



Value of the month - Responsibility

Dear parents,

Tucasi Online Parents' Evening Booking System

You will be able to book your Parents' Evening appointment, online, via your Tucasi account from **6pm on Saturday 6th October 2018.**

If you are registered already on Tucasi, please check that you are able to login and that all your children are linked to your account. This will allow you to see appointment availability for all your children at the same time.

If you haven't already registered, login letters were sent home two weeks ago and we have sent them again today.

The booking system will close at **8pm on Sunday 14th October 2018.**

If you have any issues, please contact the school office.

DfE Multiplication Tables check for Year 4 Pupils

The DfE have announced that they are introducing a new on-screen multiplication tables check for children in Y4. Please note it is highly important for the children to work on their times tables, so that they are secure in them and know them out of order, up to 12x12, by June of Year 4.

The new on-screen check will last no longer than five minutes and is similar to the checks many schools use already. It will enable teachers to monitor a child's progress in a consistent and reliable way but has been carefully designed to avoid causing additional stress for children and teachers.

'from June 2019 there will be a national voluntary roll out of the DfE multiplication tables check for all Y4 pupils, before it becomes mandatory in June of 2020'. We will be taking part in this.

Diary Dates

8 th	October	Grandparents Day. Infants 9:10am / Juniors 1:45pm. See invitation. Year 6, Height & Weight
9 th	October	Open morning 9:15am. Prospective parents September 2019.
15 th	October	Nasal Flu sniffs – Years R – 5 Parents Evening – See above
16 th	October	Parents Evening – See above
19 th	October	3.30pm – School closes for half term.
29 th	October	9.00am – School re-opens for second half of the summer term.

Polite Reminder

JEWELLERY - no jewellery should be worn in school.

This includes earrings and clear ear pins and any sort of anklets/bracelets.

It is County and school policy that children are not permitted to take part in any form of Physical Education if wearing jewellery. This includes earrings, even if they are covered up with tape.

Open Mornings

There will be the following events for prospective parents:

- **Open Morning** - 9:15am – 10:15am
Tuesday 9th October
- **Open Afternoon** 1:30pm - 2:30pm
Friday 9th November

The Headteacher will address parents at the start of both events. Any prospective parents who wish to attend should contact the school office to book place.

Times Tables Rockstars

Children in Year 2 and above have been given their Times Tables Rockstars logins this week and the tables have been set until the end of term. These will change weekly so that they will have a chance to practise the full range of times tables applicable to each year group. The times tables which have been set will feature in the GARAGE and ARENA sections of the website. If you have any problems logging in, please let us know via your child's school planner.

School Association

Reception Disco - thank you to all the parents that helped with organising and volunteering at this event especially Nina Marro and Tracy Johnson. We are sure the children and parents will have a great time and we look forward to hearing more about it next week.

Christmas Fayre preparations are under way! If you, or someone you know can donate a raffle prize we would be very grateful. Likewise, if you work for a company that may consider price matching please get in touch with Tracy Johnson or one of the year one Mums

Thank you to all those that have volunteered to be a class rep this year - especially those Mums that are standing for more than one class.

Cherry - Nicky Leaker, Claire Brown and Rachel Wood

Apple - Amanda Davies and Rachel Munnery

Oak - Nina Marro, Katie Sullivan and Claire Lloyd

Elm - Charlotte Mason and Rebecca Sarlo

Beech - Amy O'Neil and Frances Goggins

Larch - Sally Ogunremi and Laura Locke

Cedar - Asia Jones

Rowan - Wendy Thomas and Emma Gawn

Pine - Audrey Dunne

Hazel - Siobhan McElduff

Maple - Emma Gawn

Hornbeam - Sally Ogunremi and Rebecca Mountain

Willow - Fiona Lavender

Linden - Kelly Monohan

Save the Date

Next PTA meeting - 7:30pm in the school hall on the 14th November

Christmas Fayre - 2nd December



Christmas Market

Sat. 24th November 2018

11.00 am - 2.30 pm

Sacred Heart Parish

Centenary Hall,

Essendene Road, Caterham

CR3 5PA

Art and Craft

Decorations

Cakes

Gifts

Toys

Bar

Preserves

Tombolas

Jewellery

Lucky dip

*Light lunch / snacks
and much more!*

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Come and join us for our first
EVER...

St Mary
Harvest Church



Messy Church is a place for all ages to get together and explore some fascinating things!



St Mary's Harvest Messy Church

Date: Sunday 14th October 2018

Time: 4pm – 6pm (Dinner served at 5.30)

Location: St Mary's Church Hall (to the right of the Church)

What you can expect: Crafts, stories, laughter, new friends and dinner for everyone

Cost: Absolutely **free!**

We can't wait to meet you there!



COMBINED HARVEST APPEAL



HELP BY DONATING AN ITEM OR TWO FROM
OUR SHOPPING LIST TO ENSURE WE CAN
PROVIDE FOOD TO PEOPLE IN CRISIS

SHOPPING LIST TOP TEN ITEMS

Tinned tomatoes
Tinned rice pudding
UHT milk
Powdered Milk
Tinned Sponge pudding
Tinned soup
Tinned fruit
Instant Mashed Potato
Chocolate
Bags for Life

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