

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been wonderful to welcome our new nursery children into the Holy Trinity community. The Reception children experienced their first Collective Worship (assembly) today – we were so proud of the way they sat and listened.

Year 4 enjoyed visiting Wimbledon Theatre as part of the Wimbledon Bookfest programme. They heard from former children's laureate, Chris Riddell, author of the Goth Girl series. Year 6 went to the Excel Centre yesterday for the New Scientist Live Show – they had a fantastic time!

### Meet the Teacher Session

Date	Time	Session
27 <sup>th</sup> September	6.30pm	Reception Meet the teacher session/Information evening in the Hall

### Friday 28 September – HOTS Welcome Coffee Morning

Please join us in the small hall after drop off at 9.00am to meet HOTS and other parents and carers. We'll also be fundraising for Macmillan Cancer Support's World's Biggest Coffee Morning so donations of cakes or money will be much appreciated! Young children are welcome.

### School Sunday – Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> September @ Holy Trinity Church, 10am

It would be wonderful to see as many families as possible at our annual Schools Sunday service on Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> September, 10am at Holy Trinity Church. It is a lovely service at the start of the school year to give thanks to God for both of the schools linked to Holy Trinity Church - The Priory School and our school.

Children sit with their parent/carer, and there is no need to wear school uniform.

A message from Mrs Quinn - Both school choirs (Year 3/4 Choir and Year 5/6 Choir) will be singing a song during the service with Priory Choir. The choir do not need to wear uniform and can sit with their families during the service.

### Uniform

Please name all items of clothing. All named items are being returned to their owners, but we have a growing number of items that are not named.

### Trim Trail

Please ensure your children do not use the Trim Trail before or after school. Thank you.

### Trinity Singers

Our next rehearsal is on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> September at 8pm. If you didn't come to our first rehearsal but would like to join the choir, we would love to see you! If you are going to sing with us at the Royal Albert Hall concert next March, please could you bring your registration and participation fee of £30.

### A Challenge from Madam Moran!

The European Day of Languages is on Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> September. Madam Moran is challenging us all to try a new European language on Linguascope. The login details are: <http://www.linguascope.com>  
username: trinitysw/password: l4nguages

Children could complete the games and activities on one topic in their chosen language and then do the test at the end and print off a certificate to bring into school.

### Illness

We have a number of children and staff who are immuno-suppressed. Please ensure that you let us know if your child has an infectious disease, including if they have a cold sore. We appreciate your support in this.

## Could you help us please?

We are looking for more people to help us research potential grant funding opportunities and/ or help with bid writing. If you would be willing to help in this way please contact [sbm@holytrinity.merton.sch.uk](mailto:sbm@holytrinity.merton.sch.uk)

## Congratulations

One of our former pupils, Daniel Burke, has been made Head Boy at Rutlish Secondary School. Many congratulations to him.

## Wimbledon Guild Waggy Walk – Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> October 2018

Wimbledon Guild are organising a Waggy Walk on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> October. It is a fun walk/event open to everyone with and without a dog. For more information visit <https://www.wimbledonguild.co.uk/waggywalk.html>

