

Trinity All Through School

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WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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Dear parents and carers

We have had an amazing week back after half term. Pupils have been fully engaged in their learning and their attitudes to learning have been impeccable. As you know we had a recent full school review and the outcomes were extremely positive. We have a knowledge rich school where pupils have a thirst for learning. Our school priorities remain to:

- Continue to develop our strategies of getting pupils to make their **knowledge** stick over time – do talk to your sons/ daughters at home about what they have learnt in school, and see if they can remember what they learnt last month – or even last year.
- Continue to push our Personal Development and **Character Education** across the school as we are educating pupils for life not just for exams.
- Continue to focus on ensuring **assessment** is used to support pupils next steps – so pupils learn from their mistakes and thrive over time.

As our current catering contract comes to an end shortly we have been out to tender over the last 3 months. It has been a long and thorough process led by an external consultant to ensure we have followed all the correct processes and procedures. Today we had the final interviews with the 3 highest ranking companies. The pupils and staff were fully involved in a tasting session, and then an interview process. Our full governors will meet next week to determine the company that will gain the contract. The winning company will start straight after Easter.

We understand this is a worrying time with the Coronavirus. As a school, we are checking Public Health England guidance daily to ensure we are fully aware of any developments. The Department for Education, Southwark Diocese and Lewisham Local Authority are also in constant communication with us, ensuring we are up to date on all the developments. All staff have been notified of what to do and how to respond should there be any concerns.

Please could we ask that you discuss the content of the picture below with your child/children at home.

How can you stop coronaviruses spreading?								
If you need to cough or sneeze Catch it with a tissue Bin it Kill it by washing your hands with soap & water or hand sanitiser			You should wash hands with soap & water or hand sanitiser After breaks & sport activities Before cooking & eating On arrival at any childcare or educational setting After using the toilet Before leaving home					
 Try not to touch your eyes, nose, and mouth with unwashed hands			 Do not share items that come into contact with your mouth such as cups & bottles			 If unwell do not share items such as bedding, dishes, pencils & towels		

The latest information and advice can be found here <https://www.gov.uk/guidance/wuhan-novel-coronavirus-information-for-the-public>

If there are any further updates or measures we need to take as a school, we will contact you again.

We will continue to drive forward and ensure the experience of our pupils at Trinity is fabulous. We thank you once again for all your continued support. Have a wonderful weekend making memories and we look forward to another great week starting on Monday

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Secondary Phase

Upcoming Events

TRINITY

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WORLD BOOK DAY

Thursday 5th March

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SCIENCE FAIR

Thursday 12th March
15h15 – 16h00

YEAR 9

PARENTS

EVENING

Wednesday 11th March
15h30 to 18h00

YEAR 8

HPV

VACCINATIONS

17th March 2020
Form to be completed

TRINITY PUPIL

Remains calm and assists elderly gentleman who took a fall
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PRIMARY PHASE



Dear Trinity families,

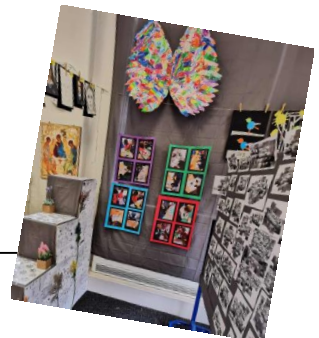
Some of you may have seen the amazing artwork that is on display in the main foyer for our annual Art Exhibition. The artwork is all inspired by 'An Experiment on a Bird in the Air Pump' by Joseph Wright 'of Derby' and each class have focussed on a different element of the painting. Our Trinitarian artists have produced some striking outcomes, such as: collaged bird wings in Reception; wire bird sculptures in Year 4; and portraits using the manipulation of light in Year 6. If you haven't already, please take the time to come and see the artwork and speak to your child about what they have learnt.

