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

19th May 2023

Message from Mrs Procter



This week our Year Two children have completed their SATs and have been little super stars. They have tried their best each morning and we are really pleased with their determination! They have had a movie afternoon as a treat.

On Saturday our Year Three children will be making their first Holy Communion so please keep them in your prayers, we are hoping that the sun makes an appearance.

Next week Year Four are off to Burwardsley on their residential, the marshmallows are purchased, the songs for the campfire are ready and the cameras are charged so we are all ready to go. The children are very excited as this is their first residential at CTK as sadly their Y2 trip was cancelled due to Covid.

Can I please remind parents that earrings are **not permitted** in school. If you wish to have your child's ears pierced please do it during the six weeks summer holiday.

Weekly Reflection

This week we celebrated the feast of the Ascension. Once again, the closest friends of Jesus had to watch Him leave them. The disciples were worried about Jesus going away, but He comforted them by making a promise of sending a helper, the Holy Spirit, who will remain with them always. The disciples had to trust in Jesus like we all do. By returning to His father, Jesus opened up the path to Heaven. If we trust in God and remember to be guided by the Spirit, we will have the strength to follow Jesus' example. If we demonstrate this, and live a life of love and forgiveness, then we will set an example for others to follow and be rewarded by following Jesus on that path to Heaven.



Ethos Statement – I try to forgive people when they hurt me

The following children have shown they can forgive others this week:

FJH	Rosie McCulla	1DK	Joseph Campbell	2RL	<u>Whole of Year 2!</u>
FJH	Eleanor Kewley	1DK	Niamh Oakely	2RL	
FBG	Jacob Rutter	1SH	Lucas Millington	2HW	
FBG	Ellie Laycock	1SH	Bonnie Young	2HW	

3EJ	Jessie Bastow	4HS	Ethan Grant	5AY	Laila Zebli
3EJ	Hannah Pannell	4HS	Amelia Graves	5AY	Henry Green

3DJ	William Spencer	4HK	Prisha Gurnell	5MJ	Monty Cairney
3DJ	Sienna Nag	4HK	Isla Cameron-Richards	5MJ	Olivia Connolly-Brown

6KH	Anna Jarmulkowicz
6KH	Lucy Sawley
6RM	Alex Brown
6RM	Sean Lacey

House Points

KS1- John	KS2- Matthew	Overall- Matthew
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Mass for the Ascension

Children in Key Stage 2 joined the parishioners for Mass to celebrate the feast of the Ascension yesterday. Fr Louis reminded us that when Jesus ascended into Heaven, He left his disciples a mission to carry on the work of the church. In turn, we have also been given that mission to carry on too. Thank you to Olivia and James for serving and for all the children for joining in the responses and behaving so respectfully.

First Holy Communion 2023

Please keep all our children and their families in your prayers as they prepare to receive Jesus in Holy Communion at the weekend.
Children please be at church for 10:40

**Lord Jesus Christ, bless the children coming forward to receive Holy Communion for the first time.
May this day be the step toward a life-long love of the Eucharist.
Give them a hunger for this sacred food so that they turn to you for comfort, guidance, and wisdom as they grow into full discipleship.
Thank you for their innocence and goodness.
May their hands, extended in anticipation of your body and blood, inspire all of us to cherish this sacred Sacrament.
Amen.**

Arts Club run by Arts Council



Well done Year 4 who have just completed their two weeks of art club run by our fantastic and dedicated arts council. This time children learned skills to create tone and texture. They have used these skills to create a number of fabulous sketches from mythical creatures, to cartoon characters and even famous celebrities.

Brass Band Concert

Christ the King Brass Band's Summer Concert will take place in the junior hall on Wednesday 28th June 3.30- 4pm.

Our wonderful musicians are all working hard to prepare for the concert and are looking forward to showing off their talents!

No tickets are required , just come to the office door at 3.30pm

Mrs Jones's 9am Natter Group- Friday 26th May



Mrs Jones will be holding another 9am Natter group. This will take place on Friday 26th May in the infant hall. The aim is for parents to pop in and as it says, have a natter. Tea and biscuits will be available. It will last until 10am and is a chance for parents to make friends and share experiences. If you want to attend please enter through the infant hall door in the infant staff carpark at 9am.

May Procession 2023 (*and change of date for Y3 Communion photo*)

On Friday 26th May, all children in school are invited to come to school wearing blue and white for our May Procession and Mass. (No football kits – thank you.) Those children in Year 3 who are making their Holy Communion this year will be coming into school in their Holy Communion outfits and will have their photos taken, but are asked to bring blue and white clothes into school so that they can get changed afterwards. Thank you.

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.

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.

KS2 Author Visit

As a school that loves to read, we are happy to promote another author event in conjunction with Lingham's bookstore. Charlie Brooks, the ex-jockey, racehorse trainer and author of the new *Holly Hopkinson* series for 8+ readers, will be joining KS2 on 7th June in an assembly and book signing event. Charlie will also bring along his mini Shetland pony, Beanstalk. Charlie will share his childhood experiences, school reports, his path to becoming a jockey, racehorse trainer and then an author.

Signed books will be available to order and pay via ParentPay for KS2 children.

Girls Football Team News!



On Wednesday, our very own girls 5/6 football team competed in a football competition at South Wirral High School. We had great success, with our girls coming 2nd place in the tournament - winning 3 and only losing one game. The girls showed incredible skill and upheld true sportsmanship throughout and should be extremely pleased with themselves. Well done!

Netball Festival

This fabulous lot went to Birkenhead School to take part in a netball festival. They played their socks off and gave it their all - very proud of them.



Cricket Club Year 5/6

Starting on Monday 22nd May, Mr Jones will be running an after school cricket club for children in years 5 and 6.

The club will run after school every Monday until the end of the academic year and children will be dismissed from the main reception area at 4:30pm. Children will be required to come to school in their PE kit and will meet in Mr Jones' room after

Forms to complete have been sent out via SchoolSpider

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.

UNICEF News and donation request

The **UNICEF** group are organising a Chocolate Tombola which will take place in June.

All proceeds will be donated to UNICEF to help children in the UK who are struggling.

We are appealing for donations of chocolate – any size, shape or brand – so that we can build up a bank of exciting prizes ready for our fundraiser in June.

From Monday 22nd May, please start sending in your donations to school and your child can bring them to me and receive DOJO/House points as a reward.

Thank you in advance for your continued support.

Mrs H. Kane



Dates for your Diary

Monday 22 nd May	Bikeability 6KH
Monday 22 nd May	4HS Residential
Tuesday 23 rd May	4HK Residential
Tuesday 23 rd May	2HW Reading Café
Friday 26 th May	Mrs Jones's 9am Natter Group- Infant Hall
*Friday 26 th May	Communion Mass –Church at 9:30am and photos
Friday 26 th May	May Procession
Friday 26 th May	School closes for Half term
Monday 5 th June	School reopens
Tuesday 6 th June	2RL Reading Café
Wednesday 7 th June	KS2 Author Visit
Monday 12 th June	Diversity Week
Wednesday 21 st June	FS1/FS2 Sports Day 9:30am
Thursday 22 nd June	Year 5 trip to World Museum
Wednesday 28 th June	KS2 Sports Day 9am
Wednesday 28 th June	KS1 Sports Day 1pm
Wednesday 28 th June	Brass Band Concert 3:30-4pm
Friday 7 th July	FS1 trip to Church Farm

Monday 17 th July	Year 6 BBQ and Fun Day
Tuesday 18 th July	Mass for Year 6 Leavers 5-6pm in church
Thursday 20 th July	School closes at 1:30pm