



# TRINITY

Dear Student, Parents, Carers & Governors

## Friends of Trinity Special

Since joining Trinity Catholic High School, one thing is clear. The strength of this school sits in its people.

When the 'village' comes together, you see the impact straight away. Standards rise. Opportunities grow. Young people flourish.



For 50 years, Trinity has served Catholic education with pride. Now we want to strengthen that legacy as it should never been built in isolation. It needs to always build through community which includes Students, Parents, Staff, Alumni, Parishes, and Friends and if we are given an opportunity we all have a part to play.

I often say this to staff and parents. When the community works with the school, great things happen. You feel it. You see it. You measure it in the confidence and character of our students.

There are two simple drivers behind this.

First, awareness and appreciation. You understand each other's role. You value what each person brings. Every interaction shapes the formation of our young people.

Second, creating opportunities to come together.

You build spaces where relationships grow. You create moments where the village becomes visible and strong.

You already see this across Trinity.

- Face to face parents' evenings.
- Open evenings where families walk the corridors and see the school in action.
- Liturgical events where we gather in faith.
- Christmas concerts where the community fills the hall.

These moments matter. They bring people together. They strengthen relationships. They build the Spirit of Trinity.

As an official Friend of Trinity, I have handed over this front page to them. This is deliberate. This is about action. This is about strengthening our village by getting involved.

Before looking ahead, it is right to pause and say thank you.

Thank you to the Friends of Trinity for your time and commitment.

Your support at the recent quiz night made it a great success.

Your presence at parents' evenings does not go unnoticed. Staff value it.

Ensuring we are kept going with tea, coffee and doughnuts matters. It lifts morale. It shows care. It reflects the strength of this community.

This is what the village looks like in action. This is why we have established Friends of Trinity.





We have recently been formed and have our task is to bring people together with purpose. It will strengthen relationships across our community.

It will support the school at a time when funding pressures are real and the need to act collectively has never been greater.

Already, there is energy behind this. There is commitment. There is a shared belief in what Trinity stands for.

As we prepare to celebrate our 50th Anniversary, this next step feels right.

We are proud to announce our inaugural Black-Tie Ball, taking place on 15th May at Woolston Manor, Chigwell.



This will be a special evening. A chance to bring our community together. A chance to celebrate our past and look ahead with ambition.

You will then enjoy a three-course dinner. The night will continue with a live band, followed by a DJ keeping the dance floor going into the night.

Further details will follow, along with ticket information. You will want to secure your place early.

This event will celebrate Trinity. Past and present. We want as many of you there as possible.

To mark the occasion, we will also host a Silent Auction and Raffle. Our aim is clear. We want to offer experiences people cannot easily access.

We are inviting support from across our community, especially those connected to:

- Professional or elite sport
- Entertainment and media
- Travel and luxury accommodation
- Hospitality and fine dining
- Wellness and spa
- Unique or behind-the-scenes experiences
- Corporate or VIP access

Alongside this, we are launching a Trinity School Business Directory, shared with over 3000 parents.

This gives you a clear opportunity to:

- Promote your business
- Support other families
- Increase your visibility within a trusted network
- Contribute to the school in a meaningful way

We are now gathering interest for:

- Prize donations
- Business directory advertising
- Event sponsorship

If you would like to be involved, please complete the short form below:

[Click Here](#)

Together, we will create an evening that reflects the strength, generosity and talent within our community.

Thank you for your continued support.

*With Love from*   
*The Friends  
of Trinity*

**Friendsoftchs@gmail.com**

As we move closer to a well-earned Easter break, there is much to look forward to.

Mrs Lamb and I are now in the final stages of planning our inaugural Trinity Sixth Form pilgrimage to Lourdes with HCPT.

This will be a special moment for our students. Time to step back. Time to reflect. Time to serve others. Time to grow in faith.

We will visit the grotto where Mary appeared to Bernadette. A place of prayer. A place of hope. A place of healing. A place where people bring what matters most.

