

## **Headteacher Weekly Newsletter**

## Week 7

Dear Parents/Carers

## PTA - Quiz night

A date for your diary – our popular annual Quiz Night will be on **Thursday 14th November**. Doors open at 7pm and the Quiz will start at 7.30pm. Drinks and snacks will be available. Tickets are on sale from Reception now for £3 each. (See poster for further details).

## **Parking**

Please can I remind you when dropping off/collecting your child on the roads surrounding the school, ensure that you park considerately and do not obstruct residents' driveways/garages or wait on double yellow lines. Dropping off/collecting should not take place at the entrance to the school.

## **Dates for your Diary:**

21 – 25 October – Charity Week – The Pupil Leadership Team are raising funds for the charity 'Solent Mind'. PLEASE SUPPORT their events and see the letter attached for further details.

28 October - 1 November - Half Term

5 November – Year 7 Tutor Evening (3.45 – 6pm)

6 November – Year 11 Geography Fieldwork

11 – 15 November – Anti Bullying Week.

Have a great weekend.

Regards

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# Toynbee School a specialist humanities school

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## Dear Parents

As you may be aware, Charity Week will soon be upon us! OCT 21 – 25. This event runs through the week starting on the 21<sup>st</sup> October. The pupil leadership team has been working hard alongside the main charities team to coordinate the following events throughout the week:

Cake Sales – Everyday over the course of the week there will be a bake sale at break and lunch times. To add a more competitive side to the week, there will be house points up for grabs! On each day a different house will be donating the cakes to be sold. Monday – Drummond, Tuesday – Clarendon, Wednesday – Solent, Thursday – Spitfire. Whichever house is able to raise the most money for charity, will win. Bought or homemade is fine. Drop off your cakes and biscuits on your 'House day' at the front of the school or remember to bring in little extra cash to buy some delicious bakes.

Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> (lunch) – Teachers bleep test! This is the one time of the year when the roles are well and truly reversed. All students are welcome to come and watch your beloved teachers run up and down the sports hall time and time again, getting faster and faster each time until they physically cannot go on, also known as the bleep test. Bring in £1 to watch.

Friday 25th—Sumo Suits (break) — Students get to pit their skills against each other in an epic battle that will be remembered for years to come. Friends will get a chance to battle it out in sumo suits to see who emerges superior. However, if this doesn't sound like your sort of thing but you want to watch other people struggle to move around in great puffy suits then everyone is more than welcome to come and support without participating. £1 to watch or take part.

Kahoot Friday 25<sup>th</sup> (break) – If sumo wrestling really isn't your style then you can put your brain to the test against students in an especially selected Kahoot! For those of you that don't know, Kahoot is a website that everyone links to through a computer, a question will appear on the screen and the faster you answer it the more points you get (as long as the answers right, obviously). Mobiles will be allowed for this one event. 50p to take part.

Teacher Karaoke - Friday 25th—Year after year, this event never fails to entertain. Some of your very favourite teachers have volunteered to share with you their lovely singing voices, providing performances that can't be forgotten (believe us we've tried). With the greatly anticipated return of old favourites and rumours of new participants, this year's karaoke will not fail to please! Bring in £1 to watch.

Non Uniform Day Friday 25Oct – This one is fairly self-explanatory, all you have to do is bring in £1 and you can wear any clothes that you like (within reason). All the money raised will be going to a really good cause, the charity 'Solent Mind', so please come along and participate or enjoy the events throughout the week because every contribution helps.

We look forward to seeing as many people as possible.

Thank you.
The Toynbee Pupil Leadership Team



























TOYNBEE PTA QUIZ NIGHT

THURSDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER

Doors open 7pm, quiz starts at 7.30 (finish by 9.45)

Maximum of six per team

Just £3 per person!!

Bar and snacks available (please don't bring your own!!)

Tickets are available NOW at Toynbee reception. Please buy them by Monday 11<sup>th</sup> November, if possible.