



CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL



WEEKLY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER – Friday 25 November

THANK YOU!

Many thanks to everyone that has helped and supported the planning and preparation for the Christmas Bazaar. I know tomorrow's event will be a huge success and it couldn't have happened without the help and support of the school community. Doors open at 12noon until 3pm. See you there!



REMINDER

The school nursing team will be in school on **Monday 5 December 22** to administer the nasal flu vaccine.

If you decide you do not want your child vaccinated against flu, please indicate this on the consent form, giving the reason. Your child will not be vaccinated without valid consent in place.

PANTOMIME REMINDER

Reception – Year 6 Will be visiting the Belgrade Pantomime **Wednesday 7 December**. Children can bring one small bag of sweets each to the theatre.

We currently have a large percentage of parents who have not given consent for their children to attend or contributed to the cost of the theatre trip. I am very aware that now more than ever there are financial constraints for families. However, in order for such experiences to go ahead in school, we do rely on contributions towards payment. Please contact school if you need support and we will do our best to help.



MASSES THIS WEEK

Mass on **Tuesday 29 November** will be attended by pupils in Year 2 and 5. Parents/ Grandparents are welcome to join us if they wish to do so.

For those who cannot attend, please join us online:

<https://www.mcnmedia.tv/camera/christ-the-king-church-coventry>.



REMINDER

9.00am Sunday Mass - Sunday 11 December.

Children from year 6 will be reading and children in Years 4 – 6 are welcome to join staff in the choir loft

Children in Reception – Year 3 are welcome to participate in children's liturgy

OUR MISSION THIS WEEK

Christ the King Mission

"Jesus," he said "remember me when you come into your kingdom." (Luke 23:42)



The good thief was completely honest about who he was and what he had done. He prayed a simple prayer from the heart asking Jesus for what he needed. Your mission is to do the same.





ENRICHMENT SESSION - CLASS 1

Class 1 pupils have had a wonderful time during their enrichment sessions this week with Mr Hadlum, Mrs Taylor and Mrs McDonnell. The children made a leaf hedgehog, shelters for the teddies and made leaf soup as well as exploring the water running down the drain pipes.



INTO FILM WEEK

This week Year 1, 2 and 3 were the last year groups to attend the Into Film event.

Throughout November pupils in Year 1 – 6 thoroughly enjoyed their cinema trip. The event was so much more than a box of popcorn and a bag of sweets! It inspired imaginative writing through film, developed an understanding of story structure and supported pupils to develop sequencing and prediction skills. Thanks for your support towards the event.

INTO FILM

BLITZ EVENT

On Thursday 24 November, Year 6 were lucky enough to be able to take part in the Coventry Blitz Event at Coventry Cathedral. It was a fantastic opportunity to learn about local history and to take a step back in time to the night of 14 November 1940, when Coventry was bombed.



WELL DONE CALLUM!

This week we heard the wonderful news that Callum in year 6, who read at the KS2 Remembrance day service, had his poem recognised by the Royal British Legion. They remarked how wonderful it was to see young people taking part in Remembrance day in a creative way, paying their respects to those who gave up so much for our future.





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CHRISTMAS DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

The annual Christmas Carol Service will take place this year on **Thursday 15th December @ 6:30pm** at Christ the King Church.
Reception – Year 6 pupils will be performing.
We hope to see you all there!



During the season of Advent the children will attend **Benediction in church every Friday at 2:30pm**. Please join us if you can. For those who cannot attend, please join us online:

<https://www.mcnmedia.tv/camera/christ-the-king-church-coventry>.

Friday 2nd December
- Year 3, 4 and 6 only

Friday 9th December
- all pupils to attend

Friday 16th December
- all pupils to attend



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Monday 12th December
£1 donation for Save the Children



CTK proudly presents Year 5's
Christmas performance of



**Monday 5th December 2022 at 7pm &
Tuesday 6th December 2022 at 9:15am**
SL site



DANCE SHOW

WITH RICKY BROWN

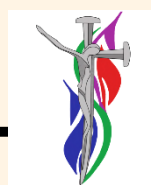
THURSDAY 15 DECEMBER

Year 3: 10:00am - 10:30am
Year 4: 11:00am - 11:30am





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CHRISTMAS DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Coventry and Luneaton Deanery

Blessing of the Christmas Crib



Broadgate

The Coventry Christmas Crib Dedication will take place on
Sunday 27th November, the first Sunday of Advent.
The crib is located in Broadgate next to Lady Godiva statue and
over looked by the two Cathedrals.

