Holy Trinity C of E Newsletter

Friday 5th June 2026

Message from Head of School

Dear Parents and Carers,

We started the week by looking at our Christian Value of Reverence. The children considered the different ways you could have deep respect for someone or something. A huge well done to all of the children who were presented with their **Honour Awards** or postcards this morning! Many of the children were chosen for their focus and attitude in class, as well as how they support those around them. Y4 have also been preparing for the **MTC** taking place next week and Mr Lyons and Mandy are very proud of them. Y2 and Y5 children also had Fire Safety workshops on Tuesday afternoon led by the London Fire Brigade.

As mentioned in recent weeks, we are still looking for somebody to become the treasurer for the **PTA** from September 2026. In addition, as part of our fundraising efforts, we want to make the most of any matched funding opportunities available. Many companies offer matched funding for their employees' charitable contributions, meaning every pound you contribute could be doubled by your employer. This can significantly increase the funds we manage to raise, allowing us to enhance the resources and experiences we provide for all our students. If you work for a company that offers matched funding for schools, we would love to hear from you. Please contact Joan, if this is something you are able to support with.

The Y5 class are off to **Tolmers** on Thursday and I hope they have a brilliant time on their residential trip! Parents and carers are warmly invited to attend our **Y4 class assembly** at 9am on Friday 12th June. The children are looking forward to sharing what they have learned about The World Cup, including interesting facts, key moments from history and why it is one of the world's most celebrated sporting events. We hope you can join us.

I would also like to thank **Grange Big Local** who are a community association that has been working in East Finchley for the last decade, with funding from the National Lottery. They have very kindly made a grant available for the school which is greatly appreciated by everyone involved with Holy Trinity CE school.

Finally, well done to the children in **St. George** who came first yet again, and now have 2,527 house points! Have a lovely weekend.

Mr Styles

Y5 Visit

Year 5 had a lovely time at Nanak Darbar gurdwara on Thursday. We did get off to a rainy start and waited quite some time for the bus (just missing a torrential downpour) but the children showed lots of resilence on the journey and throughout the morning.
It really helped to bring our class learning to life when we saw the things we had only looked at in pictures, like the Nishan Sahib (Sikh flag) outside the building. To also see the Guru Granth Sahib (holy book) under a canopy - and experience sitting in the beautiful prayer hall for our talk - was a very special experience. The speaker taught us some new facts about the founder of the religion, Guru Nanak, who travelled 550 miles on foot, across India, to spread his message. Most importantly, we were reminded of the values of the Sikh faith, such as sharing and taking care of the environment.

Many of the class commented on how clean the facilities were and how welcome they were made to feel. Before we left, the children were given a snack, as the idea of feeding others is so important in the Sikh faith. Such trips are a really important part of our RE curriculum, helping to build tolerance and understanding of minority faiths.

Many thanks,

Mrs Lamaris

Key Stage 2 Phase Lead

Y5 Trip

Life in Reception

Reception have been shedding their normal guises, putting on their (metaphorical) superhero pants and saving the world. We have had lots of fun exploring and adding to our new superhero labs in our classrooms. We've been throwing villains in jail (but making sure they have books to read so they don't get bored). We've been dodging lasers and perfecting our superhero masks. We cannot wait to find out what super activities the children come up with next week. Can you design your own superhero identity at home? What powers would you have? Maybe you could draw and label a picture of your superhero identity to show us in class?

In literacy we have been talking about real life and fictional superheroes. What is the difference? How many fictional superheroes can you name? We have been creating our own superheroes and our own superhero passports, focussing on where we come from, what our costumes might look like and what our special powers would be. Can you describe your superhero character to your family?

Ms Moulder & Kat

PHOENIX CINEMA

HOLY TRINITY CINEMA TRIP

WEDNESDAY 17TH JUNE

9.30 AM

ALL CHILDREN FROM RECEPTION - Y6 WILL BE GOING TO THE PHOENIX CINEMA TO WATCH DESPICABLE ME 4!

TICKETS ARE £3 ON ARBOR & INCLUDE POPCORN!

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NURSERY: TUE 23RD JUNE, 9:30 AM

R-Y2: WED 24TH JUNE, 9:30 AM

Y3-Y6: THUR 25TH JUNE, 1 PM

Support our Lego Therapy!

We would like to support more children with their regulation before and during school with a Lego therapy intervention

If you would like to contribute a Lego set, here is the link to our wishlist:

Amazon.co.uk

HOLY TRINITY GAMES

A FUN-FILLED NURSERY SPORTS DAY

Event Details:

- Wed 17th June
- 9.30 AM
- Holy Trinity CE Primary, N2 8GA

What to Expect:

- Races
- Games
- Medals
- Lots of fun!

REGISTER NOW:

020 8883 1824

office@holytrinity.barnetmail.net

Parents from the local nurseries are also invited to support their children!

House	Points
St. Andrew	2,673
St. George	2,527
St. Patrick	2,254
St. David	1,807

Key Dates

Date	Time	Event
Thursday 11th — Friday 12th June	**ALL DAY**	Y5 Tolmers Residential
Friday 12th June	**9.05am**	Year 4 Class Assembly
Monday 15th June	**5pm**	RSHE Meeting for EYFS / KS1 parents
Tuesday 16th June	**ALL DAY**	Boogie Bounce!
Wednesday 17th June	**5pm**	RSHE Meeting for KS2 parents
Friday 19th June	**9.05am**	Year 5 Class Assembly
Tuesday 23rd June	**9.30am**	Early Years Sports Day (Nursery)
Wednesday 24th June	**9.30am**	KS1 Sports Day (Reception to Year 2)
Thursday 25th June	**1pm**	KS2 Sports Day (Year 3 to Year 6)

Key Dates

Date	Time	Event
Friday 26th June	**9.05am**	Early Years Assembly (Nursery and Reception)
Friday 3rd July	**2pm**	Summer Festival (PTA)
Friday 17th July	**9.05am**	Leavers Assembly (Holy Trinity School)
Friday 17th July	**1.30pm**	End of Term / Academic Year
Thursday 3rd September	**8.45am**	Start of Autumn Term

TERM DATES 2026-27

AUTUMN TERM 2026	
First Half	Thursday 3rd September – Friday 23rd October
Half Term	Monday 26th October – Friday 30th October
Second Half	Monday 2nd November – Friday 18th December (1:30 pm finish)
SPRING TERM 2027	
First Half	Wednesday 6th January – Friday 12th February
Half Term	Monday 15th February – Friday 19th February
Second Half	Monday 22nd February – Thursday 25th March (1:30 pm finish)
Easter Break	Friday 26th March – Friday 9th April (Easter Weekend 26th - 29th March)
SUMMER TERM 2027	
First Half	Tuesday 13th April – Friday 28th May (N.B: May Bank Holiday Monday 3rd May)
Half Term	Monday 31st May – Friday 4th June (N.B: Spring Bank Holiday Monday 31th May)
Second Half	Monday 7th June – Thursday 22nd July (1:30 pm finish)

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DATES FOR 2026-2027	
Tuesday 1st & Wednesday 2nd September 2026	Staff INSET Training Days Children do not attend
Tuesday 5th January 2027	
Monday 12th April 2027	
Friday 25th June 2027	

We're Looking For...

Chair of the PTA

- Must have an interest in the school's vision and events
- Must be able to meet with the Head of School three times a year

PTA Treasurer

- Must have a financial background/experience

If you are interested, please contact the office

More information about the PTA:
https://www.holytrinityceschool.org/Parents/PTA/