I would also like to say a big thank you to Miss Stevenson and Trinity Voice for arranging our 'sporty' owns clothes day today. This is in order to fundraise for a net to put across the top of the football cage to stop balls from flying over. The children have been asking for the net for a long time now and we are almost there with our fundraising so thank you for all of your support.

Don't forget that next Thursday is **World Book Day**. Reading is a passion here at Trinity so like last year, we will be sharing a book as a whole school and each class will then produce their own high quality piece of writing. We look forward to seeing all of your costumes. Be sure to look out for some 'wild things'....

As always, I wish you the very best of weekends, full of rest and fun, ready for learning on Monday.

Head of School, Primary Phase
Trinity all Through School



TRINITY'S ART EXHIBITION, 2020

In the main foyer you will find art outcomes from across the school that are inspired by 'An Experiment on a Bird in the Air Pump' by Joseph Wright 'of Derby'. Please come and have a look at all the amazing work the children have created!

<https://trinityprimarylewisham.blogspot.com/2020/02/trinitys-art-exhibition-2020.html>

#LIVELENT CAMPAIGN

This week the children were introduced to #LiveLent campaign that is being run by the Church of England. This is a 40 day challenge in which the children have been encouraged to take up something or give something up that could help the planet.

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TRINITY JOIN THE 'ANTI- IDLING' CAMPAIGN IN LEWISHAM

This week, Mr Richardson (our Geography Lead), alongside some of our parents, have been collaborating with the Environmental Protection Team in Lewisham. Please watch this space to find out what events we have planned and how you can take part.

<https://trinityprimarylewisham.blogspot.com/2020/02/trinity-join-anti-idling-campaign-in.html>



Trinity Science Fair!

Trinity looks forward to another successful year of children bringing in scientific projects they have created at home.

No sign up is needed!

All families are welcome to come to our Trinity Science fair and see the amazing experiments on show!

Prizes to be won!

Trinity school hall
Thursday 12th
March 3.15pm-
4.00pm



CHARACTER CORNER by Paul Mohen & Fidelma Hanlon

Visit London's rainforest at the **Barbican Conservatory**. The sprawling Barbican complex in the City of London definitely isn't the place you'd expect to find one of the capital's greatest green spaces. The Barbican Conservatory opened in 1984 and is one of the biggest greenhouses in London, second only to Kew Gardens. It houses 2,000 plant species, including towering palms and ferns, across an extensive series of concrete terraces and beds. There are even koi carp and terrapins.



Open Sat 29 Feb 12–10pm and Sun 1

Mar 12–5pm.

<https://www.barbican.org.uk/whats-on/2020/event/visit-the-conservatory>

Displays of Power: A Natural History of Empire at the **Grant Museum of Zoology**. Come and see how the Empire shaped the Grant Museum collection and you'll never look at natural history museums in the same way again. When the practice of collecting animals for science was at its height, so was the British Empire. This free exhibition connects the specimens in the Grant Museum of Zoology to a wider history of science and Empire, by asking one simple question: "How did all these things come to be here in the first place?"



Free display, Monday to Saturday, 1pm to 5pm until 7th March.

<https://www.ucl.ac.uk/culture/whats-on/displays-power>

Visit **Media Networks** at the **Tate Modern**. Look at some of the ways in which artists over the past hundred years have responded to the impact of mass media and the ever-changing technologies that shape our world. The 13 Rooms in Media Networks include a diverse range of techniques and materials – from posters and paint to analogue and digital technology – the display raises questions around feminism, consumerism and the cult of celebrity.



<https://www.tate.org.uk/visit/tate-modern/display/media-networks>

Journey through space and time at the **Astronomy Centre Galleries**. If you have ever wondered how stars and planets are born, what astronomers do during the daytime or even about our place in the universe, the interactive **Astronomy Galleries at the Royal Observatory** will help you unravel the mysteries of the cosmos. Watch how the universe was formed from Big Bang to now, get answers to the big questions from our on-screen experts, guide a space mission, try your hand at being an astronomer and use the interactive table-top to get answers to your astronomy questions.

