



# CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL



WEEKLY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER – Friday 28 April 2023

## THANK YOU PTA

This week we have had a very exciting delivery for WHR site – beautiful, giant, colourful bean bags for the children's library, all thanks to the PTA.

The children have loved using the newly decorated space to read a book of their choice or their weekly reading scheme book to an adult.



Next week, we will be busy preparing for King Charles III Coronation Celebrations. The PTA have very kindly organised and funded a range of Bouncy castles to help celebrate in style. Look out for photos on the school Twitter account and the class gallery pages for lots of photos.



Remember

**Nursery: Wednesday 3 May**

children to wear red, white or blue clothing

**Reception – Year 6: Friday 5 May**

children to wear red, white or blue clothing.



## SCHOOL MASS

Mass on **Tuesday 9 May**

**Reception, Year 1 and Year 5 pupils** will be attending Mass.

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>.



## SUNDAY MASS

9.00am Sunday Mass



**Sunday 14 May 9am-**  
**Year 6 Reading at church**

Children in Years 3 – 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



### Road to Emmaus

*Mission*

"Did not our hearts burn within us as he talked to us on the road..."

The two friends who met Jesus on the road to Emmaus experienced his love burning in their hearts. They ran to tell people that Jesus had risen.

Is there someone you can share God's love with and tell them that Jesus is risen?





## SAFEGUARDING AT CTK!

Pokémon GO has been among the world's most popular mobile games since its release in 2016. In Pokémon GO – like the Pokémon TV show, trading card series and other video games – players capture, train and battle with their Pokémon creatures: physically exploring locations while using augmented reality via their phone's screen. The game generally provides a positive experience, but there are still some safety concerns to consider. In the guide, you'll find tips on avoiding potential risks such as environmental hazards, strangers and data collection.

### What Parents Need to Know about POKÉMON GO

Pokémon GO has been among the world's most popular mobile games since its spectacular release in 2016. It's recently enjoyed a resurgence, thanks partly to people combining entertainment and exercise during lockdown, in Pokémon GO – like the Pokémon TV show, trading card series and other video games – players capture, train and battle with their Pokémon creatures: physically exploring locations while using augmented reality via their phone's screen. The game generally provides a positive experience, but there are still some safety concerns to consider.

**AGE RESTRICTION**  
PEGI 7

#### ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

Pokémon GO requires players to visit in-game landmarks like Pokéstops and Gyms. These are often situated at public real-world locations such as churches or post offices. Sometimes, however, they can inadvertently end up being placed in dangerous areas which are unsuitable for children, even when accompanied by an adult, near a construction site or a main road, for example.

#### STRANGERS & MEETING OFFLINE

Players often cooperate with friends in the game, and there are many online discussion groups. As well as sharing tips and info, these groups may arrange to meet offline to catch Pokémon or attend raids (communal events where players flock to the same real-world place for a mass battle). This can put children at risk of being messaged and invited to meet by strangers under the pretence of talking about the game.

#### DATA COLLECTION

When a player logs into their Pokémon GO account, the game collects personal data about the user and their device. Locations, emails, names, ages and even camera images can all be accessed. What then happens to this information is open to debate. Niantic, the game's developers, maintain that they do not sell user information to third parties – but the fact that they have it at all is a concern, nonetheless.

#### VISIBLE PROFILES & LOCATION

Pokémon GO players can add each other as 'friends' in the game by sharing their trainer codes. Two trainers who do this can then view each other's information, such as their username. If a username gives any clues to the player's real name or personal details, a stranger may then be able to look them up online. The game also lets users upload images to social media, which could publicly disclose a child's exact location.

#### IN-GAME PURCHASES

The game uses a currency called Pokécoins, which can be bought for real money (in bundles between £0.79 and £99.99) and exchanged for in-game items such as Pokéballs and berries. It's extremely easy for a child to purchase Pokécoins (even accidentally) if there's a payment method connected to their mobile phone – and possibly rack up a sizeable bill without realising it!

### Advice for Parents & Carers

#### PLAY ALONGSIDE YOUR CHILD

Finding and catching Pokémon with young ones could turn into a great mutual hobby. At 25 years old, it's one of the few games franchises that spans two generations. Enjoying the game together will give you plenty of new things to talk about with your child – and if you played Pokémon in your own childhood, you might impress them with your knowledge of the digital critters!

#### ENCOURAGE AWARENESS

Remind your child of the physical dangers they could face while catching Pokémon and emphasise staying aware of their surroundings. The game will often alert children (through their phone) when they are close to an interesting Pokémon item – usually sending them excitedly rushing off to find it – so they should never play Pokémon GO near busy roads or in places they don't know well.

#### DISGUISE THE EXERCISE

One of Pokémon GO's benefits is that it encourages young (and not-so-young!) ones to get exercise outdoors. Some parts of the game can be completed from home, but it's best experienced while walking around your local area. Certain tasks (like visiting Pokéstops) can be repeated every day – and an hour outside having fun catching Pokémon will hardly feel like exercise at all!

#### USE AN OLDER PHONE

If children use an older phone to play Pokémon GO, then they won't be walking around with their own new device, which could get broken or stolen. Parents are also far less likely to have left a credit card linked to the old mobile. It also means that you can limit the amount of information used to set up an account, and what companies who gain access to your data can do with it.