4 PM

SUNDAY 27 NOVEMBER 2022

PHOTO - EVE MACDONALD TAKEN 28/11/21





DIARY DATES

All Clubs start at 3.30pm and finish at 4.30pm
(unless otherwise specified)

Scots Lane:

Monday 28 November

3.30pm Chess Club KS2
3:30m Advent club **held at both sites**

Tuesday 29 November

8.00am Tennis Yr3 &4
3.30pm Boys' Football Training (Cancelled)
3.30pm High 5 Training (Cancelled – held on Thursday instead)

Wednesday 30 November

12.30pm CL11 Swimming
8.00am Tennis - Yr 5 & 6
3.30pm Girl's Football Club –
to finish at 4.30pm

Thursday 1 December

3.30pm Girl's Football Training (Cancelled)
3.30pm High 5 Training

Friday 2 December

3.30pm Boy's Football Club- to finish at 4.30pm

Westhill Road: Tuesday 29 November

3.15pm Chill Out Club –
Mrs Hagyard -to finish at 4.15pm
(no fee applicable)

TEACHER TRAINING DAYS FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 22-23

~~Friday 30th September 2022~~

Monday 5th June 2023

Monday 24th July 2023

Tuesday 25th July 2023

CHRISTMAS DINNER AT SCHOOL

Thursday 8 December 2022 all children have the opportunity to enjoy a Christmas dinner (Turkey or Quorn) - **there will be no charge for parents however prior booking is required through Arbor.**

If you would like to book a lunch please login to your Arbor account, navigate to School Shop and add the required lunch to your basket - please ensure you checkout - no payment will be taken. **The deadline to make payment is Friday 25 November at 10AM.**

If your child usually has a school meal on a Thursday then you do not need to do anything as your child will pick their meal choice on the day - you will also not be charged for this day.

WEEKLY MESSAGE FROM THE ECO TEAM

brought to you by Erin

Turn off your electronics after you have used them!

BIRTHDAYS NEXT WEEK

Laura
Noah
Aiden
Alfie
Alannah
Erin



Joshua
Hannie
Ayden
Aoife-Rae
Finley
Jayden
Ivy





CHRISTMAS COLLECTION FOR CHARITY

We are running the annual Christmas box appeal again this year. This is a fantastic chance for us to give other children an opportunity to share in the joy of Christmas. Many children may not get an opportunity to receive any gifts for Christmas.

The Samaritans are running their annual appeal to provide gift boxes. These will include a variety of small, inexpensive gifts that can be packed into a shoebox and wrapped up for Christmas.

It is running from the 14th November through to the 21st November.

We shall be sending home a leaflet explaining what you can pack into a box and how you will be helping children all over the world.



We thank you as always for your generous support with this appeal. All boxes can be dropped at either SL or WHR.





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MESSAGE FROM THE PTA



Christmas Bazaar

We are very excited to be bringing the Christmas Bazaar back tomorrow and hope to see lots of you there. **12-3pm Westhill Road School Hall**

The usual favourites of the bottle and chocolate tombola's will be there, along with lots of fun games and activities for the children. Tasty food and cheeky Baileys hot chocolate / mulled wine drinks will be available from the kitchen area. There will be the opportunity to get your Christmas jumpers / festive wear from our preloved rail, Santa will be taking visitors and the cheeky elf will be around to say hello. We have our special Elfridge's store for the children to do their Christmas shopping, plus lots of lovely external stall holders to explore.

Remember if you haven't yet returned your raffle tickets you can still bring them along and hand them in on the day so you needn't miss out.

Thank you for all of the bottle/chocolate donations, buying your raffle tickets and any other support you have given to the event, it is much appreciated.

School Lottery

Thank you to those who support our CTK Lottery each week. This enables us to fund lots of projects, resources and events for our children at Christ The King School.

