



THE HAS NEWS

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Friday 30th September

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Attendance for w/beginning 19/9/16

Well done to class

6S

who achieved 99.59 % attendance.

They will receive an extra ten minutes
next week.

You are welcome to come in!

Year 3 parents: Please remember that you are welcome to come into school with your child in the morning during this transition period.

ALL parents are reminded that class teachers are available in their rooms in the morning and on the yard at the end of the day. You can also contact us via the home link book.

A word from Mr Rotherham...

This week we have talked about the qualities of friendship in assemblies. Children at NJS are able to talk about how much they value their friends and how to keep healthy friendships. We talked about sharing ‘friendship tokens’ with each other. These could be simple things like a smile, a handshake or a hug as well as acts of kindness and helpfulness. For some children they value their friends help and support- knowing they can talk to their friends when they are feeling upset or worried. For other children they value that their friends are able to make them laugh and that they are fun to be with at playtime. Our values on friendship are based on the golden rule- “Treat others the way you want to be treated.”

PTA Christmas Cards

Tonight your child should come home with an exemplar Christmas Card which they have designed. To receive the full discount, making a wealthy sum of money for our children’s PTA fund, all orders must be in school by

FRIDAY 7th OCTOBER

Holy Trinity Academy

The open evening for Holy Trinity Academy is 6 – 8.30pm on 6th October 2016.

Parents who are applying for a place need to complete a Supplementary Information Form, available from school or our website – holyltrinity.academy and this needs to be returned to the school by 31st October 2016.

HOUSE POINTS

For last week:

- 1st Jebb
- 2nd Darwin
- 3rd Owen
- 4th Wright

The winning team will have lunch first on the following Monday and they will also have access to the team games and activity area on the small yard.

Polite Notice...

Please remember that the school gates will be opened at 3.20pm and not before.

Church Services at St.Nicholas’ Church

Parents are reminded that for church services children are to go directly to church on the given dates. Children are to arrive at church, no earlier than 8.50am, where they will be met by their class teacher. Children will then be walked back to school by school staff.

End of Term Worship: Wednesday 14th December

Upper School Concert Practice: Monday 12th December at 8.50am

Upper School Carol Concert: Monday 12th December @ 7pm

Mrs M’s Home Challenge 3!

Learn a maths fact that you can share!

Take a photo of you completing the challenge and email it to Mrs Moody! nicola.moody@taw.org.uk or just pass her any information you may find!

Photos will be displayed in school and on the website for children who have permission to do so.

Up Coming Dates:

Monday 26th September –
Languages Afternoon, including
National Languages lunch.

Tuesday 27th September –
Yr 3 Open Lunch- Lesson 11am,
Lunch 12pm.

Friday 30th September – PTA
Cake Stall

Tuesday 4th October – Parent
Action Group (PAG) in 5M at
3.30pm

Wednesday 5th October –
Grandparents Lunch.

Thursday 6th October – National
Poetry Day

Monday 10th – Friday 14th October
– Yr 6 Arthog Residential

Monday 17th October – Yr 3 and Yr
4 Parents Evening.
From 1.30pm in the school hall.

Tuesday 18th October – Yr 5 and Yr
6 Parents Evening.
From 1.30pm in the school hall.

Wednesday 19th October – PTA
School Disco 3.30-5pm

Thursday 20th October – Harvest
Festival 2.45pm

Friday 21st October – Finish for
half term.

**Monday 24th October – Friday
28th October – HALF TERM**

Monday 31st October – Children
return to school.

Wednesday 2nd November–
Yr 5 Open Lunch- Lesson 11am,
Lunch 12pm.

Friday 4th November – Bonfire
Bonanza Lunch

Friday 4th November – PTA Cake
Stall

Wednesday 9th November –
Yr 6 Open Lunch- Lesson 11am,
Lunch 12pm.

Friday 11th November – Children in
Need.

Friday 11th November – Armistice
Day

Friday 11th November – 4F Class
Assembly

NJS CLUB WEEKLY DIARY

Please read this section every week as there are occasions when we have to amend or cancel clubs. Club lists have been sent home this week

Monday 3rd October –

Lower School Football – only children who attended week 1 please.

