



*Sharing our Gifts and Growing our Talents Together*

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## 'Christian Value' – Humility

*'Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit. Rather, in humility value others above yourselves.'*

*Philippians 2:3*

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### Head's Message

I cannot believe that we have come to the last newsletter of the year. I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the people who work in our wonderful Federation for the enthusiasm and commitment they have shown this year. I would also like to thank everyone, parents, governors and the wider community, for your continued support of all that we do across the Federation, and the fabulous Academy Celebration was a testament to this. Have a wonderful summer holiday and I hope the children have a very well deserved rest.

### Staff Changes

It is with great sadness that we say goodbye to some fabulous colleagues and good friends this term. Miss Wellings and Miss Williams, who have been amazing teachers at Pott Shrigley; Miss Watson and Mrs Tolchard who have provided excellent TA support in the EYFS classroom and Mrs Collingwood who has been a right hand woman to Sarah, we thank you all and will miss you all.

### Moving Up

On Monday all the children in the Federation will 'move up' and spend the afternoon in their September class. The last week of term is just three days long and for those three days all children will be on their registered sites. The Pott Shrigley Reception children will spend those three days in Miss Wellings class at Pott Shrigley and the St John's Year 1 children will spend those three days with Mrs Smith/Mrs Jobbins at St John's.

### Non-uniform

All the children of the Federation are invited to come to school on the last day of term (July 20<sup>th</sup>) in non-uniform.

### St John's End of Year Play

St John's Class 3 will be performing Troy at 9.15am on the 20<sup>th</sup> July. A collection will be taken at the event and donated to the charity chosen by the Ethos group. We do hope you can all make it.

### Leavers Service

Please join us on Sunday at 10.45am at St Christopher's Church for the Year 6 leavers Service.

### Piano Lessons

Mrs Dooley has two spaces available for piano lessons at St. John's on Tuesday mornings from September. She can be contacted on 07940 717626.

Curriculum updates will return in September. Next term our new Christian value will be 'Understanding.' Have a very happy summer holiday and we will see you all on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> September.

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