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Our Guiding Light

Jesus said

“I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you You also should love one another. By this everyone will know that you are my Disciples, if you have love for one another.

(John 13-34-35)

KEY INFORMATION FOR THE WEEK

COVID-19 Action:

Please see the attachment sent to you today from the Frimley Health and Care Team. The chart, circulated to all education settings in the Trust this week, will guide you when making a decision on whether you need to keep your child off school. It also signposts you to a number of useful websites. The document has been added to our school COVID-19 risk assessment which has been amended this week to reflect the latest Government guidance which came out on 27th September. Our Outbreak Management Plan forms part of this document. It can be found on our school website in the section for ‘Safeguarding’ under ‘Key Information’.

Extra-Curricular Activities:

A number of new activities which run before and after school started this week. Next week a netball club for children in Year 5 & Year 6 is starting. It will meet before school on Tuesdays starting at 8am, run by Mr Lucas, father of Rosemary in Year 6, and Miss Shaw. The children who wish to take part should come to school dressed in school P.E kit and enter the building through the back of the hall. We may have to cap numbers but this will depend on how many turn up next week.

Unfortunately, because there was not enough interest, The Young Enterprise team will not be running their previously advertised club.

Please continue to refer to flyers emailed out to you for information about what we have on offer and how to sign your child up. Information about new activities are being circulated almost on a weekly basis. Places for activities are limited so we operate a first come, first served system.

Arrangements for picking up children from these activities are as follows:

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| Breakfast Club | Start time 8am each day of the week | Arrive through the back door of the hall |
| Junior Choir | Before school at 8am (Tuesday) | Arrive through the back door of the hall |
| Netball | Before school at 8am (Tuesday) | Arrive through the back door of the hall |
| Football Trials | Finish time : 4:30pm (Tuesday) | Collect from the back gate |
| Samurai | Finish time: 4:00pm (Tuesday) | Collect from the back door of the school hall |
| Samurai | Finish time: 4:15pm (Thursday) | Collect from the back door of the school hall |
| Senior Choir | Before school at 8am (Thursday) | Arrive through the back door of the hall |
| Football iPro | Finish time: 4:30pm (Friday) | Collect from the back gate |
| Sewing Club | Finish time: 4:35pm (Friday) | Collect from the front entrance to school Reception |
| Spanish Club | Start and finish times vary throughout the week-please refer to the previously sent out flyer for specific details | |

PTA Disco:

After school today Dave the Disco will be entertaining the children in our first PTA event of the year. Booking for this event had to be done before hand and is now closed. The disco for Reception and KS1 is from 4:30 - 5:45 and KS2 from 6:00 - 7:15. If your child has a ticket you should drop them off at the front entrance. Doors will open at precisely 4:30pm for KS1 and 6:00pm for KS2.

You should collect your child at 5:45pm (or 7:15pm for KS2 children) at the back entrance to the hall. Please form a line up to the door where staff will hand your child over to you.

Please refer to the email sent out to you on Tuesday (28.9.21) for specific arrangements about dropping off and collecting your child especially if they are going along to iPro Football or Sewing Club before hand.

PTA Quiz Night:

Please see the flyer emailed out to you last week and today for details of the PTA Quiz Night which will be held on 15th October at Pinder Hall.

Science Week:

Please see the letter sent out to you today from Mrs Cornwell with details about Science Week (18th – 22nd October).

Year 6 Residential Trip: 27th June 2022 – 1st July 2022:

I hope that those of you with children in Year 6 found the meeting with Roger Cell on Tuesday helpful. The trip is a long way off but do still look out for emails from the office in the next few weeks for further details of the visit. You will have received emails earlier today with a link to the recording of the meeting and a letter asking you to indicate your interest in booking a place for your child. Please ensure your response is returned to the office by next Friday (8th October).

Photographs:

Thank you for taking note of the newsletter and sending your child in looking smart last week for the school photographer. Proofs have been sent home this week with your child along with details of how you contact the company to go about placing an order.

Henley Literary Festival:

The Henley Literary Festival starts next week and runs from 2nd to 10th October. Tickets are available from the Box Office: 01491575948 or can be booked at <https://henleyliteraryfestival.co.uk/whats-on/> See last week's newsletter for details of what's on.

I do hope to see some of you later if picking up your child from the disco. Have a wonderful weekend.

Anna Smith

CALENDAR DATES

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| 1 st October | PTA Disco (Reception and KS1: 4:30 - 5:45, KS2: 6:00 - 7:15) |
| 5 th October | Henley Literacy Virtual Festival (Year 3) Author Zanib Mian |
| 7 th October | Henley Literacy Virtual Festival (Year R) Author Smriti Halls |
| 8 th October | Henley Literacy Virtual Festival (Year 1 and 2) Dr Shini Somora |
| 8 th October | Henley Literacy Virtual Festival (Year 4, 5 and 6) Michael Morpurgo |
| 13 th October | Phonics Workshop |
| 14 th October | Harvest Service |
| 18 th – 22 nd October | Science Week |
| | Open House to allow you to visit your child's classroom and see their work: |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Monday 18th – Year 1, 5 & 6○ Tuesday 19th – Year 4○ Wednesday 20th – Year 2○ Thursday 21st – Year 3○ Friday 22nd – EYFS |
| 3 rd November | Road Safety – Year 3 |



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