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This year, our Marsden March will be 27.3.18 in the morning. Target £3K!

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# Trinity Times

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## Brilliant Book Week!

### Brilliant Book week began in an upbeat, creative way—with dance!

Holy Trinity has been transformed into a magical world of books in more ways than one this week. Not only have we been celebrating Book Week, but also the world outside has been transformed into a snowy Narnia! All week we've had dance workshops, a storyteller and the annual Poetry Competition. It's been a week full of stories, fun and laughter.

### Dance

During Monday and Tuesday the hall was turned into a West End dance theatre. We were visited by a genuine West End dancer who has performed in Les Miserables among many other famous shows. She had come in to show us how much fun dance can be and how we can tell stories in other ways using our bodies. Year 5 and 6 worked on The Enormous Crocodile, a story which they know well from their writing in year 5. Year 3 and 4 worked on Alice in Wonderland, telling the whole story through carefully choreographed dance moves and changing music. The staff were amazed by how many complicated moves the children could learn in a short period of time. It also began to give the children a sense of story telling through dance, which not only links to their learning in English but

also their PE learning journey. Well done to everyone who took part!

### The rest of the week..

“From Monday to Friday it was book week. It started off with a drama and dance workshop. We acted out ‘The enormous crocodile’ and we were each given a scene to act. It was so much fun!

Thursday was probably the best day for book week because we got to dress up as any book or comic character. Also a storyteller came to our school and told us many funny fairy tales. Some people got to act out some of the main characters.

On Friday, we had a poetry competition. A few competitors from each year group performed a poem. Some people even wrote their own!

Overall, book week inspired us to read many types of books.”

By Jessica Collins and Ashton Charles Pine class



### Chestnut class assembly

Circus of books was the theme of Chestnut assembly—once again incorporating, song, dance, reviews of favourite and famous books, and noting the endurance of great books, including the Bible. A perfect assembly to end a great week.

### Music at Holy Trinity

On a Thursday lunch time Mrs Smith runs a recorder club. Currently numbers are low and she is thinking of stopping the club as a result. If any other children would like to join, please talk to Mrs Smith on Wednesday. This will help her to decide whether to continue after Easter.

As part of their PPA cover, Pine and Chestnut class have been learning about opera! They will be performing in the hall on Thursday 15th March. Chestnut class: 2-2.25pm. Pine class. 2.55-3.20pm. Families are very welcome to come and hear the treat.

### PFOS

**Reminder:** Mother’s Day Gift is on the 9th of March.

PFOS need more helpers so **please email [pfos1@outlook.com](mailto:pfos1@outlook.com) to volunteer** Many thanks.

### PFOS disco 28th March

For the next disco, **parents will not be accompanying children.** Some staff will be present and there is a need for PFOS helpers. There will be food and glow sticks available but not other stall. The expectation is that children will stay in the hall and dance, as it is a disco. There will be a letter going out on Monday.

### Annual questionnaires

Please consider each question carefully and return the questionnaire by **Monday 5th March.** The children will have an opportunity to give their views. In addition, thank you to those who answered some questions when governors visited the parents meetings. These open questions have given some additional insight which will help us to continue to develop our school. Thank you.

## Golden Book

**Year 3:** Kaloyan Tsankov, Elif Isildak, Noor Dunn, Nafisa Ali and Arek Korytkowski for fantastic work in Maths.

**Year 4:** Jake Webster for showing resilience during reciting his poem and Emily Walker and Sienna Lucey for writing their own poem and performing it confidently. Meryem Baysal for improved confidence when speaking in front of the class and Evie Clubb for learning all her lines and delivering her poem to the

class. Natalie Ajayi, Lauren Varney, Sebastian Burrowes, Oscar Verlander, Lewis Carter, Ryan Collins and Adi Rajshankar for all their efforts in having the courage to perform a poem off by heart in front of the class they were excellent. Joseph Jones, Lexi Brady and Alice Donnelly who were voted by the class and adults for their favourite poetry performances. Emily Walker for

reading every day in the holidays.

**Year 6:** Aine Carroll, Isabel Little, Abigail Gay and Ellie Spencer for excellent representations of the Trinity in RE.

