

# **Twineham CofE School**

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Dear Parents,

Movie week was a great success – look out for the Mid Sussex Times this Thursday as we are being featured! The

week began with animation workshops for every child in the school making characters and backdrops to create films based on Roald Dahl stories - the movies will be streaming online soon and we will send you the link. We then enjoyed a visit from Nina Young, a professional actress with credits including Jonny English and Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone. On Thursday we hosted the brilliant Brighton Film School - pupils worked as film crew and performed in front of the camera. Children also enjoyed a range of art, maths and writing opportunities all inspired by the world of movies. Thanks again for your kind contributions to FOTS events which funded the excellent animation sessions.

## FOTS TROT Family Fun Run Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> April, Hickstead Showground

- Come and join us at the end of the Easter Holidays for a St George's Day run. 5k for long legs and 800m track for little legs with prizes for the best dressed KNIGHT & DRAGON!
- Not running? Have a go at one of our sports competitions, press your own juice, pick up a FOTS 'Feel Fit' lunch & cheer on your friends.
- All too much? Take a seat in The Clubhouse, grab a drink from the bar, put your feet up & watch the London Marathon!
- Get in training! Contact Julie Rowe, Personal Trainer and Twineham Mum on 07955 743152 or check out her facebook page at Julie Rowe's Fitness.
- Registration forms will be in the book bags this week or you can e-mail <u>FOTS@email.com</u>
- Registration closes Friday 7<sup>th</sup> April.
- Thank you in advance for coming to this event. Funds raised through such initiatives help us to support PE and update sports equipment. Last year we were able to provide new football goals, netball posts, tag rugby belts & various balls!

### Netball Success

Well done to our netball team who won the NEARS Tournament on Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> March. We started with a match against Bolney which we won 10-0. A tough match against Balcombe led to a 3-2 win for Twineham before a 5-0 win over Albourne saw us win the group in style. We scored 11 times in our semi-final against St Mark's to storm through to the final. A strong performance against Balcombe again led to a stunning 5-2 win. Our players proudly raised the trophy and their winners' medals to the joy of supporting parents! We are celebrating this achievement in our assembly tomorrow (Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> march) at 9am.









#### Morning snacks

As a healthy school we promote healthy eating. Some children are eating chocolate bars or crisps for morning snacks. Please ensure that healthy snacks are provided such as fruit or vegetables; sugary snacks in the morning are also a real concern for pupils' teeth.

#### **Headlice**

We have had more cases of headlice in school; please check and treat your child's hair as necessary to prevent the spread of this uncomfortable condition.

#### Parent Consultations

Please remember to book an appointment if you haven't done so already. Just visit https://twineham.eschools.co.uk and log in to book a time; please ask us if you need a reminder of your log-in details.

#### **Diary Dates**

- Friday 24th March: Red Nose Day (non-uniform and Bake Sale)
- Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> March 5:30pm 7:30pm: Parent Consultations
- Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> March 1:10pm 1:30pm: Guitar Concert in hall
- Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> March 2pm 5pm: Parent Consultations
- Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> April 9am: Easter Service in Church
- Monday 10<sup>th</sup> April: Easter holidays begin
- Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> April: FOTS Trot Family Fun Run
- Monday 24<sup>th</sup> April: pupils return to school for Summer Term (1<sup>st</sup> half)
- Monday 1<sup>st</sup> May: bank holiday
- Monday 8<sup>th</sup> May: SATS Week (Year 6 national tests in maths, reading and grammar, punctuation and spelling).
- Monday 29<sup>th</sup> May: half-term break
- Monday 5<sup>th</sup> June: Pupils return to school for Summer Term (2<sup>nd</sup> half)
- Monday 12<sup>th</sup> June: INSET Day school closed for pupils
- Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June: Sports Day (afternoon)
- Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June: Sports Day (reserve date)
- Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July: INSET Day school closed for pupils
- Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> July: Last day of term

Yours sincerely,

Scott Reece