If you have any petitions, you would like us to take, please let me know. We would be proud to place them at the grotto.

If you would like a Mass to be offered, please contact Mrs Lamb at [nlamb@tchs.org.uk](mailto:nlamb@tchs.org.uk) and this will be arranged.

When we return the students will no doubt be sharing their experience with HCPT in The Spirit of Trinity.

Also don't forget to follow on our social platforms as we will be sharing our experiences live from Lourdes throughout the week.

Enjoy the final week of term. Stay focused. Look after one another. Let us finish well.



**God Bless**

Declan Linnane  
Headteacher

## FPL UPDATE!

Invite people to join this league

View Cup Info →

Overall ▾ Reset

Last updated: Mon 16 Mar 23:10 (local time)

Rank	Team & Manager	GW	Total
1	 <b>ayew mad bruv</b> Jamie Mahoney	62	1,785
2	 <b>Change Name</b> Frank Troni	37	1,759
3	 <b>Coys Bhoys XI</b> Bobby Campbell	64	1,746
4	 <b>clever-snare</b> John Matijoshi	51	1,732
5	 <b>Stroke city</b> josh steel	71	1,732
6	 <b>McGinn &amp; Tonic</b> Alfie Ilett	49	1,722
7	 <b>N4th</b> Nathan Azebiah	65	1,720
8	 <b>Audi-Hild</b> Rachel Roger	61	1,718
9	 <b>Fosters</b> Claran Foster	47	1,698

As we come to the business end of the season 7 students are beating the teachers.

Congratulations go to these managers.

We look forward to seeing how students are going to navigate the blanks and doubles ahead.

Good luck to all!



# EXCEEDINGLY GOOD CAKES... TRINITY STYLE!



A huge thank you to our brilliant kitchen team, with Sonia Straight at the heart of it, well known across Trinity for her outstanding cakes. In true Trinity spirit, they surprised staff today by delivering a selection to the staff room to celebrate both St Patrick's Day and Mother's Day. A thoughtful gesture that lifted the whole community.

With Sonia delivering like this, Mr Kipling is under real pressure over who truly has the exceedingly good cakes.

## SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING IN THE MODERN WORLD



All of Year 7 took part in a lively STEM workshop led by Altru Drama this week, following characters as they created a live TV show exploring the world of material science. Students discovered how the materials that surround us in everyday life connect to advanced technologies used in real-life careers such as aerospace and marine engineering.

## SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR SUCCESS – OVER £1,400 RAISED!



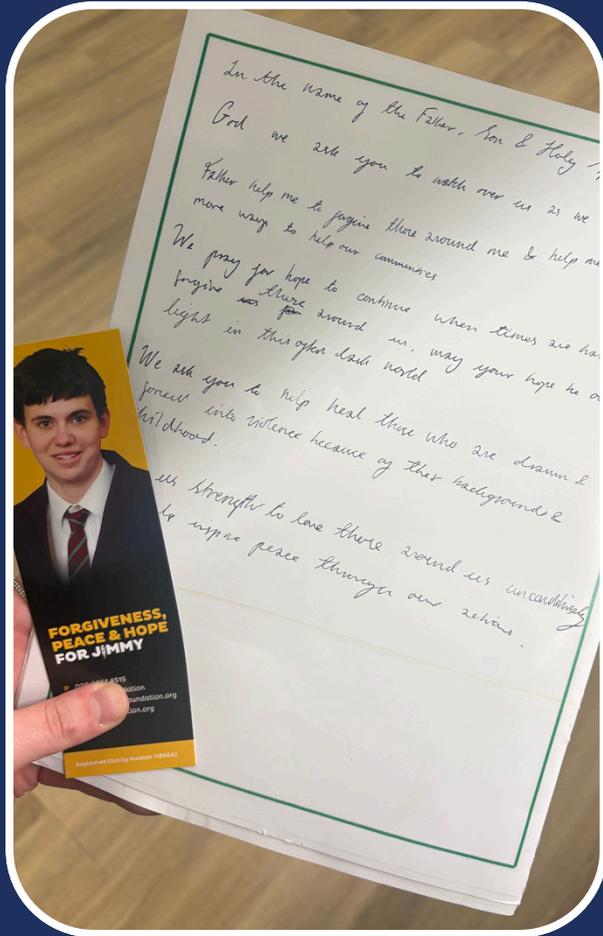
Last week saw the arrival of the Scholastic Book Fair; KS3 students were given the opportunity to buy books during their class visit and many excellent purchases were made! We are pleased to say that it was a resounding success, with many books selling out due to their popularity. We are delighted to have made sales of over £1,400, which has earned us an amazing £780 of rewards! We look forward to spending this next term on more great books for the school library. This shows that your support really does make a difference, so we would like to say a huge thank you to both students and parents.

