

Twineham Church of England School



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Everyone is a gift and everyone is gifted

Tuesday 28th January 2020

Dear Parents,

Thank you to our parent volunteers who have helped marshall our drop-off zone to keep everything flowing efficiently and safely at morning drop-off. Let's hope the rain stays away to avoid the creation of a lake in the lane...

Walk to school: WOW

From next week, pupils will let us know how they travelled to school each morning using an anonymous reporting tool online. This will track how our modes of transport evolve over the programme until July. Our baseline survey for January 2020 will reveal our start point – more on this next week.

Numbots workshop for parents (Buttercups and Year 2)

We hope you can join Mr Chapman in the hall at 2:40pm tomorrow (Wednesday 29th January 2020) to explore Numbots and how this great software will help children to develop their number skills.

Basketball Club

We are very lucky to enjoy basketball coaching with Paul Hill who has kindly volunteered to share his skills every Friday. Unfortunately he has some unforeseen commitments which mean we can not run sessions on 31st January (this Friday), 7th February or 14th February. Paul will be back after half-term for club to run again but he is also away on 13th March.

Chartwells vacancies











<u>Twineham Recreation Ground Consultation – update from Mid Sussex District Council:</u>

We received responses from 19 adults and 9 children.

The most popular suggestions for improvements from the adults were:

- 1. provision for older children
- 2. seating, particularly picnic tables
- 3. trim trail/obstacle course style equipment

The most popular suggestions for improvements from the children were:

- 1. more equipment
- 2. toilets (so they don't have to go home)
- 3. zip wire



We are looking into options, but we aim to provide:

- Assault course style climbing unit which offers challenge to older children, should include monkey bars and slide.
- Separate role play equipment for toddlers.
- Seating/picnic tables
- Tree planting for summer shade.

Unfortunately, due to the cricket outfield, there is not the space for a zip wire.

Diary Dates

Wednesday 29 th January	2:40pm – 3pm Numbots Maths session for parents
	(Buttercups and Year 2) in the hall with Mr Chapman
Tuesday 4 th to Friday 7 th February	Oakwood Class (Y5/6) Residential Trip to Bowles
Monday 17 th February	Half-term break
Monday 24 th February	Return to school for 2 nd half of Spring Term
Monday 27 th April	Class Photographs
Friday 3 rd April	Last day of term
Monday 20 th April	Return to school for Summer Term

Kind regards,

Scott Reece, Headteacher

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