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The
Holy Family
R.C. PRIMARY SCHOOL

Newsletter

Welcome back everyone and a special welcome to all our new Reception families who have joined us this term. We wish them all every success and happiness at Holy Family.

I hope that all our families have had a great summer and feel refreshed after the warm, sunny weather we enjoyed during the holiday.

It is quite amazing to think I have now been here at the school for six years. We enjoyed a very successful year at the school last year and it remains a real privilege for me to lead this wonderful community. Thank you so much for your continued support—it really is 'one happy, Holy

Family'!

We have lots of exciting events & initiatives planned for the forthcoming academic year as we seek to make our school an even better place for all to learn. We look forward to sharing these experiences with you all in the coming months; please watch this space, the playground monitor and the website for more details.

God Bless you all

Steve Tindall (Headteacher)

TEA WITH THE TEACHER - ALL MEETINGS BEGIN AT 2.15pm

These meetings will begin on **Monday 17th September** with **Year 4** followed by one each day as follows: **Tue 18th Year 2, Wed 19th Year 5, Thu 20th Year 3, Fri 21st Year 1, Mon 24th Year 6.** We look forward to welcoming you all at the appropriate times.

SCHOOL LUNCHES

The cost (KS2 children only) for school lunches for the first half term is £73.60 (£2.30 per day). You may still pay by cheque (payable to "Surrey County Council") however our preferred option is online (see the online payment guide on the school website). **Please give the office one half term notice to either start or cancel school lunches.** KS1 children are provided with a free school lunch this year. Please inform the office if you do not wish to take up this option. **Families who qualified for free school lunches under the previous system should remain registered with Surrey CC as this qualifies your child for additional school funding under the Pupil Premium initiative. Please speak to the school office if you feel your current circumstances may make you eligible.** Thank you.

Message from the School Office

A reminder that all letters/payments for clubs, school dinners etc. should be put in an envelope marked with your child's name & class and details of what the payment is for. These should then be put in the **BLACK** post box at the front reception. All letters for the PA should be put in the **RED** post box in the KS2 playground. Thank you.



DIOCESAN GRANDPARENTS' WEEK 2018—Beginning on Mon 1st October, we will once again be celebrating the wonderful support and gifts that our grandparents bring to our lives. There will be a special Assembly, complete with tea, coffee & cakes **from 1.30pm onwards on Thursday 4th October** - more details to follow soon.

SCHOOL MASS TO CELEBRATE THE NEW SCHOOL YEAR

This will take place on Friday 21st September at 9.15am in the church. All parents are welcome to join us in celebration.

WELCOME TO MISS HODSON...who has joined our staff team and will be teaching Year 1 this year. We are delighted Miss Hodson chose to join us and hope she enjoys a very successful, rewarding & happy time in our school. I am sure everyone will welcome her to our school community and support her during her first year.

Please visit the school's website at: www.holy-family.surrey.sch.uk
Along with the ParentMail and newsletter, it is the School's way of keeping parents up to date with events going on in and around our School.