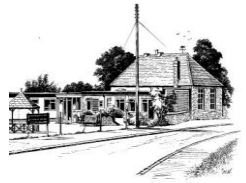




# Twineham Church of England School

*Nurture Togetherness Resilience Creativity*



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## *Everyone is a gift and everyone is gifted*

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February 2020

Dear Parents,

Well done to everyone in Oakwood class for showing resilience, courage, independence and teamwork to get the most out of our fantastic trip to Bowles! More photos soon...



### **FOTS Cake Sale:**

**this Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February, 3pm**

We will finish our half-term with a cake sale this Friday – please donate cakes by bringing them to school anytime on Friday before 3pm. All donations, home-baked or bought, will be gratefully received. Cakes will be sold for donations and every penny will go to FOTS to support and enrich pupils' experiences at school.

There will also be a **Rockinghorse Collection** after half-term – please put aside unwanted clothes, toys and bric-a-brac items and bring them to school after half-term (date TBC) for this great appeal. Many items are directly donated to people in need in the local area and FOTS receive commission based on the size of the donation.

### **Safer Internet Day today**

This year's theme is *'Together for a Better Internet'*. In assembly we shared this video about children using avatars online:

<https://www.saferinternet.org.uk/safer-internet-day/safer-internet-day-2020/i-am-educator/film-what-does-my-avatar-say-about-me>



## Together for a Better Internet

Remember, we all need to work together for a safer, better internet.



tell an adult



report



save the evidence



block



help

We also explored how to stay safe on the web. A key message for children is to always tell an adult if they watch or read something online that makes them feel sad, worried or confused. The children have suggested great tips for staying safe on the web – for example, children who play Roblox should create avatars that don't look like our real faces and we should never reveal our names or personal details with our characters.

### Coronavirus

Please see this latest advice regarding Coronavirus. Schools are not being asked to close but we have been advised to share this information:

 HM Government



## CORONAVIRUS: PUBLIC INFORMATION

The Government and NHS are well prepared to deal with this virus.

You can help too.

Germs can live on some surfaces for hours.

To protect yourself and others:

- Always carry tissues with you and use them to catch your cough or sneeze.
- Bin the tissue and, to kill the germs, wash your hands with soap and water, or use a sanitiser gel.

This is the best way to slow the spread of almost any germs, including Coronavirus.

If you have arrived back from China or specified countries within the last 14 days, follow the returning traveller advice.

Check the list of countries and find out more at [gov.uk/coronavirus](https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus)

## Usborne Book Fair

We are excited to announce that Amanda Saunders will be running a book fair at Twineham on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> February. ***This event takes place on one day only*** - there will not be a Scholastic Book Fair week this term.

The fair is part of our celebrations building up to **World Book Day** which takes place next month on **Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March**. On this day children are invited to dress up as a character from a book of their choice. It would be fantastic if pupils could also bring in a copy of the book that inspired their outfit.

We will also be launching a sponsored reading challenge soon – more details to follow later this week.



USBORNE  
BOOKS AT HOME

## USBORNE BOOK FAIR

**Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> February 2020**

Dear Parents/Guardians,

As part of our book week to encourage reading for pleasure, we will be holding a book fair to help us raise money for new books for our school. You are invited to come along to browse, buy and take away on the day. Books will also be available to order. Every book you buy for your children will help our school to get lots of lovely new books for them to enjoy in school too.

**Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> February      3.00 - 4.00pm**




The book fair is being organised by Amanda Saunders, our local Usborne Organiser. You can view the full catalogue and special offers online at [www.amandasbooks.co.uk](http://www.amandasbooks.co.uk). If you are unable to make it, you can simply email your order to [aksaunders1@gmail.com](mailto:aksaunders1@gmail.com). Please do not order online because it will not count towards the school's free books. Orders will be delivered to the school within 2 weeks. Payment can be made by cash, cheque or card.

Please come along and have a look at the wonderful range of books on offer. We appreciate your support and hope that we get lots of fun and engaging new books for your children to benefit from in school.

For more information, please contact:

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## **Piano and keyboard lessons at Twineham**

A reminder to contact Laura Haywood by this Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February if your child would like to learn piano or keyboard at Twineham - EMAIL: [pianowithlaura@outlook.com](mailto:pianowithlaura@outlook.com) or TEL: 07469 218 844.

## **Diary Dates**

Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> February	FOTS Cake Sale 3pm
Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> February	Half-term break
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> February	Return to school for 2 <sup>nd</sup> half of Spring Term
Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup> February	3 – 4pm Usborne Book Fair
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> March	World Book Day
Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> April	Last day of term
Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> April	Return to school for Summer Term
Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> April	Class Photographs

Kind regards,



*Scott Reece,*  
*Headteacher*