

## an academy in the Good Shepherd Trust

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# FEBRUARY 23<sup>RD</sup> 2018

### **Dear Parents**

It was lovely to see you all this week at parents' evening and to catch up. If you missed your appointment, please contact the school office to reschedule a meeting as it's so important to have some time with the teachers. Year 1 parents' evenings will be reschedule as soon as Mrs Liversage is able.

We are no longer accepting old £10 notes, so please don't send any in or we'll just have to send them back again.

There has been another upset with one of our neighbours this week around parking before and after school. Due to the nature of the exchange, the police have been involved and they have confirmed that the school has no authority out on our roads. As always, I would ask that you avoid confrontations with our neighbours and that if you need help with a situation you contact the police or the highways agency.

The NSPCC will be in next Wednesday to lead assemblies with the children. The focus is on keeping safe and speaking out if anyone hurts us or makes us feel worried.

Best wishes

Ruth Worswick



Year R - **Oliver** for wonderful attitude to learning and being always ready for a challenge.

Year 1 - **George** for such a love of learning and his thoughtful questions.

Year 2 - Sian for being so quick to help others and showing this month's value of Compassion.

Year 3 - Lauren for such enthusiasm in our topic and her hard work.

Years 4/5 - Jessica for always doing her best and being a great team player.

Year 6 - Eleanor for her super Growth Mindset and being such a great friend.

### Letters/emails home this week:

Year 1/2 trip letter

World Book Day lunch letter

## **DIARY DATES**

Tuesday February 27<sup>th</sup> - Year 4 dodgeball at Bohunt Wednesday February 28<sup>th</sup> - NSPCC assemblies for children Thursday March 1<sup>st</sup> - World Book Day book swap Tuesday March 6<sup>th</sup> - Year 5/6 netball at Bohunt Thursday March 8th - Year 3 trip to The Living Rainforest Friday March 16<sup>th</sup> - Year 1/2 trip to Porchester Tuesday March 27<sup>th</sup> - Easter cake sale Tuesday March 27<sup>th</sup> - Year 3/4 football at Bohunt Wednesday March 28<sup>th</sup> - Easter Egg Hunt Thursday March 29<sup>th</sup> - Last day of Spring term Friday March 30<sup>th</sup> - Friday April 13<sup>th</sup> - Easter holidays Monday April 16<sup>th</sup> - Back to school Monday May 14<sup>th</sup> - SATS week for Year 6 begins Monday May 28<sup>th</sup> - Friday June 1<sup>st</sup> - Half term Monday June 4<sup>th</sup> - Class photos Thursday June 14<sup>th</sup> - Summer cake sale Monday June 25<sup>th</sup> - Year 6 leavers' service in Guildford Monday July 2<sup>nd</sup> - INSET day; school closed Friday July 6<sup>th</sup> - Moving up day Saturday July 7<sup>th</sup> - Summer Fair Monday July 9<sup>th</sup> - Year 4/5/6 trip to Stubbington Wednesday July 18<sup>th</sup> - Sports Day Friday July 20<sup>th</sup> - Last day of term

### WORLD BOOK DAY

Next Thursday is World Book Day. FROTH are organizing a book swap, so please bring in any books you've finished reading and swap them for a new book from a friend.

We'll put a table out for the adults to swap books too if you'd like to, so do bring in any books you'd like to pass on and find something new for yourself.

There's a special lunch and there will be different book activities in each class as well.

We won't be dressing up, but will save that treat for later in the year during one of our theme days/weeks.

## HAVE A LOVELY WEEKEND!

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20<sup>th</sup> February 2018

Dear Parents,

As part of our Castles topic Years One and Two are visiting Portchester Castle. Through this visit the children will be able to explore a day in the life of a king and explore the different materials in and around the castle.

The visit will take place on **Friday 16<sup>th</sup> Match 2018.** We will be travelling by coach and we are asking for a donation of £10.70 per child to cover the cost of the coaches and also our workshops for the day. We would be grateful if this could be paid by **Friday** 

### 9<sup>th</sup> March 2018

The children will need a packed lunch, in a disposable, named bag and their water bottles. If you would like to order a school packed lunch, please indicate this on your reply stating whether you would like the meat or vegetarian option. On this day the children will need to wear warm practical clothing (school uniform on top and warm trousers on the bottom – no leggings) and sturdy footwear. They will also need to bring both wet weather and sunny weather gear to be ready for any unexpected weather. Wellies would be a good idea.

Please send your consent either by:

- return email simply stating that you give consent and updating any medical details or contact phone numbers that have changed, or

- printing out the reply slip below and returning to Mrs Liversage or Mr Coutts.

Money for the trip is to be given to Mrs Liversage or Mr Coutts in a named envelope as usual.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Coutts and Mrs Liversage

Year 1 and 2 Portchester Castle reply slip.

I give permission for \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_\_ to attend the school trip to Portchester Castle on

Friday 16<sup>th</sup> March 2018

I would like a meat/vegetarian packed lunch. (delete as appropriate)

Please use this box to update any medical or contact details we may need:

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

# WORLD BOOK DAY SPECIAL LUNCH

On Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> March 2018 we are having a special World book day lunch. If you would like your child to have a cooked lunch on this day, please indicate below your child's preference.

KS 1 pupils will not have to pay as this is a universal free school meal. Pupils in KS2 please enclosed £2.15 in a named envelope with the completed form and return by Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> February. Please note you will not be able to order lunch on this day, due to this special lunch.

#### Meat option

George's marvellous chicken & gravy Mr Fox's fantastic roast potatoes Magical carrots & peas from Jacks Beanstalk

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