

Trinity School Newsletter 10 of the Spring Term – Friday 17 March 2023
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DATES

Term Dates 2022/2023

March	
Sunday 19 th	Sponsored Swim
20 th – 31 st	Sustrans Big Walk and Wheel
Thurs 23 rd	School Vision Screening - Reception
Friday 24 th	Fairfield Animal Park Visit - Reception
Sunday 26 th	Easter Funday 1-3pm
Thurs 30 th	Oak Class Cake Sale
Friday 31 st	End of Term 4
April	
Monday 17 th	Start of Term 5
25 th – 27 th	Share my Work
May	
2 nd – 4 th	Share my Work
9 th – 10 th	Share my Work
Saturday 20 th	Colour Run (time tbc)
June	
26 th – 30 th	Sports Days
July	
Saturday 1 st	Summer Fair 12-4pm



School Lunch Menus
Don't forget to order meals for w/c 27th March by midnight on Monday 20th March. If you miss the deadline, you will need to provide a packed lunch for your child.

Sustrans Big Walk and Wheel
From March 20th – 31st, we will be taking part in the Sustrans Big Walk and Wheel challenge, which is a UK wide challenge to encourage children and families to make more active journeys to school and back. Together with Frome Town Council, we will be offering the following events to support and inspire families to join in with the challenge as much as possible:

Bike Train:
Please note the council have had to **cancel the bike train**, which was due to take place on the 21st March. All other activities will go ahead as planned.

Walking Bus:
Join local legend Cheryl Sprinkler from [Mojo Moves](#) for a comedy feel-good walk to school.

Parents and carers are responsible for their own children while Cheryl will lead families on their walk to school arriving fresh and ready for the start of the school day. Meet Cheryl on **Thursday 23rd March on the green on Critchill Road at 8:15am** to join in the fun. The walking bus will go along Critchill Road to Oakfield Road, up Oakfield Road and then along Nunney Road to school and families are very welcome to join the bus on the corner of Critchill Road and Oakfield Road or on the corner of Oakfield Road and Nunney Road if those locations work better for you.

Dr Bike:
Bring your bike along for a free safety check with a [Frome Community Bike Project](#) mechanic. Small repairs and adjustments will be included where possible and a note will be left with the bike to inform you of the check. Bring your bike to school on **Wednesday 29th March** to claim your free check. The bike check is completely optional, on arrival at school you will be directed to leave your bike in the **'yes please I want my bike checked'** area or the **'no thank you I do not want my bike checked'** area.

Big Walk and Wheel Breakfast:
After all the activity of walking and wheeling to school you deserve an extra morning snack! Join our free breakfast for everyone who has travelled to school in an active way. We will be serving free morning snacks on arrival at school on Friday 31st March on the main playground from 8:40 – 9am.

The infographic provides details about the challenge, including an info sheet, school resources, FAQs, and what next steps. It features statistics such as 2,984kg of CO2 saved, 1,335 tonnes of CO2 saved, and 1,178 active journeys. It also lists school resources like the challenge pack, school assembly, and a list of schools participating.

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Share my Work

We would like to invite parents to come into school to have a look, with your child, through the work they have done so far this year. This is a great opportunity for you to see the work, and for your child to talk to you about their learning. The sessions will be held in the hall and will run from **8:50 - 9:15** on the following days:



- Tuesday 25th April Maple
- Wednesday 26th April Gorse
- Thursday 27th April Oak
- Tuesday 2nd May Holly
- Wednesday 3rd May Jasmine
- Thursday 4th May Bramble
- Tuesday 9th May Pine
- Wednesday 10th May Poppy

If the date and time for your child is not convenient for either parent, a grandparent or other close relative is welcome to come in your place.

Sports Day Dates



Weather permitting, we will be running sports day in the last week of June. We are planning to follow the pattern from last year, whereby the children come together in their year groups one afternoon each to take part in a variety of races. Mr Sing will be the 'master of ceremonies' again, and parents and carers are invited to come along and cheer their children on. The planned dates are as follows:

- Monday 26th June Holly and Bramble
- Tuesday 27th June Pine and Gorse
- Wednesday 28th June Sunshine and Rainbow
- Thursday 29th June Poppy and Jasmine
- Friday 30th June Oak and Maple



Thank you to those parents who have completed the SEN survey. Please click [here](#) to complete the survey, which is multiple choice and should only take a couple of minutes.

This is to give the Parents and Carers of pupils with SEND an opportunity to provide feedback on the SEND provision/support that your child currently receives at Trinity. This process will help us understand how we are doing and how we can improve.

*Thank you in advance;
We greatly appreciate your feedback.*

HOW ARE WE DOING?



We would love to get some feedback from parents and carers about how you feel we are doing! Please click [here](#) to fill in the survey to let us know what we are doing well and the areas you would like us to improve. It is multiple choice so should only take a few minutes.

If you have any questions or queries, do please catch me on the gate or get in touch with the office staff.

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Swimming - Year 3



Just a reminder for Year 3 (Pine and Gorse) parents that payment for Term 4 (March-April) is now due and available to pay for through [ParentPay](#). Terms 5 and 6 are now also available to pay on ParentPay should you wish to pay in advance or you may still pay term by term. Any problems or questions, please contact the office. Thank you.