Tuesday 4th October –

Science & Art – The first group only; letters for your child's attendance will come home when it is their turn.

Wednesday 5th October –

Cross Country – Upper School only this term.

Thursday 6th October – Clubs as normal

Friday 7th October – Clubs as normal

Class Assemblies

A class assembly is time for children to share with family and friends some of the experiences they have had during their time in the classroom. Class assemblies are on **FRIDAY's** and usually start at **2.50pm**. Dates for this school year are:

4F – 11/11/16	3B – 18/11/16
4J – 10/02/17	4R – 17/02/17
3K – 10/03/17	5H – 31/03/17
3S – 05/05/17	5M – 26/05/17
6J – 09/06/17	6S – 30/06/17

NJS Sharing Success!

Throughout the year if your child has an achievement that you would like to share with the school community on the weekly newsletter please email me with the brief details ben.moody@taw.org.uk e.g. Joe Bloggs ran the 4k Smithy Fun Run, Betty Jones has achieved a black belt in Karate at the Kicking Karate Club.
We look forward to finding out about your success!

HEADTEACHER AWARDS

Well done to all the following children, who received head teacher's awards last week. Email's about having lunch with Mrs. Moody will be sent home to the parents of the winners.

Congratulations to: Jack Heath, Rory Smith, Jacob Ellerby, Ruby Clews, Alfi Hilliar, Emily Burton, Alice Roddy, Kiera Brotherton, Ella Black, Noah Owen, Katie Woodman, Wei Chen, Zuza Zazacka, Iris Bates, Alyssa Hoof Fowler, Olivia Corrigan, Fin Smelius, Max Heath, Evie Marshall and Lydia Lane-Craddock.

Parent Action Group

NJS has an active Parent Group who meet half termly to discuss school strengths and next steps. They are friendly informal meetings with effective discussions over a cup of tea! All parents are very welcome.

"Over the past five years this forum has improved NJS communications, had a say on school policies, offered opinions on school arrangements and strategies including Numeracy, Literacy, Homework, Home School Agreement, had the opportunity to views plans and be involved in developing school initiatives and had "our" say and questions answered.

This is a strong median for constructive criticism which enables school to resolve issues across its school community, in partnership with parents and teachers, improving the school, so that together we can make a difference!"

Mrs Mellings, Mrs Storey, Mrs Ingman and Mrs Stacey 2016.

Our next meeting will take place on Tuesday 4th October at 3.30pm in 5M.

ACCESS TO SCHOOL

ALL parents are reminded that children are to enter and leave school through the 'Parent and Child Entrance' by the conservatory. Children/parents should not use the entrance through the Visitors Car Park unless collecting children during the school day.

OPEN LUNCHES

You will be receiving a letter next week inviting you to this terms open lunch. Parents are invited into class at 11am for a workshop with the children, which is then followed by lunch at 12pm. The dates are:

Tuesday 27th September – Year 3
Wednesday 2nd November – Year 5
Wednesday 9th November – Year 6

Please return your attendance slip as soon as possible to support the kitchen.

PTA Project!

The PTA are going to fund a school greenhouse! The children will be able to grow their own produce for cookery and complete Science activities.

The greenhouse will have a timber frame but the rest will be constructed from plastic bottles!

We need as many 2l plastic bottles as possible! Please can you rinse the bottles and send them into school with the lids. We look forward to your support with this exciting building project that the children can be involved with!

SCHOOL DINNERS

Reminder that the cost of school dinners is £2.00. Children should bring their money to school in a labelled envelope (name, class, school) and it should be placed in the class dinner basket in the morning before the register. For the week beginning 14/9 we will be on week 2 of the dinner menu.

Head lice

Please be aware that we have had a few messages from parents whose children have head lice.

Please all check your child's hair and treat appropriately. Whilst it is not school policy, we recommend that all girls try to have their hair tied up.

Brightlights Respite

**Over 8's Out of School Respite Care
for Children with Special Needs**

Weekdays 3pm till 8pm (term time)

Overnight Respite available 7 days a week

Holidays and PD days with prior arrangement

(all subject to availability)

Opening
1st September
2016



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