

TUDOR COURT PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Newsletter 005

4th October 2019

Dear Parents, Pupils and Staff,

I would like to thank all of our families who have donated to our whole school Harvest collection so far. On Monday **Thurrock Food Bank** will come and collect the donations, which I know will make a difference to those in need in our local area. Our Year 3 Harvest Celebrations were a huge success and reminded us all to be grateful for the food we have.

I was thoroughly impressed with the Year 6 children who went to **PGL** over the weekend. The children demonstrated our core values and learning powers throughout their time and it was wonderful to see how they supported and encouraged each other to overcome their fears. A big thank you to the staff that ensured the trip was such a success once again!

It is lovely to see many of our children loving the **reading challenge** and I am sure that our reading displays will grow rapidly over the coming weeks and months. Our Key Stage 1 children enjoyed their author visit on Tuesday afternoon and I keep seeing some of our staff with cuddly Orang-utans!

Yesterday the children had their **photographs** taken. With so many children in school it was a very busy day! The company will get the proofs out to us as soon as they are able and we will send them out to you. Please remember if returning orders through school that the proof must have your child's name and class on, in order that we can identify it and the correct money must be enclosed. We hope you will be happy with the photograph and appreciate your feedback.


A reminder to all parents that **scooters and cycles are not to be ridden anywhere on the school site**. As you will all appreciate the site is very busy at the start and end of the school day and these pose a potential health and safety danger. **Nursery parents collecting at 3.00 p.m.** will need to use the gates along Bark Burr Road to enter school as all other gates do not start to be opened around school until the children have returned from play.

There is a new look this year to the top of our **Fantasy Football League** with Isabella D our current leader and Jack K in second place, do remember to check the table to see where you are on it, sadly I am languishing in 23rd place at the moment!

Have a lovely weekend.

Phil Kyriacou

Head Teacher

|  | ATTENDANCE TROPHY AWARDS | | OUR TARGET: 96.5% | |
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| | Class 8 | Mrs Marlow | 100% | 2 nd win |
| | Class 17 | Mrs Rowley | | 4 th win |
| | Class 25 Class 26 | Mrs Arnell/Miss Simmonds Miss Lauricourt | 99.3% | 2 nd win 1 st win 1 st win 1 st win |
| <i>Well done to all of the classes who were awarded an Attendance Trophy today. Special Congratulations to Classes 8 and 17 on their 100% achievement. For both Classes it is their 2nd 100% win already this term.</i> | | | | |



GYMNASTICS CLUB – WEDNESDAY MOVES BACK TO THE FS HALL

SPORTING NEWS

Mr Silva-Peake

Unfortunately the weather has been playing havoc with the Year 3/4 football trials and I will now be holding them on Monday 7th October and Tuesday 8th October during the lunch break. Any children interested in attending will need to go in for an early lunch. The trials will take place on the field, so suitable clothing and footwear must be worn.

Unfortunately on this occasion I am only able to take 8 children to the first competition with a minimum of 3 girls. After the trials I will then look into running a lunchtime football club for all year 3/4 boys and girls who would like to attend with different children chosen for future competitions.

Just a reminder that all sports letters go out via Parentmail and they have a date on as to when a reply is due. This is to enable me to find a replacement should a child be unable to attend. Recently a sporting event had to be cancelled due to the lack of replies, which is disappointing for the children who wanted to participate. If your child cannot participate please let me know a.s.a.p. so that I can make alternative arrangements.

Replies should be made directly to my email address silva-peake@tudorcourtprimary.com as you are not able to 'reply' to Parentmail communications. Thank you for your continued support.

INFORMATION SENT OUT THIS WEEK



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Years R Cooking

Years 1 - 6 FS Sports October Half Term Activities

Year 2 Parent Pirate Workshop and Dress Up Day

Year 1 Changing Reading Books

Year 4 Showbie and Class Dojo

Community News in no particular order... Royal Opera House and Little Musketeers Fencing

IMPORTANT DATES TO NOTE ...



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| OCTOBER | Mon | 7 | SEND Coffee Morning | 9.15 a.m. – FS Hall | |
| | Tue | 8 | Year 5: PGL Visit 2020 Meeting for parents | 3.30 p.m. – FS Hall | |
| | Thu | 10 | Wear it Yellow Non Uniform Day for mental health minimum donation £1 per person please | | |
| | | | Classes 3 to 6: Phonics Training for Parents | 2.30 pm | |
| | Fri | 11 | Class 28: Sharing Assembly | Parents invited 9.05 – 9.35 a.m. | |
| | Thu | 17 | Year R: Tapestry (EY Log) Training Session for Parents | 2.30 p.m. | |
| | | | Baked Potato Buffet: Chilli Con Carne or Tuna Mayonnaise or Veg Bolognaise | | |
| | Fri | 18 | Class 15: Sharing Assembly | Changed to June 2020 | |
| | Mon | 21 | Classes 11 and 12: Parent Pirate Workshop | 9.10 a.m. – Small Hall | |
| | Thu | 24 | Classes 13 and 14: Parent Pirate Workshop | 9.10 a.m. – Small Hall | |
| | | | Nursery Story Sack Meeting for parents at 11.00 am and 2.45 pm | FS Hall | |
| | Autumn Term Parent Consultations – Online Bookings Open | | | | |
| | Fri | 25 | Class 20: Sharing Assembly | Parents invited 9.05 – 9.35 a.m. | |
| 28 – 8 Nov | | HALF TERM ~ SCHOOL HOLIDAY CLOSURE | | | |
| Thu | 31 | Year 6: Secondary School 2020 Application deadline see thurrock.gov.uk/admissions | | | |