## CULTURAL EXPERIENCES FOR OUR MANDARIN STUDENTS



Our Mandarin Chinese After School Club students recently enjoyed a hands-on experience making traditional dumplings. They learned how to roll dumpling wrappers, add fillings and fold them into traditional shapes. Everyone took their handmade dumplings home to cook and share with their families.

# A MESSAGE OF PEACE AND FORGIVENESS



Last Thursday, our Confirmation candidates had the opportunity to hear from Margaret and Barry Mizen, who spoke about the tragic loss of their son, Jimmy, and the journey they have been on since. They shared a deeply powerful message of forgiveness, peace, and hope, encouraging the candidates to reflect on how they can be peacemakers in their own communities. Their words were both inspiring and thought-provoking, leaving a lasting impression on everyone present. The session concluded with a prayer written by one of the Confirmation candidates, asking God to support all those experiencing violence in the world today and to help us each play a part in building peace.



# SIXTH FORM SPOTLIGHT



## JESSICA RYAN WINS REDBRIDGE YOUNG CITIZEN AWARD 2026



We are delighted to share the wonderful news that Jessica Ryan, one of our Sixth Form students, has been named Redbridge Young Citizen Award winner for 2026. Jessica received the award at a special ceremony held at Redbridge Town Hall on 10 March, where young people from across the borough were recognised for their outstanding contributions to the community. Jessica was recognised for her exceptional commitment to charitable work and service to others. As part of her efforts at Trinity, she helped to lead fundraising activities, helped lay the ground work for a future Charity Week and coordinated a two-week donation drive for Redbridge Foodbank. Speaking after receiving the award, Jessica said she felt inspired by the other young people in the room and was excited to continue volunteering and supporting others. Congratulations, Jessica, on this well-deserved award.

## YEAR 13 PROM 2026



Year 13 students are invited to celebrate their Trinity journey at a black-tie prom on 26 June 2026 at the Tower Hotel, Central London. The evening will include a formal dinner, photography, awards and a live DJ and dancefloor, giving students a final chance to celebrate together before moving on to their next chapter. Reminder: if you have not yet paid the deposit, please do so via ParentMail as soon as possible.

## PREFECT APPLICATIONS



We are delighted to open applications for our new Prefect team. Becoming a Prefect is a valuable opportunity for students to develop their leadership skills, serve the school community and act as positive role models for others. Students applying are asked to write a letter explaining why they would like the role,

the qualities they would bring and how they hope to contribute to school life by 23rd March. We look forward to seeing our students' enthusiasm, character and commitment reflected in their applications.

## FUNDRAISING FOR CANCER RESEARCH

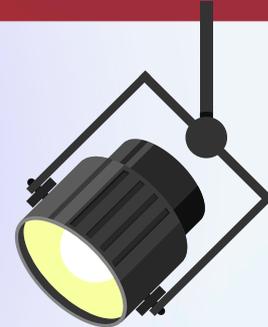
We are proud to share that Betsy, a member of the Year 12 Leadership Team, is raising money for Cancer Research UK by taking part in the 10 Days of 5k Challenge. Please do support, if you are able. Every contribution will help fund life-saving research.



