Christ the King Catholic Primary School



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the way you would like to be treated yourself. Class Attendance This year any class that gets 100% attendance will have an extra

playtime on a Friday afternoon.

The class with the highest attendance this week of 99.33% is 4AY, Miss Yates' class. Well Done!



Weekly Reflection

Ethos Statement – I can say how I feel

This week we have talked about Jesus' feelings. On one occasion Jesus was terribly upset when Lazarus died. At other times he felt happy when he was eating and drinking with his friends. There were also times moments when Jesus felt frustrated when those closest to him did not understand what he was teaching. The Bible even has a story about when Jesus felt very angry.

It is important that we know how we are feeling and that we can share that with someone if we choose to. It is also good to know that Jesus had all the same feelings that we have. From time to time we should check in with our feelings and think about what makes us feel that way. No matter how we are feeling, we should remember that there are people around us who we can speak to and we can even talk to Jesus.

The following children have shown they have a good understanding of feelings this week.

FCB – Sophia MacDougall	1DM – Emily Allerston	2EK – Lily Trzybinska
FCB – Caleb Degg	1DM – Jack Trevor	2EK – Christopher Rigg
FEM – Ethan Howes	1MH – Teddy Smith	2AD – Elena Ruddock
FEM – Thomas Davin	1MH – Leo Wu	2AD – Louis Ryan
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3HB – Bella Hall	4AY – Patrick Kawka	5HK – Kate Atkins-Leon
3HB – Matthew Quinlan	4AY – Sophie Morris	5HK – Ava Gadsby
3EJ – Lewis McWha	4CS – Sofia Farnin	5RL – Charlie Lewis
3EJ – Poppy Welch	4CS – Jack Elwill	5RL – Riley Mohammed

6GA – Charlotte Wootton

6GA – Finlay Dooris

6KH – Declan Devoy

6KH - Lily Garnett

Mental Health Awareness Afternoon



You are all invited to Christ the King's first mental health awareness event on Monday 14th October, starting at 1pm with a presentation by CAMHS. During this event there will be information on how you can support your child's mental health within school and how we can support you as a parent in our school community. The afternoon will comprise of many elements and you are welcome to attend all or to come along after school with your child to share in the wonderful services CTK and the Wirral has to offer.

If you feel you are part of a service that could share their resources with parents or run activities for adults and children, such as sports clubs, and you would like to come along to advertise these, please email Mrs Jones jjones@christtheking.wirral.sch.uk

Parent's Evenings

Parent's Evenings will be held on Tuesday 22nd and Wednesday 23rd October for children in FS1 and Years 1-6 (FS2 will hold their meetings at a later date). Appointments can now be made via the School Spider App.

Foundation Stage 2 Open Evening



Morning Meditation Sessions

Just a reminder that we have introduced a morning meditation session every Wednesday which is open to all children from 8.35-8.45am in the junior hall. If your child would like to attend please ensure that they arrive at school for 8.30am when the gates open in order that the session can start promptly at 8.35am.

PFA Update

Our Annual General Meeting is on 14th October at 7pm in the Church Hall. Please see the notice at the end of this newsletter.

Aldi's Kit for Schools Promotion



Once again a huge thank you to everyone who has sent in Aldi stickers – we received an amazing 216 stickers this week and are well on the way to filling our 2nd poster! Every completed poster means kit for our school and an entry into the £20,000 prize draw.



Sacramental Preparation

For those children in Year 3 or above who are baptised Catholic and would like to be enrolled to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Holy Communion in 2020, there will be a meeting on Tuesday 7th January 2020 at 6pm in the school hall. This meeting will be for parents only.

For Your Information:

Enrolment Mass – Sunday 19th January 10am Prayer Sponsor Mass – Thursday 13th February 9:15am Sacrament of Reconciliation – Tuesday 24th March 6pm First Holy Communion – Saturday 2nd May and Saturday 16th May 10am

[Those of you who were at the Year 3 parents meeting – please note the change of date due to the bank holiday weekend]

The list of full dates will be sent home with those children in Year 3. If your child is not in Year 3 and would like to be part of the programme, please see Miss Jones for further details.

FS1

The children in FS1 will be creating an outdoor prayer area which they will decorate by weaving scarves. If you have any scarves which you are able to donate – any material, length and colour – please pass them to Mrs McDowell. Thank you.



Pebble Assembly for FS2



On Wednesday 2nd October, at 2:45 we are inviting all parents of children in FS2 to join us in the Infant Hall for a brief liturgy to welcome the children into our school community. During this assembly all FS2 children will be placing a pebble into our school jar. Please do join us if you can.

