

Church Road
Tilston
Malpas
Cheshire
SY14 7HB

Tel: 01829 250204
Fax: 01829 250674



Tilston Parochial CE Primary School

Headteacher: Mrs Kelsey Mort
Website: www.tilston.cheshire.sch.uk
24th September 2018

Dear Parents and Carers

It has been a busy week at Tilston School and all the children are now settled and working very hard in their new classes. The Reception children have adjusted well to school life and are all a wonderful addition to our school.



TSA- Tilston School Association

On behalf of all the staff, pupils and teachers at Tilston, I would like to say a very big thank you to everyone who attended the TSA AGM on Wednesday evening. It was lovely to see so many parents wanting to support our school. We elected a new TSA for this year and they have already been very busy putting together a leaflet introducing the new team. Please see the attached leaflet.



Please check out the **TSA webpage** on the school website in **School Information**.

The first TSA meeting has been arranged for Wednesday 3rd October at 6pm. All TSA meetings will be held in the school hall and refreshments will be provided. If you would like to be involved in sharing ideas for fundraising or can spare some time helping with events, please come along to the meeting. **EVERYONE WELCOME!**

School Dinners

We would like to invite all parents to join your child for a school lunch this term. The cost of an adult school dinner is £2:30. Please see the dates and times below. If you would like to join us, please complete the slip and return to the school office. We will confirm the menu choice nearer the time for you to book and choose your meal and make your payment.

Class	Date	Time
Bluebell Nursery & Wrens	Wednesday 7 th November	12:00pm
Robins	Wednesday 14 th November	12:00pm
House Martins	Wednesday 21 st November	12:15pm
Kestrels	Wednesday 28 th November	12:15pm

Lunch Menu for week beginning 24th September	
Monday	Beef burger in a bun with wedges and beans or jacket potato and cheese
Tuesday	Chicken pie with potatoes or jacket potato with tuna
Wednesday	Roast pork dinner or jacket potato
Thursday	Chicken curry with rice & naan or jacket with cheese & tuna
Friday	Fish & chips or tomato pasta with crusty bread

* Please note, the cost of a school lunch is now £2.30. Reminder that all children in Reception and KS1 are entitled to a free school meal.

Personal Development Goals

This week's focus for personal development is **concentration**. There can be many distractions in school that challenge our ability to stay focused and concentrate on tasks. Well done to the following children who have shown high levels of **concentration** throughout the week.



Stars of the Week



YR	Kaden: concentrating hard on his art work.
Y1	Archie: showing a lot of determination when working in maths.
Y2	Hugo: increased concentration and focus in all areas of the curriculum.
Y3	Evie: Showing good concentration in maths and literacy.
Y4	Charlotte: concentrating well in class consistently.
Y5	Lucy: for concentrating well in class all week.
Y6	Molly: for concentrating in all areas.

WW1 Centenary

This year to mark the WW1 Centenary we will be planning an Arts Week wb: 22nd October 2018. Mr Chris Gilbert will lead an art project in Year 5&6 and every child will be entered into a writing and art competition organised by the Lord Mayor of Chester.

On Friday 9th November our School Committee will be organising a 'Big Brew' to raise money to support the SSAFA (Soldiers, Sailors, Airmen and Families Association charity.) Details will follow soon.

Mr Tom Stephenson is organising a Church Concert on Friday 5th October at 7pm at St Mary's Church. Everyone is welcome. We are looking for boys and any Dads who would like a small role in the concert to join us for the evening. If you would like to be part of a small performance or to find out more, please pop in for a chat. The evening will be a time for us to remember those who fought in the war.

Our Star Hand Writers



This year we are aiming to achieve the Healthy Schools Award. Part of being healthy is to keep active. All children are now participating in the Golden Mile Daily Challenge. We have also invested in Premier Sports and Cheshire Cricket Board.

The End of the Day

At the start of every school year our aim is to build relationships with all parents asap. At the end of the school day can I please ask that you are visible on the school grounds and make eye contact so teachers recognise you and dismiss children safely. Your child's safety is paramount.

Parking

Our plans to develop a staff car park are underway and our plans have now been submitted for planning permission. In the meantime, can I please ask that all parents park considerately in the village. Last week I had two complaints from residents who were unable to get out of their own properties as cars were blocking their drives. Thank you.



Prayer of the week:

Bridget (Worship Leader)

Generous God, you have been good to us. You have given us a good school. You have given us great students. You have given us a clear vision. Generous God, you have been good to us.

Please have a look on our school website for regular updates on your child's class page. www.tilston.cheshire.sch.uk

After a busy start to the term, I wish you all a restful weekend with family and friends.

Yours sincerely

K Mort

Mrs Kelsey Mort

✂ -----

School Meals:

I would like to join my child(ren)
For a school meal on the following date:

Class	Date	Time	✓
Bluebell Nursery & Wrens	Wednesday 7 th November	12:00pm	
Robins	Wednesday 14 th November	12:00pm	
House Martins	Wednesday 21 st November	12:15pm	
Kestrels	Wednesday 28 th November	12:15pm	

You will be asked to confirm your menu choice and make payment nearer the date.

Signed..... Date