



# Temple Grafton

Church of England Primary School

30<sup>th</sup> January 2015

## NEWSLETTER

ISSUE - 4

### DIARY DATES

#### FEBRUARY

**Sun 1<sup>st</sup> 9.15am**

Family Service at St Andrews Church

**Mon 2<sup>nd</sup> - Fri 6<sup>th</sup>**

E-Safety Week

**Fri 6<sup>th</sup> 9.10am**

E-Safety Assembly

**Thurs 5<sup>th</sup> 5.30-6.30pm &**

**7-8pm**

PTA Disco

**Mon 9<sup>th</sup>**

Pantomime Day Whole School

**Tues 10<sup>th</sup> 5-8pm**

Parents Evening

**Thurs 12<sup>th</sup> 5-8pm**

Parents Evening

**Sun 15<sup>th</sup> 9.15am**

Family Service at St Andrews Church

**Mon 16<sup>th</sup> - Fri 20<sup>th</sup>**

HALF TERM

**Mon 23<sup>rd</sup>**

Back to School

**Tues 24<sup>th</sup>**

Class photos

**Sat 28<sup>th</sup>**

Cross Country The Croft Y5/6

### Teacher Training Day

The final teacher training day of this school year will take place on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April. This is the Monday after the Easter holiday break.

### Parents Evening

Parent's evenings will be held in the week before half term. Letters were sent out to all families on Tuesday – if you haven't seen it yet please check your child's book-bag. Please return your slips by next Tuesday so that we can allocate appointment times.

### E-Safety Week

Next week all classes will be learning about the importance of staying safe online. We will finish the week with each class having the opportunity to share their learning during celebration assembly. As previously stated, we will be holding two celebration assemblies our usual 2:45 slot (where star of the week will also be awarded) and an additional assembly at 9:10 lasting about 20-30 minutes. We hope that this will enable as many parents as possible to attend.

### Education Sunday

We were delighted to see so many of our children and their families at the Education Sunday Service at St Laurence Church in Bidford last week. The service was a lovely opportunity for the four church schools who are all part of the Heart of England Parishes to come together and celebrate the life of our schools. Our choir sang beautifully and they were a true credit to our school. Thank you to Mrs Staples-Grantham and the choir members for all their hard work. Thank you also to Mrs Byrd for the alterations she made to our school banner to enable the children to carry it during the procession.

### PTA School Disco

Next Thursday the PTA will be holding a disco in the hall. An email was sent out on Wednesday from the PTA giving details of the evening. If your child is going to attend, you can send £2 in a named envelope to the school office, tickets will also be available on the door.

### Sporting Stars

Last Saturday we had 15 children participating in a cross country at Stratford. Perfect conditions and a scenic, flat course near the river inspired our children to their strongest performance of the season. We had 3 of our 6 girls from Class 3 finishing in the top third of over 100 competitors in the first race. Jamie and Toby (Class 3) also had to compete with over 110 runners in their race! Praise also to our 7 children from Class 4 who all finished with TG smiles on their faces.

Congratulations also, to our Sportshall team who won their qualifying event in the South Warwickshire Small Schools Competition in some style on Thursday morning. Held at Alcester Grammar, our nearest rivals were over 60 points behind! One highlight of the occasion was winning all 12 of our track heats. Now we progress to the final at Stratford Leisure Centre on 2<sup>nd</sup> March where we hope to retain the trophy won last year.

**\*\*If you, your child or any member of your family have difficulty in accessing the school and/or the school's facilities and services, please contact the School Office for assistance.\*\***

#### Star of The Week

Maddison Brinkworth	Class 1
Rose Wilkinson	Class 2
Amelia Bennett	Class 3
Sportshall Athletes	

E-Safety Assemblies will be at 9.10am & 2.45pm on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> February