

## Value of the month – Perseverance

### Dear Parents and Carers

#### Welcome to our 2<sup>nd</sup> Intake Reception Classes!

We wish our 2<sup>nd</sup> intake of Reception pupils and their Parents a very warm welcome to St Francis'. The children are proving very confident and a real delight. They are settling well into school life. If you have any queries, please do ask the class teachers, or email in to the office and we will reply as soon as we can.

**PTA AGM** Please remember our PTA AGM is on Wednesday September 29<sup>th</sup> @7.30pm

**All are welcome to come along at 7pm, time for drinks and nibbles and to hear about how you can support our PTA**

#### Poetry

Congratulations to the children from Mrs Shannon's Poetry Club. They all finally received their certificates for entering the Poetry by Heart competition in July. Well done to them all.



#### Palmer Drama - LAMDA

Well done too to Mrs Palmer's LAMDA group who all did well during the summer holidays, passing their LAMDA exams with merits and distinctions! Congratulations to you all.



#### Head Girl & Head Boy

Our Year 6 children who wanted to be considered for Head Boy and Head Girl delivered their speeches this week. We congratulate all those who stepped forward – it is always a brave and nerve-wracking time and they did so well – we are proud of you all. Well done and many congratulations to our new Head Boy and Head Girl – Aedan and Nithali. A formal photo will follow with the new House Captains who are being voted for next week.

#### House points

Well done to John Fisher for winning this week's house points trophy and to all the Children who were awarded certificates at this week's Celebration Assembly.



Best wishes,  
Mrs Wheeler & Staff



## Calendar Dates

September 29 <sup>th</sup>	AGM Meeting
October 1 <sup>st</sup>	Inset Day School closed to pupils
October 12 <sup>th</sup>	Woldingham School Choir Festival-Details to follow
October 18 <sup>th</sup>	Individual Photographs
October 19 <sup>th</sup> & 20 <sup>th</sup>	Parents Evening Details TBC
October 25 <sup>th</sup>	Half Term Break
November 1 <sup>st</sup>	School Re-opens
November 24 <sup>th</sup>	Year 6 Trip -Tower of London
December 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Whole school Pantomime
December 6 <sup>th</sup>	Woldingham Carol Concert -Details to Follow

### After School Clubs

- Please make sure you make a note of the finish date for these clubs.
- Please pick up promptly – if you have children in two different clubs, please pick up the child in the club that finishes first, on time i.e if one club finishes at 4.15pm and another at 4.30pm, do not wait until 4.30 to pick both children up.
- Please notify the club leader if your child is attending Treetops once the club is finished.
- Please notify the club leader if your child is being picked up by anyone other than a parent. (The out sourced clubs do not have our pick up lists).



### **More venues for autistic & ADHD children to play trains - and all 50% off!**

**All Aboard Club** is opening more play sessions for autistic and ADHD children, so they don't have to travel so far to play trains. 

Our huge train sets will be available in **Kew/Brentford, Lewisham, Woking** (Surrey), **Barnes** and **Sutton**. We're also looking at more venues in South East London and Kent.

- For details and dates of all our sessions, see our online **Play Session Calendar** here: <https://www.allaboardclub.com/play-sessions/>

### **Train play sessions starting in Surrey**

Our new play sessions in **Woking** are starting next Saturday (18 September). The venue is close to the M3, M25 and A3 and there's loads of free parking - or it's just a 10-minute walk from the railway station. For details and tickets, please go to:

<https://aac-woking.eventbrite.co.uk/>

### **Half price tickets**

We're also offering **50% off ALL** our play session tickets in September and October. Just enter the promo code **happytrainday** when you book your tickets.