If you would like to sign up to support and be in with a chance to win each week please follow this link:

<https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/.../christ-the-king...>

Please feel free to share with your family and friends too!

Sign up before Saturday 10th December to be in with a chance of winning a MASSIVE PS5 bundle!

Contact Details

Follow us on Facebook @ChristTheKingPTA and Twitter @CTKPTACOV or contact us via e-mail: Christthekingpta@gmail.com.

2022 / 2023 PTA EVENTS PLANNER	
DATE	EVENT
Fri 14th Oct	Halloween Disco Nursery & Reception 5:30pm - 6:15pm Yrs 1, 2 & 3 - 6:30pm - 7:30pm Yrs 3, 4, 5 & 6 - 7:45pm - 8:45pm
Sat 26th Nov	Christmas Bazaar 12pm - 3pm
Wed 11th Jan	Movies & Munchies 3:15pm - 5pm
Fri 10th Feb	Valentines Disco WHR Children - 5:30pm - 6:30pm SL Children - 7pm - 8pm
Thur 6th Jul	Happy Circus Timings TBC
Fri 14th Jul	Summer Fete 3pm - 6pm

EMAIL US AT: CHRISTTHEKINGPTA@GMAIL.COM

WIN A PS5 BUNDLE

- Cash prize every week
- Tickets cost just £1 a week
- Win up to £25,000!

PLAY NOW:
Scan the QR code or visit:
www.yourschoollottery.co.uk
and search for: Christ the King

YOUR SCHOOL LOTTERY
Supporters must be 16 years of age or older. See website for Terms & conditions. Enter by 10th Dec 2022.





Ways to support us

Donate money using the QR code
or
Donate items directly to us at the centre:

Top items to donate:

Tinned meats, breakfast cereals,
squash, coffee, sugar,
toiletries & cleaning products

Feeding Coventry



<https://uk.social-commerce.io/1s94gu>

PayLink Mobile
globalpayments

How your Donations help

- £5 Emergency food parcel for someone in crisis
- £8 Specialist 1-2-1 support work in housing benefits, wellbeing & work
- £12 Food parcel for a family in crisis for 1 week
- £25 Food Parcel for a family in crisis, for 1 week including essential hygiene items and fuel vouchers

Volunteering

Our volunteers are amazing. And you could join them.
Whether you want to commit a few days a week or a few hours a month,
your support can make a real difference.

Interested in finding out more?

Contact our Volunteer Co-ordinator on 024 7668 2749 or email
feedingcoventrycomms@gmail.com

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feedingcoventry.co.uk

[@FoleshillCommunityCentre](https://www.facebook.com/FoleshillCommunityCentre)

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[@feedingcoventry](https://www.twitter.com/feedingcoventry)

Feeding Coventry



Our mission is to create a food resilient
city where nobody goes hungry.

Foleshill Community Centre

is the hub for our work.

Here you'll find our social supermarket, support and advice
services, emergency food provision, community garden,
holiday activities and more.

And you can also hire the centre for your own events.





Foleshill Social Supermarket

Our supermarket offers discounted food to members from CV1 and CV6 postcodes struggling on low incomes.

Members can choose from a range of foods including fresh fruit and vegetables, dairy and meat, freezer items, bread, pasta and other basic household essentials.



- In 2021, we distributed 6421 food parcels in Foleshill.
- We actively support 300-400 people a week
- We have engaged with and provided food and activities to over 200 school children through our HAF programme
- We have benefitted from over 130 volunteers since opening in 2020
- Many of our volunteers arrived in extreme poverty for food bank parcels, became part of the centre and in some cases have moved on to paid employment with us on our social impact programmes.



Community Garden

Our Community Garden was set up by a group of volunteers and members and now produces flowers, fresh vegetables and fruit.

Through gardening and activities our members can learn new skills, share knowledge, and build friendships as well as creating a beautiful haven of nature that helps support mental and physical well-being.

If you'd like to get involved, please call Helen or JB on 024 76 682749.

