



We, the family of St Peter's, united in faith by God, strive to learn and grow together to be the best we possibly can everyday.

Newsletter Number 07

October 20th 2017

Dear Parents and Friends,

This week has been a busy one as ever.

Uniform

All children should be in winter uniform when they return.

Girls should wear white socks, navy or grey tights.

Coats should NOT be GREY. Black or dark blue only.

All children should be wearing a tie (these can be purchased in the School office)

Pupil Chaplains.



This week the new pupil Chaplains met with their counterparts from St Vincent's and shared ideas and forward plans. Evangelisation at its most effective!

Nursery.

Miss V. (Valls Dolcet) will stay in our Nursery from now on. We are delighted to have her services.

Parent Governor.

We sent letters out last week and had no interest at all. Please talk to me if you are interested in helping your child and our school as a governor.

Online safety.



Please monitor your child's account and online "friends."



Please read the information on this website. (Y)Our children need to be safe and protected online. This will help you.

Church Christmas Fayre

25th November please try to sell the raffle tickets you have received. On 17th November we will have a dress down and donate day when children can bring in items for the fayre. Toys games books cds etc.

Two Johns

Below you will find information about a Parent Internet Safety Event we are holding in school on Thursday 2nd November at 6pm for all parents. Throughout the day, the children and staff will be receiving training on internet safety. Please try to come along as we all need to be aware of what our children are accessing on the internet. The event should last about two hours.

Parent Internet Safety Event



Find us on Facebook at:

EST E Safety Training

Find us online at:

www.esafetytraining.org

Contact us at:

esafetytrainer@gmail.com

When you think about Stranger Danger are you thinking of a white van outside a school or a man with a dog that has just had puppies? This event we will take that message and turn it on its head.

John and John have a combined Police Service of over 50 years. In that time they have worked extensively in the world of investigating and managing paedophiles. They have both worked as covert officers targeting paedophiles online and as such have a unique insight into how they target our children.

The 2 Johns wrote and present the 'Walk Online Roadshow'. This is a presentation for children that was inspected by OFSTED in 2016 and was singled out by them in January 2017 as being an example of National Outstanding Practice. They have delivered the roadshow to over 30000 children in the past year and continue to receive outstanding reviews.

Unlike similar events this presentation will not be covering issues like password security or blocking software. The aim of the event is to bring parents totally up to date regards the apps their children are using and how they are being directly targeted in that environment by paedophiles. Because the children would have attended the Walk Online Roadshow earlier in the day the figures that are mentioned will be coming direct from the parents own children and are sure to shock everyone that attends.

The event will take parents on an uncomfortable journey where they will be left questioning the current perspective they have about their children's safety.

The 2 Johns provide all of the Online Child Sexual Exploitation training for Thurrock Safeguarding Children's Board, Basildon Community Safety team and many school consortiums and are respected County wide as the foremost experts in this field.

Drivers.

Please be considerate about where you park as our school is in a residential area where other people live and work.



Children travelling home alone.

Ideally these will only be Y6 children. In every case parents must speak to me and put in writing their reasons. We want to develop the independence of our children but every case is different.

Breakfast Club

7.30am - 8.45am (last entrance at 8.30am) £2.00 per session paid in advance via parentpay.



Please make sure a responsible adult drops your children off at breakfast club and not an older sibling from the school who will then either go home or out to an adult waiting in the car. Once your child is on school premises they are expected to stay. Food is provided please do not send children in with food from shops or home.

The Big Issue Foundation helping The Homeless

One of our ex pupils will be sleeping rough on 17th November to raise money and awareness for the homeless. We will be having a non uniform day on Friday 3rd November to help him with his cause.

**THE BIG
ISSUE
FOUNDATION**

The Big Issue Foundation is a national charity which connects vendors with the vital support and solutions that enable them to rebuild their lives and journey away from homelessness.

<http://www.bigissue.org.uk/>

Solos and Siblings Photo Day

This will be on Monday 6th November. Please make sure your child is in **FULL** winter school uniform.

Newsletter/website.

Firstly thank you to those of you who read this every week. We put it on the website and email it out to the emails we have for you.

The website can also be seen through a free app -Schudio School App then put in the postcode and all of it is on your phone for free.

Blog

A new addition to our website under the parents section informing you of what your child/children have been learning this week. Please take a look.

Please see some photos of school life on our twitter link:

@stpetersdagenham

Chaplaincy Newsletter

This is a new monthly newsletter that can be found on our website. Please take a look at this month's edition

Attendance

If your child is not coming into school, please call the school office by 10am on the first day they are absent and let us know the reason.

Contact Information

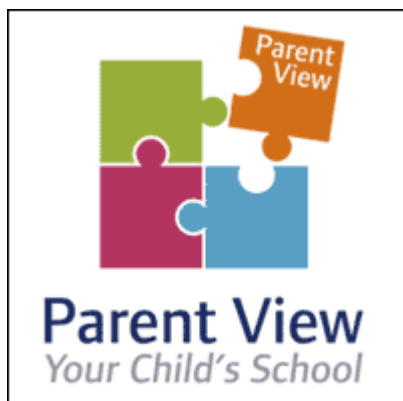
Please make sure you keep us updated in any changes to addresses, emails and telephone numbers.

Parent Pay

Your child will no longer receive a hot dinner if their account is not at **least £2.10 in credit**. An emergency meal could be given at Mr Craft's discretion if you contact the Office before 9.30am. It is your responsibility to make sure your child's parent pay is in credit at all times.

PE Kits

Please make sure all PE Kits are in school. Navy blue shorts, a plain white T shirt and black plimsolls. No loopy earrings are allowed only small studs which must come out for PE.



Parentview.

<https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk/login?destination=give-your-views>

This link should take you to the OFSTED parents questionnaire. Please complete it when you get a moment. All the evidence helps us.

Happy Birthday 16th October - 29th October

Destiny Mido 9, Brandon Francis 10, Freya Wood-Laslett 6, Phoenix James-Johnson 6, Jim Abundo 8, Fawwaz Akanmu 7, Lottenna Ezeani 9, Wisdom Onasanya 6, Chidera Nwokerie 10, Chi-chi Musa-Onyeka 7

Party Bags

We love to celebrate a birthday at St Peter's. We just ask that any birthday cake is pre-cut and wrapped individually and party bags are not too heavy as they must be brought in with the child first thing in the morning. **THEY WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED IN THE OFFICE.**

Mon 30th Oct		NO SCHOOL - INSET DAY	
Tues 31 st Oct	8am	Yr 2	Judo
	8am	Yr 3	Multisports
	3.15pm - 4.25pm	Yr 3/4	Football
	3.15pm - 4.30pm	Yr 4	Multisports

Wed 1 st Nov	8am	Yr 5/6 Girls Gymnastics
Thurs 2 nd Nov	8am 6pm	Yr 5/6 Boys Gymnastics ALL PARENTS-INTERNET SAFETY
Fri 3 rd Nov	8am 8am 8am 2.45 pm	Yr 3 Judo Yr 5/6 Boys Football Yr 5/6 Girls Football Whole School Assembly NON UNIFORM DAY- HOMELESS £1

Yours sincerely,

Mr D Craft Headteacher