Year 1 Food Tasting Day

On Wednesday next week, as part of our Science lesson, the Year 1 children will be tasting different foods to experience sweet, savoury, sour and spicy. We will be using sour sweets, sweet biscuits and savoury crisps. If you do not wish your child to take part due to allergies or if there are foods which your child cannot eat, please complete the form at the end of this newsletter and return to your child's class teacher by Tuesday at the latest. Thank you.

Magazines for Y1

If you have any used children's magazines (in good condition) please could you send them in for our year one classes. We will be using them to promote reading for pleasure.

Year 3 Parents

In our RE lessons this half term we have been looking at Baptism. Next week we are going to re-enact a baptism over in Church. On the day that each class does this (see below) we would like all the children to wear smart clothes like they would wear if they were going to a baptism or another important celebration. They can come to school in these clothes and wear them all day. Please bear in mind that they will be playing out as usual so will need to be warm and have sensible footwear.



3EJ Thursday 3rd October 3HB Friday 4th October

Many thanks for your co-operation. Miss Jones and Mrs Skelton

Y4 Cereal Boxes

Please could all children in Y4 bring a large cereal box in to school next week as we are planning to make shields and will use the card from the boxes for this.

Y5 Victorian Visit to Port Sunlight

If you have not already done so, please could you pay for the Y5 visit to Port Sunlight on ParentPay.

Reply Slips

Year 1 Food Tasting

I give permission for my childfood testing, however they must not taste the following:	to take part in
Signed Date	
Name of Parent/Guardian	

Christ the King Parents and Friends Association



We hereby give notice of the Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Christ the King Parents & Friends Association, to be held on Monday 14th October 2019 at 7.00pm in the Church Hall. The regular monthly meeting will then follow the AGM.

As you know, the PFA plays a vital part in the school community and all parents, friends and carers as members of the PFA are invited to support the AGM. This is your chance to hear and see how the funds you have helped to raise have been used for the benefit of the children at our school.

The AGM is also an opportunity for you to elect the PFA Committee to represent the association throughout the forthcoming academic year. The positions to be filled on the Committee are as follows

Chair Person	Vice Chair Person
Secretary	Co Treasurer
Co Treasurer	Events Co-ordinator /Committee
	Member
Events Co-ordinator /Committee	Events Co-ordinator /Committee
Member	Member
Events Co-ordinator /Committee	Events Co-ordinator /Committee
Member	Member

Nominations for all positions, including those of existing committee members willing to stand for re-election, should be sent in advance of the AGM using the form below.

If you would like any further information about what is involved in being a Committee Member, please contact us, via the School Office or e-mail us at admin@christthekingpfa.co.uk

Please return the slips below to the school office forward to seeing you on Monday 14th Octobe	er 2019
NOMINATION FOR OFFICER/MEMBER OF THE CTI	
Nominee	Co Treasurer / Event Co-ordinator *
Proposer	
Seconder(Please sign & print name)	(Please sign & print name)
Iagree to	my nomination for the position
of	
Signed	

Dates for your Diary

Wednesday 2nd October FS2 Pebble Assembly, 2.45pm

Friday 4th October Y5 Visit to Port Sunlight

Monday 14th October Mental Health Awareness Event, 1pm

Tuesday 15th October Individual Photographs

Thursday 17th October FS2 Open Evening for Prospective Parents

Monday 21st October Y5 Bike Right Course all week

Tuesday 22nd October Parent Teacher Meetings, FS1 and Y1-6

Wednesday 23rd October Parent Teacher Meeting, FS1 and Y1-6

Thursday 24th October Harvest Mass, 9.15am in Church*

Thursday 24th October School Closes for Half Term

Friday 25th October Inset Day – School Closed to Pupils

Monday 4th November Inset Day – School Closed to Pupils

Tuesday 5th November School Re-Opens

Thursday 21st November Christ the King Mass, Whole School, 9.30am*

Monday 25th November Flu Immunisation Programme

Tuesday 10th December 10am KS1 Production for Year 1 Parents

2pm KS1 Production for Year 2 Parents

Wednesday 11th December FS2 Production, time tbc

Friday 13th December FS1 Production, 10am

Friday 13th December Christmas Jumper Day

Tuesday 17th December KS2 Carol Concert in Church, 2pm and 6pm

Thursday 19th December End of Term Mass in Church, 9.30am*

Friday 20th December School Closes for Christmas, 2pm

^{*} Parents are welcome to join us celebrate Mass in Church, however seating will be limited