



Trinity St Stephen CE Aided First School

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Dear Parents,

What an incredible week!

We enjoyed three wonderful performances in school this week.

On Tuesday the school and parents of children who attend French Club appreciated the club sharing their French vocabulary and some super French songs. All of us joined in with the French, 'If you're happy and you know it...' Children from Reception up to Year 4 love Harriet's Club and have definitely been improving their French language skills.

On Thursday Year 3 shared their pbone Skills. Pbones are a child friendly plastic version of a trombone. Children in Year 3 have been learning the instrument since the beginning of the year. Miss Gray from The Berkshire Music Trust has been expertly teaching them through out the year. The children played a range of melodies, reading the music and following her lead. The children's focus and ability shone through. They were brilliant! The school continues to enjoy a good relationship with The Berkshire Music Trust. If your child is interested in taking up an instrument in Year 3 and 4 do get in touch with the trust.

<https://www.berksmusictrust.org.uk/>

On Wednesday I was treated to the most wonderful Church service and tea party to celebrate my time at the school.

Every year group delivered their own meaningful performance. I was proud to be joined by my family. They could not believe the quality of the presentation and the excellent behaviour of all the children. The event was attended by many old friends of the school, members of our local community and members of the local authority. I feel incredibly proud and privileged to have been part of this unique community and honoured to be sitting listening to the wonderful contributions by children, governors and parents.

A huge thank you to the parents for their very generous gift. I will be planning my get away very shortly!

Yesterday Year 4 and the Good Gym began to install the bug hotels which have generously been gifted to the school. Thank you to the Year 4 parents for leaving such a thoughtful gift. The gift will add to our work as an eco-school and leave a continuing legacy of care and kindness to our world.

TSSSA Party in the Playground – A message from TSSSA - Saturday 19 July, 4–8pm

Come and celebrate the end of term at our final TSSSA event of the year! Party in the Playground is a fun, family-friendly afternoon packed with entertainment, treats and community spirit.

Entry wristbands are just £3 per person and will be on sale at the event.



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Here's what's in store:

- 4pm: *The party begins!*
- 4.45–5.30pm: *Live music from The Windsor Ukulele Band*
- 5–7pm: *360° Video Booth fun*
- 5.30–6.30pm: *Kids Disco & Games*
- 6.45pm: *Movie screening in the hall*

Plus...

- *Face glitter & tattoos galore*
- *Gabriel's Sourdough Pizza*
- *Paradise Ices ice-cream van*

We can't wait to see you there for our big end-of-year celebration!

Summer Reading Challenge - a message for the library service

Children aged 4 -11 are invited to discover the wonders of nature, the great outdoors, magical creatures, vibrant stories and the joy of reading with this year's Summer Reading Challenge - The Story Garden.

Sign up from Saturday 12 July, ignite your children's excitement for reading and keep them entertained throughout the summer holidays. We have a whole host of activities happening in our branches in July and August and we're excited to welcome families to our libraries and help imaginations bloom.

How the challenge works:

Come along to your local library to sign up, pick up your starter kit and begin reading.

Read six books of your choice and you'll be rewarded with stickers along the way. You will be awarded a certificate and a prize on completion of the challenge.

Running 12 July - 13 September

For more information about what is on in our local libraries see the link below:

<https://www.rbwm.gov.uk/leisure-and-culture/libraries/summer-reading-challenge-events-2025>

I look forward to meeting you this weekend at the Party in the Playground.

Kind regards,

Louise Lovegrove



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Important Dates:

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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