<https://fundraise.cancerresearchuk.org/page/elisabeths-giving-page-144>



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## WADHAM SUMMER SCHOOLS

Are you interested in studying Classics, Modern Languages, or Biology/Human Sciences at Oxford? Wadham College is offering free 5-day Summer Schools for Year 12 students in state education from Monday 17 to Friday 21 August 2026.

Students will experience undergraduate study, live in college, meet current students and receive support with university applications. Travel costs will also be covered.

The deadline to apply is Friday 1 May at 5.00pm. More information and the application form can be found here.

<https://app.onlinesurveys.jisc.ac.uk/s/oxford/summer-schools-2026>

## Y12 SUPERCURRICULAR CLUB

Are you interested in exploring subjects beyond the classroom ahead of applying to university? St Anne's College is running a Year 12 Supercurricular Club, a series of online seminars led by academics and designed to introduce students to university-level research and study.

The programme includes eight sessions on a wide range of subjects, from pathogens and music to Japanese literature. It is open to Year 12 students in UK state schools and runs every Thursday from 16 April to 4 June, 4.00–5.00pm. More information can be found here, and students can sign up here.

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=G96VzPWXk0-0uv5ouFLPkSUNTU5J56ZDpJ-hNmtv7rpUOVRGtKhXSIVCSIdROVQ3RzNRTTBWUE03Ry4u>

## STUDENT LEADERSHIP TEAM 2026-2027

### HOUSE CAPTAINS

TCHS SAINTS:  
LAUNCHING THIS SUMMER TERM



Betsy Barrington



Maya Saund



Brandon Crisp



Aisling Barrett

### HEAD BOY



Sebastian James

### HEAD GIRL



Shayo Adeagbo

### HOUSE CAPTAINS

TCHS SAINTS:  
LAUNCHING THIS SUMMER TERM



Lara Walcott



Violet Sadowski



Brook Hyde



Juliet Taylor



# STUDENT CAREERS BULLETIN: OPPORTUNITIES & WEBINARS

**PARENTS: GIVE YOUR CHILD A HEAD START! CAREER FAIR**

Are you looking for a powerful, inspiring, and engaging way to help your child explore their future career path? Do you want them to gain real-world insights and connect with successful professionals who can motivate, guide, and empower them?

The 100 Black Men of London (a chapter of 100 Black Men of America Inc) invite you and your child to our Annual Careers Fair—a life-changing event designed to open doors, spark ambition, and provide valuable career insights for young minds aged 9 to 25.

**Date: Saturday, 21st March 2026**  
**Brunch & Welcome: 10:15 AM – 10:45 AM**  
**Career Fair (Prompt Start): 11:00 AM – 2:30 PM**  
**Venue: University College London (UCL)**

**Why Should Your Child Attend?**

**Meet & Learn from Professionals** – Experts from diverse industries will share career advice, insights, and experiences.

**Speed Networking** – Mentees rotate through exciting 10-12 minutes talking with professionals, gaining exposure to different career options in a fun and fast-paced format.

**Interactive Activities & Workshops** – Hands-on learning opportunities to help them understand various industries.

**Be Inspired to Dream Big** – Guest speakers on the day  
**Mock Interview panel** - For the young people to experience a real-life 'fun' interview session.

**Parental Support & Insights** – Learn how to guide and support your child in making informed career choices.

**Some of the Professionals Who Will Be There?**

Doctors & Therapists  
Pilots & Engineers  
Business Leaders & Entrepreneurs  
Teachers & Educators  
Chefs & Hospitality Experts  
Finance & Technology Professionals

## WORK EXPERIENCE PLACEMENT DEADLINE REMINDER (YEARS 10 & 12)

The deadline to hand in 'own placement' forms is fast approaching.

