

St Bartholomew's CE Primary School



News in school

Good afternoon,

10k Run and Fun Run

I am delighted to announce that Olivia Chamberlain is the winner of the medal design competition for this year's West Pinchbeck 10k and Fun Run. Olivia will be starting the 10k race for us and will receive a prize on the day. Well done Olivia!

Please do keep Sunday 1st October free and come and join us for a fantastic morning. We will have stalls, fun activities and yummy food!

New Sports Kit

We would like to say a huge thank you to Aphoenix Care for sponsoring our new Team Kit. I think you will all agree that they look very smart! THANK YOU Aphoenix Care we really appreciate your kindness and generosity.



Clothes Recycling

Our clothes recycling container has been delivered and is situated in the bike shed. If you wish to use it and the gates are locked, please let the school office know and a member of staff will open the gates for you. This facility is available term time only between 8.30am and 3.30pm. Your donations need to be deposited in a bag, however, please can we ask that you do not leave bags by the locked gates. This is a community facility and therefore is available for the wider community to use.

Parent Code of Conduct

Please find attached the Parent Code of Conduct. We are sending this as a reminder of the acceptable behaviour between parents when on or around our school site. I would like to ask that any issues that may

arise between parents is either kept away from school or do contact me if you would like support in resolving anything. Thank you.

PTFA Race Night

On Friday 21st April, we will be holding our first Race Night to raise money for our library. A booking form will come out next week. You will be able to book a table of 8. We have 10 tables available so it will be on a first come first served basis. The cost of the ticket is £5 a head which will get you a jacket potato with a choice of chilli, beans and cheese or tuna and a soft drink. You will also be able to sponsor whole race for £10 and your business will own the race; your logo will also be on the page, be the jockey for £1 or become the horse owner for £3. Jockey and owner winners will get to pick a prize from the winning table after the race. Totes are £1 for a race. It should be a fabulous evening and help us to raise money for our library. Thank you to SDG Access for sponsoring the whole evening. If you would like to donate a prize to the winners table we would be very grateful. There will be a raffle during the evening which will be £1 a strip. We hope to see you there!

Easter Service and Disco

Next Tuesday (28th) is our Easter Disco straight after school until 4:30pm. Children are welcome to bring party clothes to change into.

On Friday 31st March, our last day of term, we will be holding our Easter Service in church at 9:30am. Everyone is invited to attend and then join us back at school for tea, coffee and cake. The children will also take part in an Easter Egg Hunt when they return to school.

I wish you a restful and happy weekend.

Take care

Miss Ingle

Celebrated this week in Collective Worship

w/e 24.3.23	Fantastic award	Excellence award	Team Points award
Apple Class	Alfie	Charlie	Thomas
Palm Class	Dakota	Aubree	Jaccob
Oak Class	Emily-Ann	Joshua	Crystal
Willow Class	Kajus	Toby	Freya

Attendance winner of the week

Apple Class are the attendance winners of the week!

School worship

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.

Romans 15:13

Bible verse of the week

Now is your time of grief, but I will see you again and you will rejoice, and no one will take away your joy.

John 16:22

Church/Village News

Thirsty on Thursday – 30th March 2023

The Church will be open between 9.30 and 11am for you to drop in any time for tea/coffee and a chat.

Flower Festival – Wednesday 26th April – Monday 1st May

The church will be open between 10am and 4.30pm.

PTFA News

Easy Fundraising is a great source of funds for the school which could raise £££s for the PTFA. A range of retailers, holiday companies, Ebay, Tesco and many more donate a percentage of money spent when parents / carers / guardians spend money. It costs the consumer absolutely nothing at all. Parents/carers/guardians need to:

- Click on the easy fundraising link: https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/panel/
- Register an email and password
- Nominate your cause
- Download a reminder tool to browser so when purchases are made through a partner a reminder is sent.
- Make the purchase and a percentage goes to St Barts!

Diary Dates

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27th March – Year 6 – Easter Cracked trip
28<sup>th</sup> March – Oak & Willow – Virtual Reality experience
28<sup>th</sup> March – PTFA Easter Disco – 3.15pm – 4.30pm
30th March – KS1 & KS2 Parents SATs meeting - 3.20pm
31st March – Easter Service
31st March – PTFA Easter Celebration – 10.30am Refreshments/Easter Egg Hunt
31<sup>st</sup> March – Term 4 ends
17<sup>th</sup> April – Primary School places offered
18th April – First day of Term 5
21st April - PTFA Race Night - 6pm
26<sup>th</sup> April – 1<sup>st</sup> May – Flower Festival at St Bartholomew's Church
5<sup>th</sup> May – Coronation Concert & Celebration – 3pm
8<sup>th</sup> May - Bank Holiday – His Majesty's Coronation
19<sup>th</sup> May – PTFA Curry & Movie night – 7pm
26<sup>th</sup> May – Elmer Day (more details to follow)
26th May – Term 5 ends
5<sup>th</sup> June – First day of Term 6
10<sup>th</sup> June – Pinchbeck Carnival (Rotten Row Playing Field)
11<sup>th</sup> June – PTFA Car Boot Sale – 9am
21st June – Summer Concert – 5.30pm
30<sup>th</sup> June – PTFA Summer Fayre – 2.30pm
18<sup>th</sup> July – Whole school Trip – Woburn Safari Park
20<sup>th</sup> July – Leavers Disco – 3.15pm
21st July - Term 6 ends
1<sup>st</sup> October – West Pinchbeck 10k/School FunRun
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Any Other News

After School Clubs Term 5 & 6

The following clubs take place during term 5 & 6 and can be booked via ParentMail; they are free and run

by staff/parents. Childcare is also available in school every day from 3.15pm until 5pm. You are able to book sessions from 3.15pm to 5pm or 4pm to 5pm if your child is attending a free club first. The clubs on offer must be booked even if they are free. Available clubs are:

Monday	KS1 Yoga	Miss Cannon	
	KS2 Rounders	Miss Ingle	
Tuesday	No clubs due to Staff Meetings		
Wednesday	KS1 & KS2 Cricket	Mr Ferris	
Thursday	Year 5 11+	Miss Swain	
	KS1 & KS2 Art	Miss Cox	
	KS2 Athletics	Mr Ferris	
Friday	Years 2-6 Chess	Mrs Willerton/Miss Ingle	

Swimming

After the Easter holidays, swimming will begin. Please see the table below for the day on which each class will be swimming. Every child will need a swimming costume (one piece) or swimming shorts (preferably tight fitting to make movement through the water more effective), a towel and a swimming hat. You can purchase a plain white swimming hat for £1 via ParentMail. If your child wears glasses and needs to do so in the pool, please speak to their class teacher as there is a safety form for you to complete before they are able to go in the pool.

	PE	Swimming
Apple	Monday	Wednesday
Palm	Tuesday	Thursday
Oak	Friday	Tuesday
Willow	Thursday	Friday

After School Care

Please be aware that there will be no After School Care available on Tuesday 18th April 2023 due to staff training.

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