

Dear Parents and Carers,

The Easter break has finally arrived and I know that for some children the holiday has come at the right time following a really busy term. Despite only having had three school days last week, I want to share lots of useful information with you so we're all ready to go in the Trinity term. Please read the information carefully and add the important dates to your calendars.

### **Nursery News**

Another "eggcellent" week in the nursery with Easter themed activities in all areas. The children have made Easter Baskets filled with chocolate nests and eggs, yummy! Cooking oil and drops of food colouring have been used to make colourful marbled eggs. Fine motor skills have been testing making sandwiches for our end of term Easter Party which followed a rain-affected egg hunt. Well done Sunnylands Nursery children; enjoy the break and we look forward to welcoming you and several new children back on Monday 17th April. We are full for the rest of the school year and have just a few spaces left for the September '23 start. If you have friends or family who are interested, they need to contact the School Office ASAP.

Please book your babysitters for the Trinity Term Nursery Parents Meeting at 7pm Thursday 20th April. Have a lovely Easter.

### **Lower School Easter Concert**

Term finished for Reception to Year 2 with a celebration of Spring and Easter. Despite being moved indoors, the children's voices filled the Spring air with joyful singing to a packed Sunnylands Hall. Thank you Lower School for a wonderful informal concert and thank you parents for joining us.

### **Trinity Clubs**

Clubs start the week beginning 24<sup>th</sup> April and confirmations will be sent out in the first week back. As always, clubs are incredibly popular and some may be split into two groups. Many of the clubs are outdoors next term with lots of sports options. If it does rain, we'll offer an indoor alternative but it may not be the original activity.

### **PTA Events**

The PTA Bunny Drive is on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> April. This is a child-only event and will take place after school. Tickets are £3 and available via the ParentMail shop. This event is on the first Friday back.

The PTA would like to develop our Mud Kitchen and Forest School area and are planning a Ground Force Day. The PTA have organised a skip, have raised funds for resources and with the expertise of some handy parents they would like to create an outside learning environment. We have the logs and chippings but we need some people-power for this community event. There will be refreshments, including bacon sandwiches!

### **Welcome Baby Glaves**

Mrs Glaves and family have welcomed a healthy and beautiful baby boy, Theodore, to the world. We can't wait to meet him later in the term.

### **Photo Albums**

We've put a huge selection of photos from the Lent term on our website galleries. It's taken me all weekend to go through them all and I'm still processing the Midsummer Night's dream photos which I'll publish over Easter. Be sure to take a look.

- Lent 2 2023 - <https://www.st-peters.org.uk/lent223>
- Macbeth Performance - <https://www.st-peters.org.uk/macbeth23>
- Snow Days - <https://www.st-peters.org.uk/snow23>

- Reception Farm Visit - <https://www.st-peters.org.uk/farm23>
- World Book Day - <https://www.st-peters.org.uk/wbd23>
- Games Day and Sports - <https://www.st-peters.org.uk/sport23>
- Art and DT - <https://www.st-peters.org.uk/art23>
- Nursery - <https://www.st-peters.org.uk/nursery23>

#### Dates for Diaries

- Monday 17th April - First day of Trinity Term
- Thursday 20th April, 7pm - Nursery Parents' Event
- Friday 21st April, 3.30pm - PTA Bunny Drive
- Wednesday 26th April, 8.45am - PTA Coffee Morning and Meeting
- Saturday 29th April, 9am - PTA Ground Force Day
- Monday 1st May - May Day Bank holiday
- Friday 5th May - King Charles III Coronation Event, exact timings TBC
- Monday 8th May - Coronation Bank Holiday
- 9th-12th May - Year 5 & 6 Residential
- Monday 15th May - Reception Class Assembly
- 15th & 16th May, 3.45pm-6pm - Reception to Year 6 Parent-Teacher Consultations
- Friday 19th May, Choir Competition in Northampton
- Monday 22nd May - Year 1 Class Assembly
- Friday 26th May - Year 2-6 Swimming Gala (**NB NEW DATE**)
- 29th May - 2nd June - Half Term
- Wednesday 14th June, 5pm-6pm - Music for a Summer's Evening
- Friday 14th June, 4.15pm-6.15pm - PTA Family Rounders
- Wednesday 21st June - Reception to Year 6 Sports Day
- Wednesday 6th July - Trinity House Matches
- Friday 7th July - Founders Day
- Friday 14th July - Last Day of Trinity Term

All of these dates are on our calendar on our website along with other useful dates.

The whole school will be going into Summer uniform from Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2022. Please ensure you have all of the correct and correctly-fitting items in advance. Have a wonderful Easter break. I hope you all get to spend quality time with family and friends.

Regards,

Mr Thomas

Headteacher

Here is next week's menu: [www.st-peters.org.uk/menu](http://www.st-peters.org.uk/menu)