Support services

Financial advice and support

Working in partnership with Coventry Independent Advice Services (CIAS) and Christians Against Poverty, we offer members one-to-one support with a range of issues such as difficulties with benefits, housing, debt and more.

One-to-one support

We understand that getting the right support on benefits, housing or debt is about more than just getting the right information. We offer members practical support through what can be a stressful and difficult process and tailor our support to each person and their circumstances.

Support can include signposting to relevant organisations, accompanying members to appointments for moral support, or opportunities to engage in health and well-being activities in our community hub.

How to make an appointment

Call into Foleshill Community Centre and speak to a volunteer or member of staff, or call 024 7668 2749 to book a slot.

Community



Malcom and Margaret started volunteering with us during the Covid pandemic. They have not been able to work for many years due to ill health, and had become isolated for over 20 years.

Malcom says volunteering here gives them a sense of purpose and pride and they class the team at Foleshill as family. Malcom says he has learnt to improve his social skills along with learning many new ones. They both love coming along to the events here and have received support to improve their financial situation. Without the support they have received at the centre they say they would feel stressed, isolated and bored.





THE AUTISM & ADHD ADVOCATES



COME AND JOIN US!

Understanding Autism and ADHD.

WEEKLY

12pm - 2pm

Venue - To be announced
(Community centers within Coventry)

Approx 25 places

Starting January 2023

- Understanding Autism & ADHD
- What is Social Communication?
- What is Social Interaction?
- What is Rigid Thinking?
- What is Executive Functioning?



EMAIL
enquiries@autismadhdadvocates.org

WEB
Home - autismadhdadvocates.co.uk





ATTENDANCE AND PUNCTUALITY



Your child's education is a one off opportunity. Make the most of it.

Please do not keep siblings at home if one of your children are ill. Contact school to seek advice.



It is a legal requirement that all children from the age of five are to attend full time education regularly.



Encourage your child to attend school on their birthday. We will enjoy celebrating their special day with them.



Always encourage your child to attend and participate in all areas of school life.

Please contact school if your child is going to be absent, has a medical appointment or is going to arrive late. All pupils that arrive late must report to the main office.



Ensure that your child attends school regularly so that they can achieve their full potential.



Please avoid booking holidays in school time. Every minute of their education counts.



Please contact school if you have any concerns. Keeping communication open is essential to enable your child to enjoy their time at school.

Thank you for your support.





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Sept 2022

Learning Mentors help children to overcome barriers to learning



Learning Mentors work in partnership with other adults to help children achieve their potential.

Being available

A Learning Mentor is a person who is available to offer support and guidance to children and their families.



Listening to what your children have to say

A Learning Mentor works in partnership with other adults, professionals & agencies to help identify and remove some of the barriers that children may experience so that they can achieve their best and reach their potential.

SHARING THE LOAD!

A problem shared is a problem halved'



'EVERY CHILD MATTERS'



Mrs Tina Hagyard
Christ the King Catholic
Primary School
Westhill Road &
Scot Lane Site

A Learning Mentor may be able to offer support with the following:-

- ☺ Enable pupils to feel more confident and positive about themselves. Build resilience
- ☺ Support with attendance/ punctuality
- ☺ Support pupils through difficult times both at home or in school
- ☺ Improving relationships with others
- ☺ Support pupil's learning & engagement
- ☺ Encourage pupils to have a voice
- ☺ Enable pupils to understand their emotions & feelings
- ☺ Secondary school /transition support
- ☺ Children in the care system/ LAC
- ☺ Loss/ separation/ migration



Learning Mentor Role Parents/ Carers Guide



Working in partnership

- * Early Help Support for Families
- * Positive Parenting Programme

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- * Thrive Approach Practitioner
- * Personal Centred Counselling Skills
- * Protective Behaviours Work
- * Solution Focused Work

How can pupils receive this additional support?

- Class teacher's may refer a pupil
- The Head/ Senior Leadership Team or SENDCo may refer a pupil
- Your child may refer themselves
- Parents/ Carers could approach the Learning Mentor with a concern about their child.

If your child has been referred to work with the school's Learning Mentor, either on a 1:1 or small group work, you may be informed and invited in to school for a chat to discuss the referral and any thoughts you may have regarding your