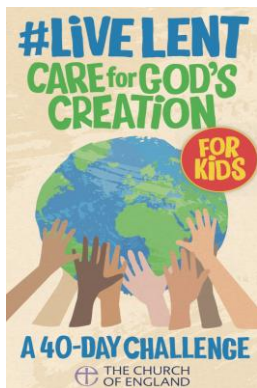


Free exhibition, open daily from 10am to 5pm.

<https://www.rmg.co.uk/royal-observatory>

CHAPLAIN'S CORNER By Miss S Alder

Welcome back everyone, this week at Trinity we had a special Ash Wednesday worship at both sites, reminding us all about Jesus' journey through the desert and the temptations he faced. Our secondary pupils were then invited to receive ashes and focus their lives on God throughout the Lent period. As we start our school journey in Lent, we are following and supporting the #LIVELENT campaign. All pupils across both sites have will be following #LIVELENT campaign every morning. As part of the campaign there are little every day challenges we are encouraging all pupils to do. There is also a challenge for the weekends, each week in lent I will be including the #LIVELENT weekend challenge and it would be great if you can try and complete the challenge as a family. If you have any photos of you completing the challenging please do send them in.



Weekend Challenge

Look after something living this weekend

Spend time planting some seeds, taking care of a pet or feeding the birds, remembering that God made and cares for all things.

Ash Wednesday Photos



This half term our theme is insightful and we will be learning about how we can develop insight and how God provides us all with insight to learn about him for the next three weeks. We will then focus for the last three weeks are being principled.

Our memory verse for the half term is: I have good sense and advice. I have insight and power. Proverbs 8:14.



Announcements:

- Parent prayer group – Friday 13th March 2020 at 9am at the Primary School – children are more than welcome to come as well.
- Each month we will be collecting different tins for the food bank, please see below for what the different sites/year groups are collecting.
 - Secondary collection – February – Year 7 are collecting tinned tomatoes
 - Primary collection – February/March – All primary years are collecting tinned sweetcorn and/or tuna
- Taize – year 10 if your child in year 10 would like to attend Taize this year please get a letter and return as soon as possible with the deposit.
- If you have any feedback regarding worship or any part of Christian character and life please do get in touch.

God of the Trinity Secondary School May our lessons light our learning and progress

May we love our neighbours as ourselves,
May we have courage to live good lives,
So that we are outstanding Trinitarians.

Amen

CHAPLAINCY PHOTOS – THROUGH SCHOOL FAITH TEAM MEETING

In the last week of L1, we had our first through school faith team meeting where we prayed together, reflected on the importance of the faith teams at both sites and together the pupils evaluated the worships. It was fantastic to see all the pupil praying together for a common goal and it was inspiring to hear how passionate the pupils were about their faith and the Christian ethos of the school. I have attached some pictures below:



CHAPLAINCY @ TRINITY WEEKLY ACTIVITIES		
STUDENT PRAYER GROUP WHERE: RE1 WHEN: THURS 8:30	PUPIL FAITH TEAM WHERE: LIBRARY WHEN: 8:45AM EVERY FRIDAY	STAFF PRAYER GROUP WHERE: RE1 WHEN: THURS 8:15
CHRISTIAN UNION WHERE: RE2 WHEN: 3:15 EVERY THURSDAY	MULTIFAITH ROOM WHERE: DRAMA STUDIO WHEN: LUNCH TIMES <small>[SPEAK TO MISS ALDER: IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO USE THIS SPACE]</small>	CHAPLAINCY DROP IN WHERE: ENGLISH 4 WHEN: EVERY THURSDAY LUNCH TIME

TRINITY FAITH TEAM	
HELPING HANDS FOODBANK	
It's never a bad time to help those who are in need.	
DROP OFF YOUR TINS TO MAIN RECEPTION	



Picture News

at Home

2nd March 2020

What's going on this week?



