



# Trinity St Stephen CE Aided First School

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Dear Parents,

This week we celebrated the Festival of Candlemas in Church with Reverend Sally. The feast day falls on Sunday 02 February. This is the day when Christians remember the day Mary and Joseph took Jesus to the temple. The story tells that Simeon somehow knew that the baby being presented in the temple was going to be a great king. The festival is celebrated with candles. Christians remember that we can all be a light in the world. Year 1 children, Tori and Grayson once again performed their role as Mary and Joseph and Aarav played the part of Simeon. Thank you to Reverend Sally for leading our worship and to Tori, Grayson and Aarav for their roles in presenting the story.

Reverend Sally and Father Richard have asked me to share information about a new Church Holiday Club which will be open Monday to Wednesday of the February half term. A flyer is attached to this email. The club will include storytelling, singing, Bible reflection, a workout, games, arts and crafts as well as a mindfulness activity and, of course, a snack!

Please note the Year 3 Assembly has been added to the calendar. All are welcome to attend on Thursday 13 February in St Stephen and St Agnes Church at 9am.

The TSSSA will be meeting virtually next week at 8pm on Monday 03 February. The Zoom invitations have gone out to all parents. Being part of the association is an excellent way of making new friends and becoming a part of our school community. There is no commitment unless you want to volunteer for a role in one of the future events. The association continues to raise much needed funds for the school and makes a wonderfully positive impact to the provision for all our pupils. Many thanks to all those involved. I look forward to working with you this year.

The TSSSA will be running a pre-loved uniform sale on Friday 07 February. Please feel free to take uniform that will be useful to you. Any donations for clothes taken are welcome but not essential. The event will take place on the stage after school. Please see the flyer attached.

As I mentioned last week, we are starting a new blog on the home page of our website. This will be published by 5pm on a Friday evening. There will be a weekly update giving all parents an insight into what is going on in the school on a day to day basis. Special trips and visitors will still appear separately under the Latest News heading. This week it is the turn of the Reception Class to tell us what they have been learning over the last few weeks. Next week Year 1 will share their learning with us.

The staff team have been working hard under the leadership of Mrs Wakeman, following the maths survey, to prepare Mathematics Workshops to inform parents and carers of the strategies we use to teach early number skills and the four operations. Maths Workshops will take place after the Easter holidays. Please see the dates in the calendar below this newsletter. School staff will provide child care of school age children for parents and carers who wish to come. More information will follow.



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Kind regards,

### Dates:

03 February 2025	TSSSA Committee Meeting at 8pm (Virtual meeting – Zoom invitations have been sent out via parent mail)
07 February 2025	Nearly New Uniform Sale at 3.15pm
11 February 2025	Year 3 to St Edward’s Middle School to see Aladdin
<b>13 February 2025</b>	<b>Year 3 Class Assembly in St Stephen and St Agnes Church at 9am</b>
13 February 2025	TSSSA Valentine’s biscuit sale at 3.15pm
13 February 2025	Pupil term finishes
14 February 2025	<i>In Service Training Day - no school for pupils</i>
03 March 2025	Shakespeare Workshop led by The Young Shakespeare Company for Year 3 and 4
<b>06 March 2025</b>	<b>Year 1 visit to Winchester Science Museum</b>
<b>11 March 2025</b>	<b>Year 3 visit to Chertsey Museum</b>
18 and 20 March 2025	Parents Evenings
28 March 2025	TSSSA Mother’s Day shop
03 April 2025	Family Worship at St Stephen and St Agnes Church, starting at 9am
04 April 2025	Nearly New Uniform Sale
04 April 2025	Term finishes
24 April 2025	Easter Service at Holy Trinity Church at 9.30am
<b>28 April 2025</b>	<b>Reception Workshop, starting at 3.15pm</b>
<b>29 April 2025</b>	<b>Year 1 Maths Workshop, starting at 3.15pm</b>



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30 April 2025	Year 3 and 4 Maths Workshop, starting at 3.15pm
01 May 2025	Year 2 Maths Workshop, starting at 3.15pm



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