The Bible Story this term is: "The Story of Zacchaeus the Tax Collector" Luke 19: v1-10

Jesus and the Taxman

'Jesus is coming!' somebody shouted. 'Jesus is coming to Jericho!' And everybody ran to meet him.
'Well, almost everybody. For there was one man - one wee little man - who did not run to meet Jesus. And his name was Zacchaeus.
It's not that Zacchaeus didn't want to see Jesus. He did. He really did. But, not only was Zacchaeus short, he was also afraid of the crowd. For many people liked him, you see. Partly because he was a tax collector that people because he collected more taxes than he was supposed to - and kept what was left for himself.
'Jesus is here!' somebody shouted. 'Jesus is here in Jericho!' And everybody shouted as he walked through the city gates.
'Well, almost everybody. For Zacchaeus did not feel like shouting at all. He wanted to see Jesus. He really did. But how could he walk out there in front of all those people he'd cheated? And what would they do if they got hold of him?
'Then Zacchaeus had an idea. There were trees by the city gates - tall, leafy trees. If he could climb behind the crowd and climb one of those trees, he could see Jesus - and not be seen himself!
So off he went - and off he went and through the empty streets. And because the crowd was watching Jesus, he had no trouble at all slipping behind them and climbing up a tree.
'Come out at my house!' somebody shouted. 'Come out at my house, Jesus!' And because it was a great honour to 'host someone as important as Jesus, everybody shouted at once.
'Well, almost everybody

The trees that were there - one wee little man - climbed down from the tree, he climbed to the top. 'Why would someone so good as Jesus want to eat with someone he'd cheated?' But he was happy to see. Because that had been for a long, long time. And so, with a smile spreading across his face, Zacchaeus did Jesus to his house.
'What are they saying?' somebody whispered. 'What are they doing to Jesus?' And everybody gathered around the bottom of the tree.
'That's where Zacchaeus always goes for dinner with a bang!
'Greetings, everyone!' he shouted. 'I have an announcement to make. I've been talking with my new friend, Jesus, and realise that there are a few things I need to change. I've cheated some of you. I admit that. And I want you to know that I'm sorry for that. In fact, that I will pay you back the money more than I owe them just! What's more, I intend to set half of what I own and give the money to the poor!
The crowd was shocked. Never to their whole lives, had they seen anyone change like that! They stood there with their mouths wide open. But nobody said a thing.
'Well, almost nobody.
'Don't you see?' said Jesus to the crowd. 'God has sent me to show his love with everybody - even those who have done some very bad things. That's what I have done. And now Zacchaeus does that too.
'That's what the crowd began to cheer Jesus. And Zacchaeus. And the whole town. Jericho.
Everybody.



This retelling is from 'The Lion Storyteller Bible'

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Bags to School

Thank you to everyone who brought bags in on Monday. We raised **£80** for Friends of Trinity First School!



Tickets

Tickets on sale today (after school) from the friendship bench - £5 per child, adults free. Cash and card accepted.
The Fun Day will be held INDOORS this year so we won't be affected by the snow/rain.
Tickets include an Easter egg hunt with Easter Egg prize, crafts and activities including seed planting. Refreshments will be available at additional cost.

Pre-Loved Uniform and Second Hand Books

We will be selling uniform and having a second-hand bookstall at the Easter fun day so if anyone would like to donate any uniform or unwanted children or adult books, please can you bring them to school next week.

Volunteers Required

If anyone would like to volunteer to help, we would be extremely grateful. Please let us know by contacting us via [Facebook](#) or emailing tsafrome@yahoo.com. We will be setting up from 10am.

Cake Donations

Please can cakes for the refreshment stall be brought to school **on the day** or **on Friday** (end of school) providing they will last.

Thank you very much for your support!

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Sponsored Swim



We had so many volunteers for our Frome Lions Sponsored Swim! Trinity First School has entered 3 teams:

Team 1: 3x Oak, 2x Pine, 1x Holly

Team 2: 6x Gorse

Team 3: 2x Bramble, 2x Maple, 1x Pine, 1x Holly

Thank you to our swimmers

But now your school swim teams need you! If you would like to sponsor one of our teams, for a total amount, you can donate by:

1. **PayPal** to 'tsafrome@yahoo.com' using the friends and family option and the reference swim. If there is a specific child's team you would like to sponsor, please include their name in the reference.
2. **Bank transfer** to Friends of Trinity First School, account 63793326 sort code 60-08-31. Please use the reference swim. If there is a specific child's team you would like to sponsor, please include their name in the reference too.
3. By handing **cash** to your class teacher.
4. Or you can **sponsor a team per lap** (being 2 widths). The teams are broadly evenly balanced across abilities. Please email tsafrome@yahoo.com to detail your pledge, confirming if there is a specific child's team or team number you would like to sponsor. If not, your pledge will be 'allocated' a team. Once the swim is complete, we will email you to confirm how many laps were completed, and payment can then be made by PayPal or bank transfer with the reference "Swim" and the team number.

Thank you for your support!



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APPROXIMATELY 50% OF OUR STUDENTS ARE FEMALE

PRACTICAL SELF DEFENCE TAUGHT WITHIN CLASSES AND SPECIAL SEMINARS THROUGHOUT THE YEAR

NON-CONTACT CLASSES TAUGHT 50 WEEKS OF THE YEAR WITH SPECIAL EVENTS ON DURING SCHOOL HOLIDAYS.



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