**Well Done Everyone!**

### Thinking Board and Reflective Questions

last weeks questions and answers:

What would happen if earth lost gravity for a day? We would float up to space!! Alex - year 6- Holly If you could change one rule that your family have, what would you change?

To eat all the food when I want. Jenny -y 5

Why are words so powerful?

Because words are sometimes hurtful to different people depending on how you use them. Janna- Y5

Well done everyone who guessed the mystery photo correctly.

his weeks questions

What are 5 things you have in your home to build a fort?

Is it ever okay to hurt someone's feelings?

## Other news...

### Be a girl chorister for a day

On Sunday 10th March there is an opportunity to see what it is like to be a Minster Chorister. This is for girls aged 6-14. For more information contact Mr Ronny Krippner: [organist@croydonminster.org](mailto:organist@croydonminster.org)

**CAP LIFE SKILLS**—If you want to stay on top of your household bills, see your money go further, eat well on a budget or grow in self-confidence, then CAP Life Skills is for you! It will teach you real ways to save time, money and hassle in your day-to-day life. You'll learn practical skills from our trained coaches alongside like-minded people in a relaxed and fun environment. For more information contact St Patrick's Church Wallington. Katy King 07516 550728 or email: [katyking@capuk.org](mailto:katyking@capuk.org). All CAP Life Skills groups are free but booking is essential.

**Tissues and glue** Please can all children bring their own named glue stick to school and a box of tissues. Many thanks for your help. It would be a big help to the stock and budget, benefitting everyone. Thank you.

**Carshalton Park Rotary Club—EASTER EGG HUNT ON GOOD FRIDAY 10AM—1PM in Carshalton Park—magic show, interactive drumming, bouncy castle etc**



### **Polling day 3rd May**

**On Thursday 3rd May the school will be used as a polling station, meaning that the school will be closed for the children.**

**Inset days for 17-18**

**Friday 25th May 2018**

**Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2018**

### **Class assemblies this half term at**

**10.50am—Parents are welcome**

**Friday 9th March—Poplar**

**Friday 16th March—Cedar**

### **PLEASE DONATE YOUR UNWANTED**

**GLASSES WHICH COULD HELP VISION AID**

**OVERSEAS**

### **CLUBS IN THE SUMMER TERM**

In order to be fair to all pupils we are changing the way the 'free clubs' are allocated. At the start of the Summer term every child will receive a letter listing the free clubs running for that term. If you would like your child to have a place in a club, please return the slip clearly indicating their 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> choice. The spaces will then be allocated according to preference on a 1<sup>st</sup> come 1<sup>st</sup> serve basis. This will hopefully ensure all pupils will have the opportunity to attend at least 1 free club during the term. The paying clubs allocations will remain the same.

**In Church** - You are welcome to attend the services in Holy Trinity, St Patrick's or Springfield church on a Sunday morning—all of which start at 10.30a.m. and St Patrick's also have a family service at 4pm

### **Reminders**

**Lateness in the morning and at pick-up** Every minute of the day is carefully planned to maximise learning opportunities. Please make sure that children arrive at school on time. There are children who are also persistently late being picked up. Parents will now be sent a warning letter if their child is collected after 3.45pm. After three warning letters, reminding of the system, a fine of £5 will be charged to parents on ParentPay. This will offset staff supervision costs.

**LOST PROPERTY** Please name all of your children's belongings and come in and look for items your child has lost before or after school—located in the cupboard outside Poplar class

**Illness:** Please remember that if children are ill with sickness or diarrhoea they must not return to school until 48 hours after ceasing to have these symptoms. We are also reminding children about the importance of hand washing. Thank you for your co-operation.

**Infectious illness:** Please make sure that you inform the office if your child has an infectious illness such as chicken pox, measles, scarlet fever, slapped cheek etc

**IMPORTANT:** medicines must not be sent into school with children under any circumstances. If your child needs to take medicine during the day, please bring it to the office with a completed medicine form. This form can be downloaded from our website or obtained from the office.

**NUTS**—please note that nuts should not be sent in to school under any circumstances since we have children who are very sensitive to them and can have severe allergic reactions.

**Healthy snacks**—please can children bring only fruit for snacks at play time. Thank you.

### **Newsletters**

The newsletter comes out every Friday and will go on the school website for you to look at. All copies of letters also go on the website.

***NB Dogs must not be brought on to the school site***