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| NOVEMBER | Fri | 1 | Reception 2020 Applications open see thurrock.gov.uk/admissions ~ closes 15 th January | |
| | Mon | 11 | BACK TO SCHOOL | |
| | Mon | 11 | Wear it Red for Poppy Day – Non Uniform Donation £1 per person for The Royal British Legion Charity | |
| | Thu | 14 | Year 2: Non Uniform – Pirate Dress Up Reception 2020 Open Evening (prospective parents invited) Welcome Talks at 5.00 p.m. and 6.00 p.m. FS Hall/Building | |
| | Fri | 15 | Class 21: Sharing Assembly | Parents invited 9.05 – 9.35 a.m. |
| | Tue | 19 | R ~ Year 6: Parent Consultations Appointments Booked Online FTCA Café in Dean Hall | 3.30 to 6.30 p.m. |
| | Wed | 20 | R ~ Year 6: Parent Consultations Appointments Booked Online FTCA Christmas Market | 3.30 to 6.30 p.m. Dean Hall 6.00 to 8.00 p.m. |
| | Fri | 22 | Class 22: Sharing Assembly | Parents invited 9.05 – 9.35 a.m. |
| | w/c | 25 th | Autumn Term Assessments: Years 3, 4 and 5 | |
| | Mon | 25 | Nursery Parent Consultations Appointments Booked Online | 9.00 – 11.30 and 12.30 – 2.30 p.m. |
| | Tue | 26 | Nursery Parent Consultations Appointments Booked Online | 9.00 – 11.30 and 12.30 – 2.30 p.m. |
| | Wed | 27 | Nursery Parent Consultations Appointments Booked Online | 9.00 – 11.30 and 12.30 – 2.30 p.m. |
| | Thu | 28 | Nursery Parent Consultations Appointments Booked Online | 9.00 – 11.30 and 12.30 – 2.30 p.m. |
| | Fri | 29 | Class 27: Sharing Assembly | Parents invited 9.05 – 9.35 a.m. |

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| DECEMBER | Mon | 2 | Classes 23 and 24: Christmas Celebration (ticket only event) | Parents invited 6.30 p.m. |
| | Wed | 4 | Classes 11 and 12: Winter Sharing Assembly | Parents invited 2.30 p.m. |
| | | | Classes 25 and 26: Christmas Celebration (ticket only event) | Parents invited 6.30 p.m. |
| | Thu | 5 | Classes 13 and 14: Winter Sharing Assembly | Parents invited 2.30 p.m. |
| | Fri | 6 | Class 30: Sharing Assembly | Parents invited 9.05 – 9.35 a.m. |
| | | | Non Uniform Day | <i>Donations for the FTCA Christmas Bazaar</i> |
| | | | FTCA Christmas Bazaar | Times to be confirmed |
| | Mon | 9 | Flu Immunisation Programme 2019: Years R – 6 | Small Hall (All Day) |
| | | | Classes 7 and 8: Christmas Songs | Parents invited 9.05 a.m. |
| | | | Classes 9 and 10: Christmas Songs | Parents invited 2.30 p.m. |
| | Tue | 10 | Classes NAM, 3 and 4: Christmas Celebration (ticket only event) | Parents invited 9.05 a.m. |
| | Wed | 11 | Classes NPM, 5 and 6: Christmas Celebration (ticket only event) | Parents invited 2.30 p.m. |
| | Wed | 18 | Christmas Lunches and Jumper Day | Non Uniform |
| | 20 – 3 Jan | SCHOOL HOLIDAY CLOSURE | | |

USEFUL EMAIL ADDRESSES

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| Absence Notifications, Changes in Contact Details and Music Tuition (via Thurrock Music Services) | office@tudorcourtprimary.com |
| School Shop (SIMSPAY) password request, Dinner money and Uniform Order enquiries | goff@tudorcourtprimary.com |
| Finance/Lettings | finance@tudorcourtprimary.com |
| Friends of Tudor Court Association | ftca@outlook.com |
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WEAR IT YELLOW 'MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS DAY' ~ NEXT THURSDAY
A DONATION OF £1 PER PERSON PLEASE

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| Tudor Court Website (link to School Shop) | www.tudorcourtprimary.com |
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|  <p>Friends of Tudor Court ABC Association (F.T.C.A)</p> | <p>Weekly updates, reminders @ Friends of Tudor Court</p>  |
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CHRISTMAS CARD PROJECT

In School over the last 2 weeks children have been designing Christmas Cards in Class for our Christmas Card Project. These are being sent off to our supplier. The sample and order information will come home soon with your child.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Christmas Market Wednesday 20th November from 6.00 to 8.00 p.m.
 Christmas Bazaar Friday 6th December from 6.00 to 7.00 p.m.

Any FTCA related questions please email us directly on ftca@outlook.com