

# Twyford C of E School



Pray that you  
won't fall into  
temptation.

*Luke 22.40*



Our value  
for this  
week is  
"Tolerance"



Dear Parents

Year 1 and 2 had a wonderful day at the Living Rainforest last Thursday. It was fascinating hearing all about the wide variety of plants and animals they have there from cockroaches to the elusive sloth and umbrella trees to coffee beans, a very informative and enjoyable visit. The children thoroughly enjoyed it and were incredibly well behaved.

Hot lunches started on Monday and have certainly looked and smelt delicious. The children appear to have enjoyed what they have had so far and plates are being cleared. It has been a good week to start them as the weather has been so cold, a hot meal at lunchtime is perfect. If you would like your child to start having a hot lunch please see details overleaf.

Children were very excited by the recent fall of snow and enjoyed playing in it at break time. Please could you ensure that if the weather is snowy they bring wellies and gloves etc so they can go out. If they do not have appropriate clothing we will not allow them out as they will get too cold and wet.

Several staff have asked me to remind you to name all clothing. Sweatshirt, gloves and hats are accumulating in lost property and lots of time is wasted looking for their owners!

The Film Club was a great success with many children registering and putting on their reviews. Thank you to all the helpers and to Miss Leslie for organising it. There will be another one after half term so go on line and select your favourite film and may be that will be our next choice. If you missed this film, come along to the next one to get your registration form.

Yours sincerely

**Mrs Judith Foster**  
Headteacher



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## SAINSBURYS ACTIVE KIDS

This year's Sainsbury's Active Kids vouchers will be available to collect from all Sainsbury's stores, petrol

stations and when ordering groceries online, between **Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> January and Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> May 2015.**

Last year we were able to purchase sports and lunchtime play equipment, so it is very worthwhile collecting these vouchers.

There is a collecting box in the foyer or please send them in via your child's book bag



## AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH

**LAST CHANCE TO ORDER**



The copies of the aerial photograph have now been ordered and should be sent out via bookbags within the next two weeks to those children who have requested a copy.

A few extra copies have been ordered so if you would like one could you contact the school office. We would appreciate a donation to cover the cost of the professional printing (we suggest £1.50). If you have already requested a copy we would appreciate your contribution to the cost of printing ASAP.

## ADMISSION CONSULTATION

Buckinghamshire County Council are currently conducting a consultation regarding school admissions affecting Grendon Underwood School, Waddesdon Village Primary School, Winslow Combined School and St. Georges Infant.

The proposed changes do relate to our school by clarifying the catchment areas for both our school, Grendon Underwood Combined School and Marsh Gibbon CE School. This is something we have been requesting for some time as it will make the issues regarding school places and transport much clearer.

If you would like to read more about the consultation or take part you can find the details at;

<http://www.buckscc.gov.uk/education/schools/admissio>

[ns-and-moving-school/admission-policies/admissions-policies-2016/](#)

## HOT LUNCH

The menu for the week beginning 23<sup>rd</sup> February is:

Monday	Mighty Meat Pizza with Sliced Potatoes Omelette with Sliced Potatoes Tuna and Salmon Mayonnaise
Tuesday	Beef Pasta Bake Baked Bean Lasagne Jacket Potato and Cheese
Wednesday	Roast Pork, Potatoes and Gravy Cheese and Leek Pie Jacket Potato and Baked Beans
Thursday	Creamy Tomato Chicken and Pasta Vegemince Bolognaise with Pasta Jacket Potato with Cheesy Wholemeal Hoops
Friday	Fish Cakes with Potato Pom Poms Quorn Burger with Potato Pom Poms Jacket Potato with Chicken and Sweetcorn Mayonnaise

**Deadline for ordering is 9<sup>th</sup> February 2015**

The menu for the week beginning 2<sup>nd</sup> March is:

Monday	Pork Sausages with Jacket Wedges Cheese and Tomato Pizza with Jacket Wedges Jacket Potato with Vegetable Balti
Tuesday	Mild Chicken Tikka Masala and Rice Quorn and Vegetable Ragù with Rice Jacket Potato and Cheese
Wednesday	Roast Turkey with Mashed Potatoes Veggie Sausages with Mashed Potatoes Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayonnaise
Thursday	Beef Lasagne with Garlic Bread Shepherdess pie with Garlic Bread Jacket Potato with Baked Beans
Friday	Fish Fingers with Sliced Potatoes Cheese Omelette with Sliced Potatoes Jacket Potato with Red Leicester and Onion Marmalade.