2nd-8th March
How important is it for us
to know the weather
forecast?

A supercomputer is to be developed to support the Met Office in a huge project to improve weather forecasting. The new technology is to be funded by a £1.2 billion investment from the government and will be managed by the Met Office. It is expected the computer will be the most powerful forecasting system in the world and will be able to offer more precise weather and flood updates.

Things to talk about at home...

- 🍏 Do you listen to or read about the weather forecast?
- 🍏 Does knowing the weather forecast change any of your daily activities?
- 🍏 Has there ever been any extreme weather near where you live?

Please note any interesting thoughts or comments here...



Share your thoughts and read the opinions of others on our discussion board: www.picture-news.co.uk/discuss



WALLBALL SHOWDOWN SCHOOL CHAMPIONSHIP

On Tuesday 25th February, 13 students from Year 7-10 attended the Jack Petchey Wallball showdown at the West Way Sports and Fitness Centre in West London.

All three of our Year 10 boys, progressed to the semi-finals, playing against Forest Gate Community School and Harris Academy South Norwood. Tobias and Samuel Rotimi played off in the Semi Final. They played right up until match point both on 10-10 until Tobias beat Samuel to the point, advancing to the final. Torin won his semi-final match, to advance to the final. Both of our Trinity boys played off in the final giving an impressive performance in front of all attendees, All our Trinity Year 10 boys also advanced to the semi-finals of the doubles, and even went on to win that too! With Tobias and Torin taking gold and Samuel and a Harris Academy player taking the silver.

One of our Year 9 girls, Kaela won her singles match to advance to the semi-final but was sadly defeated in a very close match.

Our Year 7/8 girls won their doubles final, well done to Celia and Gemma! Our Year 7/8 boys were runners up in the doubles final, well done to Nathan and Khai.

Huge congratulations to all boys, who won the overall boys trophy for accumulating the most points, and all those who competed in the tournament!

WELL DONE



TRINITY PUPIL AIDS ELDERLY GENTLEMAN

A big thanks to the year 10 pupil Daniela Araujo Saldanha who was first on scene after an elderly gentleman took a fall splitting his head open outside Sainsburys. She responded calmly and bravely alerted passing adults to the gentleman's need. An ambulance was called and Daniela remained at the scene to make sure he was ok. Many members of the public were around at the time, but it was only Daniela who stepped forward to help. It was only because of Daniela's quick intervention that the alarm was raised. Thank you Daniela.



THURSDAY 5TH MARCH

Please come to school dressed as your favourite character from your favourite book!

We look forward to hearing about all of your favourite stories.

PAFT will also be running a 'Porridge Breakfast' before school so stay posted for more information!





Lee Green Cycle Bus



Fun, family friendly cycle ride around the ward with drop-offs at local primary schools
(Trinity, Brindishe Manor & Brindishe Lee)

First Friday of the month. Meet 8.15am @ Hither Green station (Fernbrook Rd side)

Stewarded by Lewisham Cyclists. Children must be accompanied.



Upcoming rides:



7 Feb 1 May
6 March 5 June
3 April 3 July



Contact cllr_Octavia.Holland@lewisham.gov.uk for more info



Next ride : 6th March 2020

How to Phone an Ambulance

Phoning an ambulance is something people assume is second nature. However, in a highly stressful situation, it is easy to find your mind has gone blank. Emergency telephone numbers are different worldwide. In the UK 999 will get you through to the emergency services operator. They will ask you which service you require – police, fire or ambulance.



The operator will need to know **exactly where you are** – use reference points, landmarks, ask locals or use google maps and give as much information as you can to help them to establish your exact location. Use **speakerphone** so you can continue to provide first aid treatment whilst talking to the emergency services. Do what they advise.

They will need to know:

Your name

The telephone number you are calling from

Your location (including a postcode if possible)