



Temple Grafton

Church of England Primary School

5th April 2019

DIARY DATES

APRIL

Mon 8th 4pm

Girls football at TG

Tues 9th 4pm

Harlequin drama play

Wed 10th 4pm

Girls football at Henley

Thurs 11th 4pm

Harlequin drama play

Thurs 11th 3.45-5.30pm

Y1/2 Football tournament

ATFC

Fri 12th 9.15am

Easter Service St

Andrew's Church

END OF TERM

Mon 15th - Fri 26th

Easter Holidays

Mon 29th

BACK TO SCHOOL

Tues 30th

Y5 Bikeability

MAY

Tues 30th

Y5 Bikeability

Mon 6th

BANK HOLIDAY

Tues 7th

Y5 Bikeability

There will be no

Celebration Assembly on

Friday 12th April.



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Easter Eucharist Service



Next Friday, 12th April, our Easter Eucharist Service will be taking place in St Andrew's Church at 9.15am. All families are warmly invited to attend. Please note there is no celebration assembly next Friday; Golden Bricks will be given out during the Easter service. After the service we will be serving refreshments in the school hall and would love you to join us for a hot cross bun and a cup of tea or coffee.

Junior Cranmer Awards

This week three of our KS2 pupils, Anastasia, Barnaby and Kristian took part in the final of the Junior Cranmer public speaking awards. Coventry Diocese had been invited by the Prayer Book Society to run the first ever junior public speaking competition for primary age children. Our three finalists all performed brilliantly reciting their selected passages from the Book of Common Prayer with great confidence and we were delighted that Barnaby was awarded 2nd place overall and Kristian 1st place. We would like to say a special thank you to Mrs Staples-Grantham for the support she has given the children in learning their lines.



Sporting Stars!

Congratulations to our KS2 boys' football team who have continued our winning streak with a 4-1 victory against a very able Bishopton team. Mr Strangwood was delighted with the performance of all members of the team. Sports reports are over the page.



PTA Smarties Fundraising



On Monday, your children will be coming home with a labelled tube of smarties. Once the children have enjoyed their sweeties, keep hold of your empty tube. We would like you to spend the Easter holidays filling your empty tube with as many 20p coins as you can collect.

When we return to school, please bring your smartie tubes, with your coins inside, and hand them in to Miss Britt by Friday 3rd May.

The money we all raise will provide a valuable boost to our efforts to buy new chairs for our classrooms. Every named tube returned will be entered into a prize draw. As always, huge thanks for your support and we hope you enjoy our little Easter game!!

Safe Parking

A reminder to all our families that it is unsafe to park along the section of New Road that extends beyond the end of the school fence. Parking along this section of road causes a blind spot for cars travelling in both directions and it is extremely dangerous if cars have to pull out into the middle of the road to travel past the parked vehicles. We thank you all for your cooperation in helping to keep the roads around our school safe.





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Free to a good home

We are currently renovating the snug to make it into a more child-friendly withdrawal space. As a result we no longer have use for the adult-sized desk; if any of our TG families could make use of it then please contact the office to arrange collection.



Netball Report by Lily

On Thursday 28th March, 7 representatives from TG took part in a 5 - aside Netball tournament which was held at St Nicks, in total there were 11 schools who took part.

In our first match we played Haselor where the final score was 1-0 to us.

After that, our next competitors were Welford. In the end, we won with the score as 7-1 due to the rest of the team's numerous quick passes to one another enabling both Harry and Emilie to do some amazing shots.

We played against Tamworth, our countless goals and good defending enabling us to win once again, 4-0!

Our fourth opponents were Our Ladies where, once again the score was 4-0 to us, we made some great shots so that we could win once more, one step closer to victory.

The winners of both first and second leagues took to the final match. The winners of the first was St Nicks and the champions of the second was Temple Grafton....

Unfortunately, St Nicks beat us 4-1. Overall all of our matches that we played before our last, we won!!

Finally we would like to say a big thank you to Nicky for coaching us, Mrs Gray for all the support and the time that she took for the arrangements that had to be made, all the parents that stayed to watch and cheer for us, Tom and Emma for training us in between our rest times and last but not least, I would like to say a big well done to the team for doing so well!

As we came second out of all 11 schools we have qualified for another 5-aside tournament.

Sports report by Stefan and Noah

On Monday the 1st of April 2019, 8 representatives from TG took part in a football match against Bishopton Primary school our players were: Ethan, Rufus, Harry, Zac, Jonas, Morgan, Stefan and Noah. The pitch was very uneven and was a struggle to play on. The first half was tight but entertaining with many chances on goal. Ethan was making few saves as the defence made up by Rufus, Zac and Harry were stopping the Bishopton strikers in their tracks and getting clean passes through to Stefan and Morgan who made many great chances for Noah who seized his moment and scored two goals.

In the second half we filled in all the gaps and errors from the first half we played lots better. Stefan and Morgan put more amazing crosses into Noah, and once again Noah delivered and got his hat-trick. Not long after Morgan took a blow to the nose but he still battled on despite his injury. We weren't finished yet as Jonas took a storming shot at goal which was narrowly saved by the keeper but it rebounded off the goalie and this time with an even better shot he scored. Not long after Bishopton came back and scored a stunning goal from a corner, most of us couldn't believe it happened. The final score was 4-1 to TG. We would like to thank Mr. Strangwood for organising the match and our parents for taking us there and finally well done TG.

Star of The Week

Emilia Shrimpton	Class 1
Ava Sargent	Class 2
Jack Wilson	Class 3
Kristian Tinker	Class 4