Please make sure that your child's placement form is submitted by Friday 17<sup>th</sup> April. Forms can be handed in via upper site reception or emailed to Mrs S Alexander - [salexander@tchs.org.uk](mailto:salexander@tchs.org.uk)



Parents and students, you have been invited to a Live Online Free Webinar by The Degree Gap  
**How To Maximise Every GCSE Mark**  
26th March @ 19:00 - 20:00

**So, what will be covered?**

Where marks are being lost  
How to use exam mark schemes  
How to convert weak topics into scoring topics  
How to keep momentum without burnout

You will get the chance to listen to specialists in Maths, English and Science, explaining how they achieved top grades and how to pick up lots of marks in exams. We will focus on the most effective revision strategies before the exams, so you can maximise the next 3 months.

## EXPLORING ROOTS AND RHYTHM THROUGH POETRY



As part of our celebrations for World Poetry Day, all Year 8 students took part in engaging workshops led by professional poets, Remi Graves and Desree Gumbs-Carty which supported their confidence and oracy skills. Students considered how words can express identity and build connection, culminating in them crafting (and performing) an original piece of spoken word poetry which reflected their perspective on community and belonging.

CREATING TRANSFORMATIONAL LEADERS  
NOW AND FOR THE FUTURE

**WE  
NEED  
YOU**

YOUR SCHOOL NEEDS YOU — APPLY TO BE A  
SIXTH FORM PREFECT



TRINITY | CATHOLIC  
HIGH SCHOOL



## Community Events 2026

Exciting events for the school community coming up!



### Year 7 Disco & Parent Drinks

**17 APRIL 2026**



**15 MAY 2026**

### 50<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY BALL

**15 MAY 2026**

## Trinity Fest

**4 JULY 2026**

Three special events bringing our community



TRINITY•50

THE INAUGURAL  
**BLACK TIE BALL**

*An evening of celebration, community, and elegance*

Friday 15th May 2026

Woolston Manor  
Chigwell

Join us for a memorable evening:

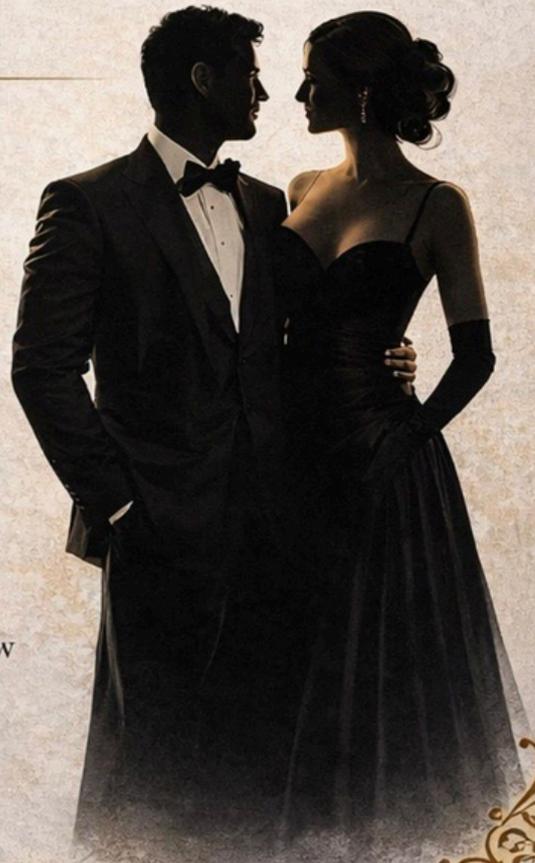
- Reception drinks
- Three-course dinner
- Live entertainment
- Dancing

*Dress Code*

**BLACK TIE**

Further details and ticket information to follow

*We look forward to welcoming you*





# NON UNIFORM DAY!

Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> March 2026

~ As part of our ~

## LENTEN PROMISES for ALMS GIVING



# £2



Supporting Haven House and  
TCHS Social Spaces Project

To donate use **ParentMail**



**We're here to support anyone experiencing domestic abuse.**

We offer:

- someone who understands what you are going through
- free help and support for you and your family to stay safe
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We can also provide support for children and young people affected by domestic abuse.

