



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

7th June 2024

Message from Mrs Procter



Doors and windows have now been fitted in our new build so it is water tight, the internal walls are up and the decorators have been booked for the week after next so it is all starting to take shape.

We have enjoyed our sports days this week, thank you for coming along and supporting the children. They all really enjoyed themselves and especially liked the treat of an ice pop at the end of all of their hard work.

We are now in our final term of the year but I have started to notice that the standard of uniform is dropping. I have spoken to all children this week about what is and is not acceptable within school. Please can I ask that you ensure your child is following our uniform policy and despite what they may tell you Mrs Procter does not allow any deviation from below.

Grey Shorts

Red Checked Summer Dress

White School CTK Polo Shirt

Maroon CTK Sweatshirt/Cardigan

Maroon CTK Sweatshirt

White Socks

Grey Socks

Black School Shoes

Black School Shoes (No trainers
except for PE)

Plain Hair Bobbles (no bows)

Weekly Reflection

Ethos Statement – I understand the importance of working as a team

In the Bible, we hear how Jesus sent the disciples out in twos to spread the Good News and to grow the Kingdom. Jesus wanted his friends to work together and recognised that the power of encouragement and having a support system would make their mission much more successful. It is the same for us too. When we work as a team we can achieve so much more so remember, although it is important to have leaders who can steer groups and help them stay on task, we also

need to make sure we are all co-operating and working together if we want something to be successful.

Our mission this week is to work together and listen to each other, giving each other encouragement and support.

The following children have shown they can work as a team this week:

FJH	Chester McNally	1DH	Harvey Davies	2HK	George Quinn
FJH	Toby Evans	1DH	Maggie Keane	2HK	Brie Downey
FBG	Oscar Kneale	1SH	Jacob Rutter	2HW	Nancy Teese
FBG	Thea Coleman	1SH	Oliver Edwards	2HW	Jay Evans

3EJ	Harry Stewart	4DJ	Ciaran Patten	5AY	Molly McGuinness
3EJ	Erin Loughran	4DJ	Freddie Rogan	5AY	Amelia Graves
3KH	Blue Hughes	4RL	Hugo Pietruczuk	5MJ	Erin Page
3KH	Arlo Pessino Barnes	4RL	George Crossley	5MJ	Benjamin Platten

6HS	Toby Whiting
6HS	Philip Kawka
6RM	Ruby Ashcroft
6RM	George Kelly

Team Points

KS1	Mark	KS2	Matthew	Overall	Matthew
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First Holy Communion Parish Mass

On Sunday 9th June, all of our First Holy Communion children are invited to wear their outfits again to the parish Mass at 10am. Children will process in with Fr Louis and then sit with their families. Refreshments will be available in the Parish Hall afterwards. Please join us if you can.

Prayer Sponsors Thank You

As a way of thanking their prayer sponsors, the children in Year 3 are holding a Bingo afternoon for them in the Parish Hall on Wednesday 12th June at 1:45. We ask that the children bring in some cakes, biscuits and items for prizes for us to use on the day. If these could be brought to school on the Monday and Tuesday of that week please so that we know what we will have this would be very much appreciated. If any parents are available to help serve refreshments then please speak to Miss Jones at pick up time.

Eco News

During May, we had a Hedgehog awareness assembly. If you have any photos of what you have done or found, please email lbarker@christtheking.wirral.sch.uk

We joined forces with gardening club and Mrs Haigh and built two hog homes. We also set up footprint tunnels to gain evidence of wildlife. We left catfood in the tunnels as we know hedgehogs like cat food. We learnt in our hog assembly that hedgehogs are harmed by milk and bread so PLEASE DO NOT FEED HEDGEHOGS MILK AND BREAD!

If you find a hedgehog that needs help, call this number.

British Hedgehog Preservation Society on 01584890801, it's important that the hedgehog gets seen by a hedgehog rescue as soon as possible.