**Deadline for ordering is 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2015**

The menu for the week beginning 9<sup>th</sup> March is:

Monday	Pork Sausages with Mashed Potatoes Veggie Sausages with Mashed Potatoes Jacket Potato with Tuna and Sweetcorn
Tuesday	Harvest Chicken Casserole with Rice Chick Pea and Sweet Potato Korma with Rice Jacket Potato with Baked Beans
Wednesday	Roast Beef with Sliced Potatoes and Gravy Roast Quorn with Sliced Potatoes and Gravy Jacket Potato with Cheesy Wholemeal Hoops
Thursday	Mild Chicken Korma with Naan Bread Vegetarian Meatballs in Tomato Sauce with Naan Bread Jacket Potato with Cheese
Friday	Breaded Fish and Diced Potatoes Cheese and Tomato Pizza with Diced Potatoes Jacket Potato with Chicken Mayonnaise

**Deadline for ordering is 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2015**

Order forms are available from the school office or the foyer. Please return your orders as soon as possible to assist us with the ordering process.

All children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 can have a lunch provided free under the UIFSM Government Scheme. Children in Years 3, 4 and 5 can have a lunch at a cost of £2.30 per day.

Nursery children who are staying all day or coming for the afternoon session can also order a lunch at a cost of £2.30.

### **ALLERGEN ADVICE**

If you have any concerns about the ingredients in any of the meals, we have a list of ingredients and possible allergens within the office, please feel free to pop in and see us. If you require a "special dietary allergy meal" we also have request forms in the office.

Please note that the meals are all nut free.

### **NUT ALLERGY ALERT**

We have a child in school that has a severe allergic reaction to nuts. Please be aware of what goes into your child's lunchbox and please try not to put in anything which obviously contains nuts. This includes cereal bars.



Please also reinforce to your child that he/she should not share their lunch with other children. Thank you

### **NURSERY PLACES**

If you have younger children who you are considering sending to our Nursery it would be really helpful for us if you could complete a registration form. This means we can let you know about Nursery trial days as your child's entry into Nursery approaches and we can also plan for the numbers of children we can expect.

Registering your child for Nursery does not commit you to accept a place. Places are available from the start of the term in which your child turns 3 years old and are funded by the Government from the term after your child's third birthday.

Registration forms are available from the school office.

Our Nursery class is open every morning from 9am - 12pm and Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday afternoons from 12pm to 3pm.

### **BABES IN THE WOOD**

A number of Twyford School pupils are performing in this year's pantomime - Babes in the wood. Fun, songs, an evil Sheriff, Robin Hood, Maid Marion, and many more scampering through Nottingham Castle, Sherwood Forest and the Goose Fair.

Twyford Village Hall, 13th Feb at 7.30pm, 14th Feb at 2pm & 7.30pm, 20th Feb at 7.30pm, and 21st Feb at 2pm & 7.30pm. Tickets £5 for Adults and £3 for Concessions, except the last night when it's £6 for Adults and £4 for Concessions. Please contact Denise Wade via e-mail at [dizwade@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:dizwade@yahoo.co.uk) or phone 01296 738585 for tickets. Don't miss it!!!



### **PARKING**



Please could you ensure you do not park on or opposite the zig zag lines. Also please do not park in the staff car park at ANY time of the day. The bus driver needs to be able to access the car park and manoeuvre without obstructions on either side of the road.

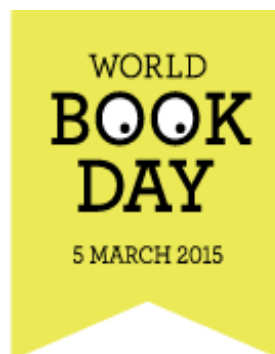
This is for the safety of all the children, including yours! PLEASE KEEP OUR CHILDREN SAFE.

### **Practice 2,3 and 4 times table**

Free IPAD app to help with 2, 3 and 4 times table - learn the times table before the pirate shoots you! 2 x 2 = 4 fun times table by Aplemakh Bros.

