

# Newsletter

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Dear God,

When I am finding something difficult,  
help me to reach inside and be more  
determined.

When I can't do something,  
help me to think that I can't do it *yet*,  
rather than I will *never* be able to do it.  
Help me realise that being determined  
will help me throughout my life.

Amen



The PTA are looking for helpers to serve tea and cake at Chastleton House on 10<sup>th</sup> March. If you would be able to spare a few hours in the afternoon please e-mail [cnholyltrinitypta@gmail.com](mailto:cnholyltrinitypta@gmail.com).

**'WELL DONE!' to the following pupils who received special awards this week:**

Foundation Stage – Kal-El, Kishan, Georgia

Year 1 – Max, Reuben, Hansel

Year 2 – William, Millie, Freya

Year 3 – Jacob, Megan, Honour

Year 4 – Arthur, Milo, Alfie

Year 5 – Harmony, Isla, Ted

Year 6 – Elin, Azul, Albie

## Message from the Headteacher

### Staffing

*Mrs Pickford, who has been at the school for nearly 25 years, will be retiring at the end of this academic year. Cathy will be missed terribly by all the staff and I am sure by all the parents. It has been a pleasure to work with Cathy for the last 5 years and we are aiming to ensure her remaining time at school will be very enjoyable with lots of celebrations. As in true Cathy style, she has given us plenty of warning in order to train a new Business Manger and make the transition as seamless as possible. Mrs Janice Flashman has been working since last September to learn the ropes and will take over from Cathy in September. Cathy is already taking advantage of not having to take her holidays in term time, and will be off to California in September. Cathy has been amazing and I wish her a very happy and healthy retirement.*

*Mrs Nicola Jenkins will also be taking early retirement at the end of this month. Nicola has been a teacher for 32 years and has been at Holy Trinity for 15 years. Again Nicola will be greatly missed and we look forward to celebrating her career next term. Mrs Butler-McLees will take on the role of Key Stage 1 leader on a permanent basis from next term. Mrs Butler McLees has been covering for Mrs Jenkins in her absence.*

*Thank you to the parents who volunteered to be our new Parent Governor and for all the parents who voted. Parent governors play a vital role on the governing board, holding the unique position of having a parental viewpoint of the school. Congratulations to Mrs Brannigan for being elected to this important role.*

*Wishing you all a happy and relaxing half term.*

WORLD  
**BOOK**  
**DAY**

7 MARCH 2019

***World Book Day***

*World Book Day this year is all about 'sharing a story'. Our Holy Trinity theme is 'Fairytale' or 'Traditional Tales'. Children can come to school in fancy dress if they wish and they may bring a book or share their favourite story in school. This can be traditional or a more unconventional take on a Fairytale. Be as imaginative as you wish.*

*During the day children will take part in fairy tale activities and sharing stories.*

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## DATES FOR THE SPRING TERM

HALF TERM 18<sup>th</sup> - 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2019

Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> February	Return to School
Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup> February	Year 5 trip to Cadbury World
	Photos to be taken for Year 6 Memory Book
<b>NO CLUBS W/C 4<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, EXCEPT CHOIR (DUE TO PARENTS' EVENING)</b>	
Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> March	Y5 & Y6 Basketball at Moreton Morrell College
Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> March	Year 5 Science Day at Kingham Hill School 12 - 4pm
Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> March	Ash Wednesday Mass at 9.15am
	Parents' Evening 3.10 - 5.30pm
Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> March	WORLD BOOK DAY - The theme is 'Fairytales'
	Parents' Evening 3.10 - 6pm
Saturday 9 <sup>th</sup> March	Choir singing at Chipping Norton Music Festival at 10.00am
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> March	Woodwind players at CN Music Festival time tbc
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> March	Year 1 trip to Cotswold Wildlife Park
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> March	Sing Up Day for whole school
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> March	Pianists play at CN Music Festival time tbc
	<b>COMIC RELIEF RED NOSE DAY</b>
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> March	Year 1 at CNMF Speech & Drama Festival
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> March	Year 1 at Dance Festival at the Chipping Norton Leisure Centre 1.15 - 2.45pm
	'Recycle Michael' Salvation Army collection of clothes and shoes.
	Year 5 Chipping Norton Music Festival Workshop 2.45 - 4.45pm
	Year 5 Concert at Chipping Norton School 5.30 - 6.15pm
Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> March	Year 3 & 4 Easter Production at 6.00pm
Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup> March	CN Literary Festival - author, Marcia Williams to talk to Years 4-6
	Year 2 and 3 at Schoolympics at Chipping Norton Leisure Centre (1.15 - 3.30pm)
Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> March	Reception Class Mothering Sunday Assembly 9am
	Comedy Night in School Hall at 7pm
Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> April	Whole School Mass at 9.10am
	Finish for Easter holidays at 12.05pm Return to School on Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> April 2019

Break up for Easter Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April - Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2019