KS1- Infants Games Club

Infants Boardgame club will take place Monday 3.15-4.15 from Monday 17th June. If your child is in Year 1 or Year 2 and is interested, please drop me an email asap. bguthre@christtheking.wirral.sch.uk

Choir Summer Concert- date confirmed

The Choir summer concert date is confirmed and will be held in church at 3:30pm on Friday 5th July.

Brass Band Lessons and Concert Details

Brass lessons this term will be on the following dates:

- Monday 10th June
- Friday 21st June

There will be a concert for families of our Brass Band members in the Infant Hall at 10am on Friday 28th June. Our talented brass players have been working very hard to prepare for this and are excited to perform for their families, so do put this date in your diaries!

Many thanks,
Miss H. Mackenzie
Brass Teacher

Summer Reading Events

This term we are planning some special reading sessions to continue to inspire our children to love reading and to make the use of the (hopefully) better weather outdoors. FS1 to Y3 would like to invite parents/carers or grandparents to share books with the children during these sessions - we will group some children together if a parent/carer is unable to attend but it would be wonderful to see as many of our families read together as possible. We look forward to seeing you there.

- FS1 19th June 2.30-3pm Parent Stay and Read in Little Acorns
- FS2 21st June 2.30-3pm Parent Stay and Read in FS2
- Y1 17th June 2.30 - 3pm Parent Stay and Read in Y1 outdoor area
- Y2 12th June 2.30-3pm Parent Stay and Read in Y2 outdoor area

- Y3 10th June 2.30-3pm Parent Stay and Read in Y3 outdoor area

Diversity week

As part of our Diversity week starting the 28th June we are looking for potential speakers (family and friends) who can come into school to share their experiences of growing up with a disability or a neurodiverse condition (ADHD/ASC/Dyslexia etc.) in today's society. We want to celebrate how differences make us all unique and give us special qualities that can help us in our future careers and home life. If you think that you could help us out and share your story please email bguthrie@christtheKing.wirral.sch.uk

FS2- Wonderland Friday Book Club

FS2 Parents:

As part of our promoting a love of books we will be giving the children the opportunity to borrow a book from our Friday Book Club (lending library). Just pop in to the class at 3pm, through the normal gates and choose a book with your child, just like a real library! The book will need to be signed out on the Friday with the staff and brought back in on the following Thursday am. We look forward to seeing you there.

FS2- Voyage to New Brighton!

On the 11th July, FS2 will be going on a voyage to New Brighton Beach in search of Pirates and treasure AHARRGH! Our theme for the Summer 2 term will be 'The Seaside' and we will be exploring the environment for sea creatures, having a picnic and enjoying an ice cream. We will be leaving school at 9.15am and returning for 3.00pm. The cost of the trip will be £10 and this is payable via Parentpay.

Year 2 trip to the Liverpool Empire

As huge fans of author David Walliams, Year 2 are going to see 'Awful Auntie' Live on Stage at the Liverpool Empire Theatre on Thursday 13th June. The total cost is £18.50 per child which covers the ticket and coach, as estimated previously. ParentPay is now live and payments need to be made by 1st June please. We can't wait!

Y2 Team.

Year 3- Roman Day

This term, Year 3 have been learning all about the Romans. We are holding a Roman Day on **Wednesday 10th July**. Children are invited to dress up for this day but please don't feel that you have to spend lots on costumes. We are sure that you have things in your homes that you could use. Thank you.

Y3 Team



Year 5 Liverpool World Museum and Walker Gallery 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 and Walker Art Gallery where the children will take part in two workshops handling real and replica objects and become junior archaeologists to understand people who lived in a significant and successful period of history. The date of the trip is **Thursday 20th June 2024**. Payment can be made by Parent Pay for the cost of £5.25. The children will need to wear a 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.

Year 5 team

'Vale Kids' are offering free breakfasts and after school meals

Vale Kids are offering free breakfasts and afterschool meals to all children in our local community. Breakfast will be served from 8am to 9.30am and afterschool meals will be served from 3pm until last orders at 4.30pm.

