



Tritlington Church of England First School

'Let your light shine'

25th June 2021

Newsletter Summer 6

Dear Parents,

It is certainly a very busy half term! The children have been working hard in school and there are lots of exciting activities happening for them. The children had a great day learning outdoors last week. They planted vegetables, learnt about the function of parts of a flower, made natural paintbrushes and bird scarers. It was great to see the teamwork and happy faces.



Music Tuition in the Autumn Term

If your child will be in Year 2, 3 or 4 in September, they are eligible to sign up for music tuition in school delivered by music tutors from Music Partnership North. The teachers come into school to work with the children. The instruments on offer are electric keyboard, guitar or violin. There is a charge for tuition. If you would like your child to begin music lessons, please get in touch with Mrs Gray on vanessa.gray@tritlington.northumberland.sch.uk before the end of the summer term.

Sports Day

As a result of the Government's recent announcement on 14th June 2021 regarding the delay to the easing of restrictions, we have had to review our plans for the remainder of this term. In light of the current increase in COVID cases we feel that we need to remain cautious to keep our whole school community safe, but we are also disappointed not to be able to proceed as we initially thought we would be able to and are unable to invite parents and carers to join us in school for sports day. We would like to thank you for your understanding in this and be reassured that we will continue to plan for what is right and achievable for the benefit of the children. Tritlington Sports Day will be on Friday 9th July and we would like all children to come to school dressed in their sportswear. Please ensure they are wearing appropriate footwear for taking part in athletics activities on the field. On the day each bubble will have an allocated time on the field to take part in a carousel of events. We are very fortunate to have our specialist PE teacher Mrs Armstrong to assist us on the day. Look out on Facebook and Twitter for photographs of the day!

Summer Raffle

Thank you for your very generous donations of prizes for the summer raffle and thank you also to everyone who has already sold their raffle tickets and returned the money to school. If anyone has any contacts with local businesses who would like to donate a voucher as a prize, we would really appreciate this. We still have plenty of tickets available if you need more to sell to family and friends, please contact Mrs Gray at the school office. The draw will take place on Wednesday 7th July in school. Please ensure that all tickets and money are returned to school by Monday 5th July.

Milk for September 2021

Please reply by email to vanessa.gray@tritlington.northumberland.sch.uk to say either "Yes" or "No" to whether your child would / would not like milk in the Autumn term.

Sports for Champions visit



We were very lucky to have Jaydon Paddock, World Champion tumbler gymnast in school on Monday this week. The children were very excited to meet Jaydon and enjoyed the exercise session he put on for them. He talked to the children about going for their goals and never giving up - he was very inspirational. They even got to see his World Championship medal! The total amount of sponsorship money raised was £783.50 - well done to all our families and your children!! This means that the school received £215.10 - this will be spent on resources for the children. Thank you all so much.

School Photographer

A reminder that the school photographer will be in school on 5th July. Please ensure you return the form sent out to school with your requests for photos by 1st July (next week).

Dates for the summer term

There are some additional dates for your diary for next half term.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY Summer Term 2021	
1st July 2021	Year 4 Transition day to Chantry
2nd July 2021	Transition day in school
5th July 2021	Zoolab visit and workshops in school for Class 1 and 2
5th July 2021	School Photographer in school
8th July 2021	Year 4 Leavers - trip out to Edinburgh Zoo for Year 4 only
9th July 2021	The new Reception children starting in September 2021 (current Nursery) to stay in school for the whole day
9th July 2021	School Sports Day - Please come into school wearing P.E Kits
16th July 2021	Year 4 - Leavers Celebration in school Last day of the summer term

Thank you for your ongoing support,

Mrs. K. Stephenson & Mrs. J. O'Dell
Joint Acting Headteachers