



„Treat others the way you would like to be treated yourself“

5th May 2023

Message from Mrs Procter



We have had a great day celebrating the Coronation. The children arrived to school to see the bunting blowing in the wind. There was great excitement as we held a whole school assembly with our flags.

The children have learnt some interesting facts about King Charles III- test them tonight when they come home!



We enjoyed fish and chips in the decorated hall and had amazing cup-cakes and biscuits; our cooks really went to town! The children will all be bringing home a commemorative bookmark tonight as a keepsake of this special event.

There really was something magical about the whole school standing waving their flags singing God save the King.

I hope you all have a wonderful long weekend.



Weekly Reflection

Ethos Statement – I know how to help others when they are in trouble.

In Mark's Gospel we hear the story of how Jesus cured the paralysed man. Jesus always helped people in trouble. But in this story the man's friends went to great lengths to help the man too. If the paralysed man didn't have helpful friends he would never have met Jesus and his life wouldn't have been changed in the way that it was. He was probably very grateful to Jesus for His help but also to his friends who went to the trouble of helping him. It is important that we ask God to give us His strength and support so that we can be helpful friends too. We need to be aware of others and their needs and ask God to open our eyes so that we notice when our family and friends are in trouble. However, we also need to remember that when we are having difficult or lonely times we may turn to God, our friend and helper who will always be there for us.

The following children have shown they can help others when they are in trouble this week:

Ethos Statement – I can respect other people's beliefs and religion.

The following children have shown they can be respectful of other religions this week:

FJH	Isla-Rose Jones	1DK	Ethan-Lee Johnson	2RL	Shaun Mea
FJH	Jacob Limb	1DK	Scarlett Ashcroft	2RL	Ava Wright
FBG	Leon McGraa	1SH	Macie Roberts	2HW	Sophia Cheung
FBG	Julia Kaszycka	1SH	Georgia Reagan	2HW	Leighland Jones

3EJ	Jason Frost	4HS	Millie Walker	5AY	Tyler Stocker
3EJ	Caleb Degg	4HS	Callum Linge	5AY	Savannah Roberts
3DJ	Sophie Lynch	4HK	Liam O'Toole	5MJ	Keir Strand
3DJ	Joseph Long	4HK	Benjamin Platten	5MJ	Ava Wilson

6KH	Rosie Martin
6KH	Louie Keenan
6RM	Sophia-Mae Byrne
6RM	Tessa Ashton-Martin

House Points

KS1- John	KS2- Matthew	Overall- Matthew
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Contact Information

May I take this opportunity to remind you that if any changes are made to a home address, email address or telephone numbers, could you please remember to inform the School Office of these changes so our records can be updated in case of an emergency.

It is paramount that we hold true and accurate details on our school system and is the parent/guardian responsibility to inform the school of any changes.

School Website

Our school website is a source of lots of information about the school including what each class is studying in each term; curriculum information across the school; our reading newsletter with recommended reads; our Catholic life activities; term dates and much more, including lovely photos of our children. Don't forget to check it out!

<https://www.christtheking.wirral.sch.uk/>

Photography Club

Calling **Years 3, 4, 5 and 6!** Would you like to learn a new skill? Miss Wilkinson is hosting a **Digital Photography** club on a Wednesday after school until 4:15pm. The first session will begin after May half term (on Wednesday 7th June) and will run for 5 weeks. We will be exploring how to take a range of creative photographs along with photo editing and the impact this can have on body image. If your child would like to attend please email hwilkinson@christtheking.wirral.sch.uk and wait to hear back.



Walk to School Week and Cleaner Air Campaign

A generation ago, 70% of children walked to school. Data shows today that it is now less than 50%. We'd like to play our part in reversing this decline and also help with levels of pollution around school by encouraging more families to walk to school. Our school council have been educating themselves about air pollution and will present this to the school as well as taking some air pollution measurements and recording how many people are walking/scooting/riding to school. They would like to challenge you to swap two of your car journeys each week for a walk to/from school - or park at least 3 streets away and walk the rest. By 15th May, which is national walk to school week, we would like to see if we can get back to 70% of our community walking to/from school for at least 4 out of 10 journeys per week. As an incentive, children will earn a Strider badge. Please try to help us meet this challenge, if you can.

Many thanks,
The School Council

SEND Information Sharing Session

An informal information sharing session. All parents and carers of Wirral SEND children and young people are welcome. No need to book.

Wednesday 5th July 2023 9-11am at Bedford Road Primary School. Rock Ferry.

Little Acorns FS1 Trip to Church Farm

On Friday 7th July, Little Acorns will be taking a trip to Church Farm in Thurstaston. The cost of the trip will be £18 per child and will be payable via ParentPay.

On the day of the trip, please send your child to school with a packed lunch and a bottle of water, a waterproof coat and wearing their own clothes but with their school sweatshirt for safety. Please let Mrs McDowell know if you do NOT wish your child to go so that we can arrange staffing etc. Parent volunteers are not needed on this occasion to accompany the children.

1DK Reading Café

Another successful reading cafe was held at school this week with 1DK. Thank you to parents for taking the time to come into school and share a love of reading with the children. It was great to see so many books being shared and enjoyed!



Reading Café 2HW and 2RL

Come along to a morning session in our school hall to read with your child. From 8:45 to 8:55 you will be able to grab a biscuit and drink whilst looking at some of the recommended reads provided by teaching staff for your child's age group. Then you will be joined by your child's class to take the opportunity to read a story with your child and their friends. We will be starting with 2HW on Tuesday 23rd May, followed by 2RL on Tuesday 6th June in the Junior Hall. Drop your child off at the gates and sign in at reception. The session will finish by 9.30am. For those children whose parent or grandparent is unable to make it, books will be shared with another parent, Teaching Assistant or our Reading Ambassadors.

Year 3 First Holy Communion Session

Just a reminder that our next session for Holy Communion will be on Wednesday 10th May at 5pm in the school hall. We will go through any information that you will need for the day at this session so we hope that everyone will be able to attend.

Year 5 Liverpool World Museum trip

During the summer term, Year 5 will be learning all about the Ancient Greeks as part of our history topic/ We have organised a trip to Liverpool World Museum where the children will take part in a workshop, handling real and replica objects and become junior archeologists to understand people who lived in a significant and successful period of history. The date of the trip is **Thursday 22nd June 2023**. Payments are live on Parent Pay at the cost of £7.50 per child. The children will need to wear full school uniform, a waterproof coat and bring a packed lunch. We will be travelling to and from Liverpool by train. If you are able to help on the day of the trip, or have any questions please speak to your child's class teacher.

Playzone Vacancy

Playzone have an opportunity to add an enthusiastic, flexible and friendly new member to their team. Previous experience in working with children is preferred, but online training with a mentor will be available if wanted. A desire to work with children in a relaxing play environment is a must! Childcare will no longer be an issue as some of our staff bring their school age children to socialise, play and enjoy free sessions as they work. If you feel ready for a new challenge please register your interest via email to Cath Ravenscroft, Louise Somers and Tricia Piggott playzonectk@gmail.com Give it a try!

Dates for your Diary

Monday 8 th May	King Charles III Coronation Bank Holiday- School Closed
W/C Monday 8 th May	SATS Week
Monday 15 th May	Walk to School week commences
Monday 22 nd May	4HS Residential
Tuesday 23 rd May	4HK Residential
Tuesday 23 rd May	2HW Reading Café
Friday 26 th May	Communion Mass –Church at 9:30am
Friday 26 th May	School closes for Half term
Tuesday 6 th June	2RL Reading Café