Telephone: **0800 145 6410**

E-mail: **Reachout@redbridge.gov.uk**

Website: **www.redbridge.gov.uk/reachout**

Operating hours: **Monday-Friday** (9am-5pm)

We also work with those who have hurt or frightened someone they care about and want to change their behaviour.

**Launching**

# THE SHARP SYSTEM



At Trinity Catholic High School, the safety and wellbeing of our students is always our top priority. We are proud to launch the SHARP system (School Help Advice Reporting Page) A confidential online platform that empowers students to report concerns and seek support quickly and securely.

The SHARP system allows students to raise issues such as bullying, online safety, hate crime, weapons, health and wellbeing, or any other worries they may have either about themselves or someone else. Reports can be made anonymously, ensuring every student has a voice and a safe way to be heard.

The platform is easy to access via any device at:

[trinitychs.thesharpsystem.com](https://trinitychs.thesharpsystem.com)

## HOW TO USE SHARP

1. Visit [trinitychs.thesharpsystem.com](https://trinitychs.thesharpsystem.com)
2. Click Make Report to share your concern.
3. Explore the dedicated help pages on topics such as bullying, health, hate crime, and community safety.
4. If you prefer to speak to someone directly, you can always approach a member of staff or contact Mrs McGrory, Head of Pastoral.

### A Message from the Headteacher

“At Trinity Catholic High School, our Mission is to ensure that every student feels safe, valued, and supported and has a voice. The SHARP system provides an additional, confidential way for students to share any concerns, knowing that they will be listened to and taken seriously.

We want all members of our community to understand that safeguarding and wellbeing are at the heart of everything we do. By speaking up, students are helping us to build a culture of trust, care, and respect. No student should ever feel alone. Together, we can make Trinity a safe and supportive place for everyone.”

### Why SHARP Matters

1. Gives students a safe and confidential space to raise concerns
2. Helps staff respond quickly and effectively to issues
3. Builds a culture of care, respect, and inclusion across our community

We encourage all students and parents to familiarise themselves with the SHARP system and to use it whenever needed. Together, we can ensure that Trinity remains a place where every student can flourish in safety and confidence.



# TRINITY

## NOTICE BOARD

**JOIN SILVERTOWN STORM NETBALL CLUB**  
AGES 11 - 18 | NEWHAM

**PLAY EASTER SESSIONS**

**SESSION DATES:**  
MONDAY 30<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2026  
THURSDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> APRIL 2026  
TUESDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2026  
THURSDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2026

TRINITY CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

Our Sixth Form **APPLICATIONS NOW OPEN**

TO SHAPE A BETTER WORLD

**WEST ESSEX PANTHERS**

CONTACT: WESTESSEXPAINTHERS@GMAIL.COM

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**WHEN EVERY OTHER SUNDAY**

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Got a **degree** you're not really using? Looking for a challenging **new career**? Time to think about becoming a **teacher**...?

**ESSEX SCHOOLS ITT**

Graduates 2024-25

Train to teach at our school, or another one local to you! Gain qualified teacher status (QTS), and an optional post-graduate certificate in education (PGCE) through the **Essex Schools ITT** initial teacher-training programme.

Join our next online information event:  
**Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> March, from 7.30pm**

Scan the QR code to view our events page and register

**SCIENCE CLUB**

WHERE CURIOSITY MEETS DISCOVERY!

(WEEK 12)  
THURSDAY ROOM 15  
3:15 PM TO 4:15 PM

EXPLORE YOUR PASSION FOR SCIENCE

FORMER TRINITY STUDENT

**GCSE MATHS TUTORING**

FOUNDATION & HIGHER LEVEL ONLINE LESSONS

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- Mathematics Degree Student
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Hear from mental health professionals about how to promote your child's emotional health and wellbeing. Our monthly webinar offer starts with our three most popular topics

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**MANAGING EXAM STRESS**  
WED 25.02.26 7-8PM

**MOVING UP TO SECONDARY SCHOOL**  
WED 25.03.26 7-8PM

**TALKING ABOUT BIG FEELINGS**  
WED 29.04.26 7-8PM

**SCAN ME!**

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