



# Trinity St Stephen CE Aided First School

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Dear Parents,

What a hot week!

The temperatures soared at the beginning of the week. I am pleased to say that measures put in place helped the situation in school. It looks like this may be the case for part of next week. The same measures will be put in place on a day by day basis depending on the expected temperatures. Please ensure that your child/ren have hats, sun cream and water in school. It is also helpful if jumpers, cardigans and fleeces are not sent into school on days when the temperatures are going to be particularly high.

Yesterday Year 1 visited Whipsnade Zoo. This was part of their learning about Kenya. The children were buzzing with excitement as they got onto the coach. We arrived safely and started the day visiting animals that can be found in Europe. We were lucky enough to spot bears. We moved around the continents spotting rhinos, a beautiful lion family, elephants and much more. The children had an exciting, informative and interesting day out. We arrived back after a long journey, happy and exhausted!

## **NSPCC**

This week Year 2 took part in the final activity for this project. A member of the charity came to reinforce the Stay Safe, Speak Out message, giving a presentation and leading some practical activities.

The whole school will be showcasing their learning around this important topic by putting together a display in the hall.

## **TSSSA**

The T-Fest was an amazing success!

The sun shone and everyone enjoyed the afternoon. The event seemed very busy with food stalls and the bar serving all afternoon. It was lovely to catch up with our amazing community, particularly the many parents and children who returned having left the school some time ago. The fact that so many people came back is a great legacy for the school. It has always been a welcoming and supportive community. It was also good to welcome some of our new families too.

The fair is a huge amount of work for the TSSSA. Many, many thanks go to all the volunteers who put the fair together and helped on the day. I would like to extend my appreciation to Becky Evans, Abi Robins, Kim le Rossignol and Sonia Tucker in particular for taking lead roles in making sure the event went smoothly.

I am thrilled to announce that the fair made an approximate total of £7000!

There is a Cake and Lolly sale this evening, after school today. All funds raised will be added to the fair total.



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## TSSSA Party in the Playground

The final TSSSA event of the year will be taking place here on the playground on Saturday 19 July from 4pm until 8pm. This is a family friendly event with lots of things happening:

- 360° video booth
- Live music from The Windsor Ukulele Band
- Children's Disco & Games with Janine (Sideways Drama)
- Face glitter & tattoos galore
- Pizza van on site

## Pirates and Mermaids Performance

This was a great performance! Year 4 wowed us with their singing and acting skills. The audience was thoroughly entertained from beginning to end. The children supported each other and the wonderful sense of fun and happiness coming from the children ensured that the audience smiled and laughed their way through the great production.

It is super to see how the children have gained in confidence during their time at the school. All of the children took on a part and it was a great team effort.

## Move Up Day

Many congratulations to Miss Pugh who is expecting her second child later in the year. We wish her all the best.

Next week children will be visiting their new year groups on Thursday 10 July in the morning. This forms part of a number of activities which take place to ensure children are fully prepared for the move into their new class. The class teachers for the new year groups are as follows:

Reception: Miss King and Miss Cope

Year 1: Miss Horth

Year 2: Miss Pugh and Mrs Blanchard

Year 3: Mrs Foster and Mrs Blanchard

Year 4: Mrs Brech

Intervention will continue to be focussed on phonics and spelling and will be provided by Mrs Avramovic.



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## IMPORTANT

Please be aware that there is a State visit to Windsor on Monday and Tuesday of next week. There may well be delays on the road. Please look at the information on the RBWM Council website to find out more. <https://www.rbwm.gov.uk/community-and-living/state-visit>

Finally, it is Year Three's turn to share their *Peek of the Week* with us. Please take a look at the blogs on the website.

Kind regards,

*Louise Lovegrove*

## Important Dates:

10 July 2025	Move up morning for all children staying at school. Children will meet their new class teachers.
15 July 2025	French Assembly in school at 9am
16 July 2025	Church Service at 2pm in St Stephen and St Agnes Church. A service of thanksgiving for Mrs Lovegrove- All are welcome
19 July 2025	TSSSA Party in the Playground
22 July 2025	Leavers' Service, St Stephen and St Agnes Church at 2pm
23 July 2025	Final Day of Term. School finishes at 3.15pm
03 September 2025	In Service training day. School closed to pupils.
04 September 2025	Pupil Term starts



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