



NEWSLETTER

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Monday 25th June 2018



We hope you enjoyed another glorious weekend. We are feeling blessed to have this sunshine but must be mindful of safety in the sun.

Please apply sun lotion each morning so your child's skin is protected for outdoor learning and play times. If your child has permission, we can reapply if required.

Also make sure your child brings a sun hat/cap and a water bottle as this heat is set to stay for the week. These can be refilled throughout the day.

Job Vacancy

In July we will be saying goodbye to Mrs Page as she is taking an exciting opportunity nearer to her home. We will miss her in the school office and wish her luck with the new post.

Therefore, we are currently advertising for a new afternoon school secretary.

The hours are:

Monday –Friday 12–5pm term time only.

If you are interested or know of anyone who might be full details are available from the school office or on line using this link:

<https://ats-bracknell.jobsgopublic.com/vacancies/list?sector=Education/Academic>

Closing date for applications is 1st July.

Dates for the Diary

Wednesday 27th June
Year 3 trip to Waitrose

28th & 29th June
The Education for Life Bus

29th June
Year 6 Retreat Day with SMC
*** Feast of St Peter & Paul**

Tuesday 3rd July
Year 1 trip to Waitrose

Thursday 5th July
Year 2 'Class Assembly'

Friday 6th July
SPORTS DAY

Saturday 7th July
FAMILY DAY

Wed 11th & Thurs 12th July
Year 6 Robin Hood Play

Friday 13th July
Year R Class Assembly

Monday 16th July
Year 6 Trip to Caesar's Camp

Tuesday 17th July
Year 6 trip to Legoland

Thursday 19th July
1.30pm Candle Assembly (yr5/6)

Friday 20th July
2.30pm – End of term

Annual School's Mass

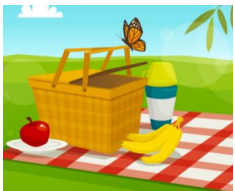
Bishop Phillip invited every school in the Diocese to take a small group of pupils to Mass at St John's Cathedral, Portsmouth. We travelled in a minibus with pupils from St Francis and St Margaret Clitherow schools and it was a very spiritual experience. Thank you to our year 5 pupils for being well behaved and polite to those we met and for carrying our banner in the procession. We came back feeling very proud of you.



Sunday 22nd July

You may be aware there is a **Parish Picnic** being planned for 22nd July after the 10.30am Mass.

In addition, the Parish will be supporting CAFOD's campaign 'Share the Journey'. Together, aiming for 24,900 miles – the distance around the whole world. CAFOD will use this shared journey to deliver a powerful message to world leaders, who meet in September 2018 to agree two global agreements on refugees and migration. Schools, parishes, and local communities across England and Wales will be walking to show solidarity with people on the move. We hope you can come along after Mass on 22nd July!



CAFOD
Just one world

Cars

There are an increasing number of cars not following our lane curfew. For the safety of our pupils, **please do not drive down Gypsy Lane.**



E-Safety

As part of their **#WakeUpWednesday** campaign, National Online Safety Team have created a free guide for parents & carers about '**Playerunknown' Battlegrounds' (PUBG)** – a game played by millions of children and young people worldwide.

Our guide is designed to inform parents and carers about the dangers and risks of letting their children play PUBG and how they can help keep their children safe online.



Please share our free guide for parents by retweeting our guide here: <https://twitter.com/natonlinesafety/status/1006924770657611776>



Amazing Archery!

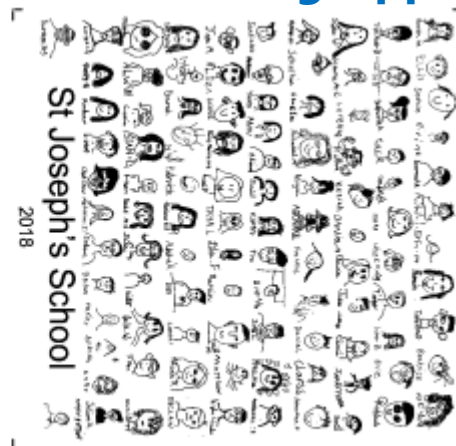
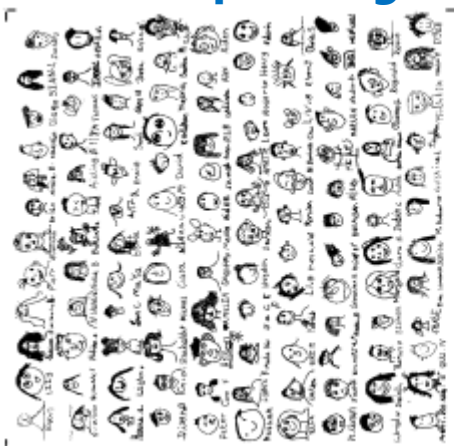
This week we congratulate Brogan in year 5 for his archery achievements. He competed in the Guilford Junior Acorn Competition and came away with a silver medal, setting a club record and beating his personal best! Well done Brogan!

News from the Broadbridge family!

We were ecstatic to hear of the babies' safe arrival. They were born on Monday 11th June, each weighing a very healthy 5lb 6oz! Ronan is an extremely proud big brother and Mrs Broadbridge and the baby girls are doing well. We look forward to meeting them very soon. Welcome to our St Joseph's family Aria and Kylie.



St Joseph's Bag for Life – Fundraising Opportunity



£4 for 1 bag

£7.50 for 2

£10 for 3

Would you like to buy a St Joe's canvas bag?

The children have drawn their face and it will be printed onto a canvas bag with a blue strap (not arrived yet but see proof above).

If you would like to order one (or more):

Place the correct amount of money in a sealed envelope clearly stating your child name and class and hand it in at school office.

As soon as the bag arrives, we will hand it to your child.

FAMILY DAY

This is a non-profit making event but will welcome donations on entry.

When? Saturday 7th July 12-3

What? This is a family Picnic Day (no opportunity to purchase food on the day)

Street Dance Performance



Soak a teacher Game!



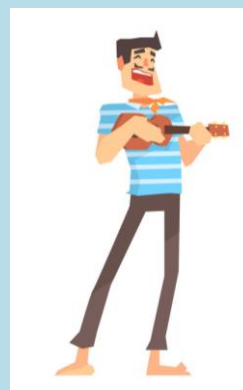
Thai dance performance
1.30-2.00



Thames Valley Police



Raffle
a chance to win £100 cash
Plus more



'No Strings Attached'
Ukulele Band
12.30-1.30

Bouncy Castles for children



Hobby Horse
Gymkhana
and more