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## Heads Up

Dear parents

Welcome back to school everyone!

It has been an absolute pleasure to meet all the wonderful children at Pott Shrigley Church School and see how well they have settled into their new classes. I have listened to their stories and read their scrapbooks depicting their experiences during the summer break. Thank you for all of your support: encouraging your child/children to read and write during the holiday period.



I have enjoyed meeting you all in the morning and after school on the playground and look forward to getting to know you all more!

Our first week back has been busy and very productive with the children participating in collective worship (with a focus on friendship), singing assembly and Bible stories delivered by Audrey- Thank you!

Art and sports club have been a success with some beautiful butterflies produced in art club. I am sure Ms Bromley would be extremely proud with her fondness for butterflies!!!

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The next Family Service at St Christopher's will be Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> September, 10:45. Staff and families are most welcome. This will be the first Harvest Service so donations are welcomed towards the foodbank (dried food only) but there is no obligation to bring anything.

Some of the children will have come home this week with log-ins for online learning platforms including Purple Mash – tasks will generally take place in the classroom during IT sessions but children may be keen to explore at home too on occasion. All children in Years 2-6 have a login for spelling shed where spelling themes are revealed via games - we would like to encourage the children to look at these weekly as spelling is really important as their writing develops.

The PTA are planning an event on Friday 30<sup>th</sup> September – more details to follow. If you'd like to join the PTA What'sApp group, please contact Lisa in the office.

Finally, it is with deepest sadness that we learnt yesterday of the news of the death of Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth II. Her Christian faith shone through her character throughout her reign, as she faithfully served her country and God as Monarch over the last seventy years. We will be reflecting on her life as a school during Collective Worship and P.S.H.E

If children and young people are upset, <u>Minded</u> is a source of information to support children and young people to manage death and loss. You can also visit the Palace's website for more information about the mourning period: <u>www.royal.uk</u>.

May she rest in peace and rise in glory.

I hope that you enjoy the weekend.

Kind regards

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https://www.gov.uk/guidance/people-with-symptoms-of-a-respiratory-infection-including-covid-19

## **Diary Dates:**

Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> September - Swimming Years 3-6

Craft Club

Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> September - PE & After School Sports Club

Friday 16<sup>th</sup> September - Forest School

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