



Twineham CofE School



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This month's value: Peace

Tuesday 6th November 2018

Dear Parents,

Poppies will be available at the end of the day every day this week in exchange for a donation to the **Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal**.



We hope you can join us for our special Remembrance Service in church next Monday 12th November from 2:15pm.



Curriculum week: Save Our Seas

Thank you for the milk bottles so far – please keep adding your used plastic milk containers to the big yellow bag up until Monday the 19th November. Please wash all bottles and please donate lids, too!



Cross Country

Well done to our fantastic team who represented Twineham at the annual NEARS Cross Country Competition in Horsted Keynes last week. Ethan, Rose and Sofia all finished in the top 15 across the 10 NEARS schools so they have qualified for the next round. Joshua, Lucas and Jago ran superbly to help our boys' team finish in 3rd place. Darcy and Leah helped the girls' team to also achieve a fabulous 3rd place. This is an excellent achievement and we are really proud of the whole team. Thank you to Mrs Reeves, Mrs Stafford and Mrs Squire for supporting our team for this fantastic afternoon.

FOTS Bonfire and Fireworks

Wow! One visitor described this event as 'the best ever' as we were treated to an incredible fireworks display by the super-talented Nick Platt. Thank you to everyone for such positive support – the FOTS team worked incredibly hard to provide a fabulous family evening which brought in over £1,000! We will confirm final fund raising amounts soon. Thank you, FOTS - the children and all of our visitors from the wider community enjoyed an awesome time.



Non-uniform Day: Friday 23rd November

We have moved our non-uniform day one week earlier to **Friday 23rd November**. On this day, please can children bring a tombola donation for the FOTS Christmas Fair which takes place on 30th November.





Handball Festival

Mrs Plowman and Mrs Smith took a team of Year 4 and 5 pupils to Warden Park last Friday for a handball festival run by Mrs Stafford and Mid Sussex Active. The children learned new skills and took part in 15 different challenges to develop their talents in this emerging sport. Well done to Evie S, Harry, Dominic, Anabelle, Max, Esme, Bertie and Sophia for representing our school so wonderfully. Thank you to Mrs Smith for helping and for taking these fantastic action photographs!



Parent Questionnaire

Please complete the short parent questionnaire when you attend parent consultations this week; your views are important to us. If you are unable to attend this week, you can still complete the questionnaire attached at the bottom of this letter and return it to school.

Diary dates (FOTS DATES)

Thursday 8 th November	Parent consultations 1:30pm-5pm
Monday 12 th November	2:15pm Remembrance Service in church
Monday 19 th November	Whole School Curriculum Week: Save The Seas
Friday 23rd November	Non-Uniform Day – please bring tombola donation for Christmas Fair
Friday 30th November	Decorations Day and FOTS Christmas Fair
Tuesday 4th December	8pm Wreath Making Workshop, mulled wine and nibbles at The Royal Oak, Wineham
Tuesday 4 th December	Willow and Oakwood trip to Newhaven Fort
Monday 10 th December	9:30am: KS1 (Buttercups and Year 2) Christmas Show: dress rehearsal to school
Wednesday 12 th December	2pm KS1 (Buttercups and Year 2) Christmas Show: afternoon performance to parents
Thursday 13 th December	9am KS1 (Buttercups and Year 2) Christmas Show: morning performance to parents
Monday 17 th December	9am Christmas Service and Key Stage 2 Carols in Church: led by Years 3, 4, 5 and 6
Tuesday 18 th December	1pm Christmas Parties
Thursday 20 th December	Christmas holiday starts
Thursday 3 rd January 2019	Pupils return to school for Spring Term
Friday 15 th February 2019	Whole school trip to the theatre: Tom Gates at The Capitol
Monday 18 th February 2019	Half-term
Monday 25 th February 2019	School closed for INSET
Tuesday 26 th February 2019	Pupils return to school
Monday 8 th April 2019	Easter holiday starts

Yours sincerely,

Scott Reece,
Headteacher



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Parent Questionnaire: November 2018

Please tick the boxes below...

Statement	Agree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Disagree
The school has a positive atmosphere			
The school provides a safe environment for my child			
School communication keeps me well-informed			
I am made to feel welcome when I come into school			
Teaching is good			
Learning is often creative and engaging			
My child likes school			
Homework is just about right			
My child does not have a problem with bullying			
Behaviour in the school is good			
The Christian ethos of the school is important to me			
I would recommend Twineham CofE School to others			

We welcome your further comments and ideas:

What do you like about Twineham CE School? What are the strengths of our school?	
What would make the school better? Please include comments about any areas where you ticked 'Disagree' above.	

Name (optional): _____ Child's class (optional): _____

Thank you.