> February	3.00 pm Cake Sale – Year 1
<b>Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> February</b>	<b>9.00 am Prayer Group in staffroom – all welcome</b>
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> March	INSET day – school closed
Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> March	Year 3 French Café
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> March	Year 1 Starsteppers Dance Festival – details to follow
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> March	3.00 pm Cake Sale – Year 2
Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> March	Years 3 and 4 boys' football tournament, Earlswood School
<b>Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> March</b>	<b>Year 2 Multi Skills at St Bede's School for selected children – PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF DATE</b>
Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> March	3.20 pm Cake Sale – Year 3

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