## Key Dates for 2018-2019

Date	Time	Event
27 <sup>th</sup> September	6.30pm	Reception Meet the teacher session and information evening
30 <sup>th</sup> September	Time tbc	School Sunday @ Holy Trinity Church
4 <sup>th</sup> October	9.15am	Harvest Service @ Holy Trinity Church
5 <sup>th</sup> October	9.00am	SEND Parent Support group – Small Hall
11 <sup>th</sup> October	9.00am	6T Class Assembly
17 <sup>th</sup> October	8.15-8.45am	Share my Learning – an opportunity for children to share their learning, and books, with their parents/carers
18 <sup>th</sup> October	6.30pm	Maths Workshop for parents/carers
19 <sup>th</sup> October	9.00am	Parent Prayer Group – Club Room
19 <sup>th</sup> October		Break up for half term
29 <sup>th</sup> October		2 <sup>nd</sup> half of term starts
1 <sup>st</sup> November	9.00am	6H Class Assembly
2 <sup>nd</sup> November	9.00am	SEND Parent Support group – Small Hall
2 <sup>nd</sup> November	PM	HOTS Disco
8 <sup>th</sup> November	9.00am	5H Class Assembly
12-16 <sup>th</sup> November		Anti-bullying week
15 <sup>th</sup> November	9.00am	3H Class Assembly
16 <sup>th</sup> November	9.00am	HOTS AGM
19-23 <sup>rd</sup> November		Assessment week
22 <sup>nd</sup> November	9.00am	2B (Badgers) Class Assembly
23 <sup>rd</sup> November	9.00am	Parent Prayer Group – Club Room
5 <sup>th</sup> December	3.50-7.00pm	Parent/Teacher meetings
6 <sup>th</sup> December	3.50-6.00pm	Parent/Teacher meetings
7 <sup>th</sup> December	9.00am	SEND Parent Support group – Small Hall
8 <sup>th</sup> December	PM	Christmas Carols in South Park Gardens for Women in Need
10 <sup>th</sup> December	2.15pm	Reception Nativity
11 <sup>th</sup> December	9.30am	Reception Nativity
12 <sup>th</sup> December	9.15am	Year 2 Nativity
13 <sup>th</sup> December	9.15am	Year 2 Nativity
14 <sup>th</sup> December	10.30am/2.30pm	Nursery Nativity
18 <sup>th</sup> December	9.15am	Year 1 Concert
19 <sup>th</sup> December	6.30pm	Year 3/5 Carol Service @ Holy Trinity Church
20 <sup>th</sup> December	6.30pm	Year 4/6 Carol Service @ Holy Trinity Church
21 <sup>st</sup> December	2.00pm	Break up
7 <sup>th</sup> January 2019		INSET Day
8 <sup>th</sup> January		Term begins for all children
18 <sup>th</sup> January	9.00am	Parent Prayer Group – Club Room
24 <sup>th</sup> January	9.00am	5T Class Assembly
31 <sup>st</sup> January	9.00am	3T Class Assembly
7 <sup>th</sup> February	9.00am	1M (Moles) Class Assembly
13 <sup>th</sup> February	8.15-8.45am	Share my Learning – an opportunity for children to share their learning, and books, with their parents/carers
15 <sup>th</sup> February	9.00am	Parent Prayer Group – Club Room
15 <sup>th</sup> February		Break up for half term
25 <sup>th</sup> February		2 <sup>nd</sup> half of term begins
28 <sup>th</sup> February	9.00am	2S (Squirrels) Class Assembly
7 <sup>th</sup> March	9.00am	4H Class Assembly
11 <sup>th</sup> – 15 <sup>th</sup> March		Science week
14 <sup>th</sup> March	9.00am	1F (Foxes) Class Assembly
15 <sup>th</sup> March	9.00am	Parent Prayer Group – Club Room
18 <sup>th</sup> March		Assessment week
20 <sup>th</sup> March	All day and evening	Year 5 at the Royal Albert Hall
28 <sup>th</sup> March	9.00am	4T Class Assembly tbc

2 <sup>nd</sup> April	9.15am	Easter Service @ Holy Trinity Church
4 <sup>th</sup> April	1.50-7.10pm	Parent/Teacher meetings NB School closes at 1.30pm
5 <sup>th</sup> April		Easter Bonnet/Hat Parade
5 <sup>th</sup> April	2.00pm	Break up for Easter holidays
23 <sup>rd</sup> April		Summer term begins
23 <sup>rd</sup> – 26 <sup>th</sup> April		Year 4 PGL Residential
26 <sup>th</sup> April	9.00am	Parent Prayer Group – Club Room
13 <sup>th</sup> – 16 <sup>th</sup> May		Year 6 SATS
20 <sup>th</sup> – 24 <sup>th</sup> May		Book Week
24 <sup>th</sup> May	9.00am	Parent Prayer Group – Club Room
24 <sup>th</sup> May		Break up for half term
3 <sup>rd</sup> June		INSET Day
4 <sup>th</sup> June		2 <sup>nd</sup> half of term begins
17 <sup>th</sup> – 21 <sup>st</sup> June		Sports Days for all year groups TBC
21 <sup>st</sup> June	9.00am	Parent Prayer Group – Club Room
24 <sup>th</sup> – 28 <sup>th</sup> June		Year 6 in France
11 <sup>th</sup> July	TBC	Open Afternoon/Evening
17 <sup>th</sup> /18 <sup>th</sup> July	7.00pm	Year 6 Production
22 <sup>nd</sup> July	2.00pm	Term ends
23 <sup>rd</sup> July		INSET Day

I hope you have a lovely weekend.

Izzy Rickards – Headteacher