All children will need a responsible adult with them and the food will be served in the cafe based at the Vale House Community Centre in Vale Park.

Vouchers can be issued but families can just turn up and leave their name with the cafe. This is purely so they can see which schools use the facility and so they can inform us of any future projects and to monitor the budget.

This service started on Monday 22nd of April and will run up to the summer holidays.

Year 6 (Current Year 5) Residential trip to Blue Peris October 2024

Due to the current economic climate and to allow families to budget. We would like to give parents the opportunity to make payments towards residential payments at their earliest convenience. The Year 6 (Current Year 5) residential trip has been confirmed for October 2024 and is now live on ParentPay with the option to pay in installments.

Please log in to your ParentPay account for further details/dates/prices and payment options.

**Many thanks to those of you who have already made payments

Year 6 Fun Day 2024

This year's Year 6 Fun Day will take place on Thursday 18th July and will be hosted again by Activity for All here in school.

The cost will be £17.50 per child and will be made payable on ParentPay. The children love this day and hopefully the weather will be kind to us. The children will have a BBQ lunch on the day and a special cupcake to celebrate their time with us.

Well done Freddie!



Well done to Freddie who won a trophy at the weekend with his team Willaston under 10s Football club- we are very proud of you! He brought the cup in to show us all.

PFA News- Save the Date!

Save the date for the Summer Fair and CTK Colour Run will be held Sunday 14th July 2024. More information regarding the event to follow after the half term break.

We need volunteers to help organise this year's Summer Fair. Please come along to the PFA's planning meeting on Thursday, 13th June at 8pm in The Merebrook to get involved.

Vacancy- St Anne's Rock Ferry

A vacancy has arisen for a Parish Secretary at the parish of St Anne's, Rock Ferry. **Hours:** 15 per week, to be spread over Monday to Friday mornings (flexible). **hourly rate:** £14.00. For further details please see the Diocesan Website <https://www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/latest-vacancies/> Applications in the form of a CV and covering letter should be sent to Pauline McCulloch recruitment@dioceseofshrewsbury.org **Closing date:** Friday 22 June 2024.

Linghams Books Heswall News

Linghams Books Heswall have asked us to share news of this event with you:

Welcome to **Celebrate all things Taylor Swift – Little People Big Dreams** at Linghams bookshop! Join us for a fun-filled event at **Linghams Booksellers** where we will be diving into the world of the talented Taylor Swift through the Little People Big Dreams series. Children to be accompanied by ONE adult only due to space. All tickets include a copy of the Little People Big dreams Taylor Swift book £11.00 . Adult ticket £5 (can be redeemed against another copy on the night) Format : Taylor Swift tribute artist singing and dancing , known as Fearlessly Taylor. More details [:https://linghams.co.uk/event/76168/](https://linghams.co.uk/event/76168/)

Dates for your Diary

Monday 10 th June	4DJ- Swimming commences
Monday 10 th June	Year 3 Parent Stay and Read in Y3 outdoor area
Wednesday 12 th June	Year 2 Parent Stay and Read in Y2 outdoor area
Thursday 13 th June	Year 2 trip to Liverpool Empire Theatre
Monday 17 th June	Year 1 Parent Stay and Read in Y1 outdoor area
Wednesday 19 th June	FS1 Parent Stay and Read in Little Acorns
Thursday 20 th June	Year 5 Liverpool Museum trip
Friday 21 st June	FS2 Parent Stay and Read in FS2
Monday 24 th June	Diversity Week
Friday 5 th July	Choir Summer Concert 3:30pm in the Church
Wednesday 10 th July	Year 3 Roman Day

Thursday 11 th July	FS2 trip to New Brighton
Sunday 14 th July	PFA Summer Fair and Colour Run
Wednesday 17 th July	Year 6 Performance - 2pm and 6pm
Thursday 18 th July	Year 6 Fun Day
Tuesday 23 rd July	School closes at 1:30pm for Summer Break