

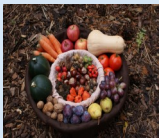
Dear Parents,

What a mixed bag of weather we have had this week! As we head into Autumn, please make sure your child has their **school coat** everyday as well as their jumper/cardigan/fleece. We do have a reasonable stock of second hand uniform which is available for a small donation to FOSPs. Second hand uniform will be available every Friday home time when tuck shop is running. It has been lovely to see everyone looking smart and tidy in their school uniform. If you are unsure about uniform, please check the uniform section of our website. The website is currently being updated and so please do have a look and start to use it as another source of information.



St Peter's church is open!

We are very excited that the church has now re-opened after a long period of works. To mark this, we have decided to hold a whole school Harvest assembly, with all children sharing something in Church on **Friday 13th October starting at 8.45am**. FOSPs will be serving tea and coffee and families are invited to join us for this. Pupils are asked to bring a tinned item of food as a Harvest offering. This display will then stay in Church until Sunday for the Church Harvest service, (**Sunday 15th October 10.30am**) which everyone is warmly welcomed to.



DATES COMING UP

(parents are

welcome at events in bold)

- 28th 6pm **Curriculum evening for KS2 parents**
- 5th Oct Poetry Day—activities in school
- 5th Oct **FOSPs AGM**
- 6.30pm **Cheese & Wine**
- 6th Oct Flu immunisations—all
- 10th Oct Vision screening in school—Cygnus class

A full list of dates are attached with this newsletter.

Please note, on occasion these may be subject to change and more information will be given nearer the time.



Health news!

Vision Screening

This is provided for children in their first year of school by the Oxford Orthoptic Service and is free. It checks vision, eye alignment, eye co-ordination and binocular vision. Forms will arrive for Cygnus via parentmail. For older children, regular checks with an optician are advised every 2-3 years.

Flu immunisations

These are provided for the whole school, with an opt out option. Please complete the paperwork on parentmail, if you haven't already.

KS2 Curriculum Evening—6pm-7pm 28th September

If you have a child in Phoenix or Pegasus, do come along if you can to find out more about what your child is learning, including information about Relationships and Sex Education, led by Natalie Hunt who is a Mental Health & Wellbeing Coordinator.



Cross-Country success! Huge congratulations to our cross-country team who placed second or third in every category today out of nine teams and special mention to Jack who came 1st overall in the Under 9 boys category. The team were complemented on their excellent sportsmanship and behaviour. Very well done to you all.

Have a lovely weekend,

WHAT HAS MY CHILD BEEN LEARNING THIS WEEK?

- Cygnus** We had a visit from the fire engine and all got to use the hose! We have been learning how to blend some three letter words like 'sat' and 'tap'. We also learnt a song about how we are all unique.
- Tucana** Adding and subtracting using number lines, learning our school address in our topic work and mixing paints to create colour wheels in art.
- Phoenix** We have been writing kennings, learning about ecosystems and food chains and developing our understanding of place value.
- Pegasus** Writing non-chronological reports about the ancient kingdom of Benin in English, working with decimal numbers in Maths and learning more about the heart and blood in Science. We even made our own artificial blood samples with household liquids!

AGM

Annual General Meeting

Everyone is welcome.

Stay informed and get involved.

Complimentary Cheese and Wine.

A little bit of business and then a chance to socialise.

St Peter's School Hall
Thursday 5th Oct 6.30pm



Carterton community centre
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Wednesdays
Fridays

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50/50 LOTTO

Friends of St Peters school Lotto will run September to June!
50% goes to the school and the rest is paid in winnings. This is a great way to support the schools fundraising goals for this school year, while being in with a chance to win a pot of cash!

Sign up before 22nd September 2023.

CLICK HERE

Or copy this link to a webbrowser - <https://forms.gle/7Pn1pYUuUFKQZHDR8>

Join up using the link above or grab a form in the School office. Anyone over 16 is welcome to join, parents, grandparents, teachers, friends, extended family members, colleagues, next door neighbours....
More players = Higher prize pot!

Full T&Cs available on the sign up form.
The 50/50 Lotto will be run by Friends of St Peter's School, under licence from West Oxfordshire District Council.

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NHS Oxford Health
NHS Foundation Trust

ParentLine 5-11 years

New School Health Nursing messaging service for parents and carers of children 5-11 years attending a state school in Oxfordshire

Text **07312 263227**

For families supporting children on the autistic spectrum

Please come and join us on the **last Friday of the month** (term time only) for a friendly cuppa and chat.

All families welcome, with or without a diagnosis.

Welcome Church, High St, Witney OX28 6HL
10am - 12noon
If you have any questions, please email chatandacuppa@yahoo.com

Upcoming dates: Friday 30th June and Friday 29th September