### **WORLD BOOK DAY**

We will be having a celebration of World Book Day on **Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March**. Children are asked to dress up as their favourite character and we will spend the day creating books and stories.





Outdoor learning dates for the next few weeks are:

11/2	25/2	4/3
Year 1&2	Year 3&4	Year 5
Comparing an oak tree to a holly bush	Weaving/nest building	Weaving/nest building

**Weather appropriate clothing needed.**



#### NEXT MEETING

Next Meeting 8.00, **Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> March**  
at The Crown Pub

We always welcome new members, come along and see what we are up to, and perhaps bring some ideas of your own!

#### The Wish List

If you would like to submit a 'wish' for purchasing new equipment and resources for the school, please fill in an

application form and either pass to a member of the PTFA committee, Julie or Tracey in the school office. Application Forms can be found on the notice board just inside the front entrance.

#### FILM CLUB



#### Next Film Club Nights

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March and Friday 15<sup>th</sup> May

We will have a separate film showing for Key Stage 2 children only. If you are happy for your child to watch a PG - appropriate film at our film club, along with a supervised adult, please can you make sure that you have filled in a permission slip.

#### Future Events

Easter Egg Hunt Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March  
Pamper evening Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> April

If you would be able to help with any of these events, please contact any member of the PTFA or call in to the school office.

### TERM DATES - 2014/15 and 2015/16

	Open on the morning of:	Close at the end of the afternoon on:
Spring Term 2015	Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> January 2015	Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> February 2015
	Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> February 2015	Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> March 2015
Summer Term 2015	Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> April 2015	Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> May 2015
	Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June 2015	Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July 2015
Autumn Term 2015 (Provisional)	Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> September 2015	Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> October 2015
	Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> November 2015	Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> December 2015
Spring Term 2016 (Provisional)	Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> January 2016	Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> February 2016
	Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> February 2016	Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> March 2016
Summer Term 2016 (Provisional)	Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> April 2016	Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> May 2016
	Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> June 2016	Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> July 2016

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> February		Break up for half term
Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> February		School re-opens after half term
Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup> February	<i>New</i>	KS2 parents talk on Child Exploitation and Online Protection (CEOP) 6.30pm
Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> February		Year 3 and 4 Hockey Tournament at Waddesdon
Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> March		PTFA Meeting
Wednesday 4 <sup>th</sup> March		PCSO visiting to talk about CEOP
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> March		Year 3 and 4 Tennis Tournament
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> March	<i>New</i>	World Book Day
Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> March		Parents Evening 3.00 - 6.00pm
Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> March		Parents Evening 6.00pm - 8.00pm
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> March		Inset Day
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> March	<i>New</i>	Film Club Night
Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> March		Year 5 Badminton Tournament at Waddesdon
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> March	<i>New</i>	PTFA Easter Egg Hunt
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> March	<i>New</i>	Break up for Easter Holidays
Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> April	<i>New</i>	School re-opens after Easter Holidays
Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> April		School place offers for September 2015 are released
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> April		PTFA Meeting
Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup> April	<i>New</i>	KS1 Athletics at Waddesdon 3.45pm
Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> May		Bank Holiday
Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> May		School Class Photographs
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> May	<i>New</i>	Year 5 & 6 Rounders with Marsh Gibbon
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> May	<i>New</i>	Film Club Night
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> May		Bag 2 School Textile collection
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> May		Break up for Half Term Holiday
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> June		INSET
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June		School re-opens after Half Term
Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> June		PTFA Meeting
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> June		PTFA Cream Tea
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> June		Sports Day and Picnic
Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> July		Grandparents Afternoon for Nursery & Reception class
Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> July		County Induction Day
Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> July		PTFA Mad Hatters Tea Party
Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> July		Open Evening
Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> July		KS2 Production
Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> July		KS2 Production
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> July	<i>New</i>	Camp Out Day
Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> July		End of Year Celebration Assembly
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> July		Whole School Ramble
Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July		Break up for Summer Holidays
Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> September	<i>New</i>	School re-opens after Summer Holidays
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> September		Individual School Photographs

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[Film Club Permission Slip for Key Stage 2 Children](#)



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**Into Film Club**

\* I give / do not give permission for \_\_\_\_\_ to watch a PG film

Signed.....Dated.....