#### AGREE PLAY BOUNDARIES

Ensure your child knows where they are (and aren't) allowed to go searching for Pokémon, when they have to be home, and how often they can play the game. Talk to other young Pokémon GO fans' parents or carers to see what boundaries they set for their children. Lunchtimes (if allowed by the school) or after school are ideal times for getting some exercise and catching all those Pokémon!

#### Meet Our Expert

Mark Foster has worked in the gaming industry for several years as a writer, editor and presenter. He is the gaming editor of two of the biggest gaming news sites in the world, UNILAD Gaming and CNET Mobile. Having started gaming at a young age with his siblings, he has a passion for understanding how games and tech work – but, more importantly, how to make them safe and fun.

**NOS** National Online Safety  
#WakeUpWednesday

Sources: <https://theonline-safety.com/blog/is-pokemon-go-safe/>  
<https://bleedinggold.com/games/pokemon-go-announce-quality-of-life-updates-for-february-2021/>





# CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL



## DIARY DATES FOR SUMMER TERM 2023

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

### Scots Lane:

#### Monday 1 May

3.30pm — Chess Club KS2

3.30pm — Girls Football Training

#### Tuesday 2 May

8.00am — Tennis Yr3 & 4

3.30pm — Boys Football Training

3.30pm — Hi5 Training

#### Wednesday 3 May

8.00am — Tennis - Yr 5 & 6

12.30pm — CL12 Swimming

3.30pm — Girl's Football Club

#### Thursday 4 May

10.00am — CL9 Swimming

3.30pm — Girls Football Training

#### Friday 5 May

3.30pm — Boys Football Club

### Westhill Road Site:

#### Tuesday 2 May

3.15pm Chill Out Club — Mrs Hagyard —  
finish 4.15pm

## TEACHER TRAINING DAYS FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 22-23

Friday 30<sup>th</sup> September 2022

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> June 2023

Monday 24<sup>th</sup> July 2023

Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> July 2023

ECO MESSAGE



## HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ...

Giselle S

Rorie D

Cole H

Henry H

Oliwia B

Kendall C

Callum K

Lochlan L





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## MESSAGE FROM THE PTA



***Christ the King PTA are very pleased to host Happy's Circus for this exciting one-off extravaganza!***

Date: Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> July 2023

Where: Christ the King school, Scots Lane site

Timings: Gates open at 4pm

Show starts: 6pm

Happy's Big Top will be pitched up on the school field at our Scots Lane Site for a fun filled show which will be hosted by Happy's Ring Mistress and have performances from their Clown, Acrobats, Aerialists and Magician.

Tickets are priced at £10 per ticket or £36 for a family ticket (4 tickets including at least 1 adult)

We expect this to be a sell-out event ***so roll up roll up***, don't delay, and use the link or QR code below to book your tickets today.

### Tickets

<https://www.pta-events.co.uk/ctkpta>

or



In addition, CTK PTA will be hosting some of your usual favourite stalls prior to the show and food will be available from a selection of Local food vendors. If you are available to help, there will be a volunteer sign up option on link above.

We cannot wait for you to join us at this amazing event.

Any queries should be direct to Christ the King PTA – Email [christthekingpta@gmail.com](mailto:christthekingpta@gmail.com)

Many thanks

CTK PTA

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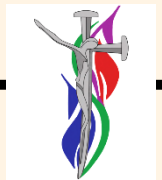
## 2022 / 2023 PTA EVENTS PLANNER

| DATE         | EVENT                                                                                                                                |
|--------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Fri 14th Oct | <b>Halloween Disco</b><br>Nursery & Reception 5:30pm - 6:15pm<br>Yrs 1, 2 & 3 - 6:30pm - 7:30pm<br>Yrs 3, 4, 5 & 6 - 7:45pm - 8:45pm |
| Sat 26th Nov | <b>Christmas Bazaar</b><br>12pm - 3pm                                                                                                |
| Wed 11th Jan | <b>Movies &amp; Munchies</b><br>3:15pm - 5pm                                                                                         |
| Fri 10th Feb | <b>Valentines Disco</b><br>Nursery & Reception 5:30pm - 6:15pm<br>Yrs 1, 2 & 3 6:30pm - 7:30pm<br>Yrs 4, 5 & 6 7:45pm - 8:45pm       |
| Thur 6th Jul | <b>Happy Circus</b><br>Timings TBC                                                                                                   |

### Contact Details

Follow us on **Facebook** @ChristTheKingPTA and  
**Twitter** @CTKPTACOV or contact us via  
email: [Christthekingpta@gmail.com](mailto:Christthekingpta@gmail.com).





## SUMMER TERM DATES

### Forest School and Enrichment Day Planner

#### Summer Term

Please note – dates may be subject to change

| When?                                                       | Who?          |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|
| Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> and Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> April | Class 7       |
| Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup> and Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> April | Class 8       |
| Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> ( AM only)                         | Class 1       |
| Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> May (AM only)                        | Class 2       |
| w/b 8 <sup>th</sup> May                                     | KS2 SATs Week |
| Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> May ( all day)                      | Class 3       |
| Wednesday 24 <sup>h</sup> May ( all day)                    | Class 4       |
| HALF TERM                                                   |               |
| w/b 5 <sup>th</sup> June                                    | Science Week  |
| Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup> June (all day)                   | Class 11      |
| Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> June ( all day)                     | Class 12      |
| Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> June (all day)                     | Class 5       |
| Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> June ( all day)                  | Class 6       |
| Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> June (all day)                    | Class 9       |
| Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> June ( all day)                     | Class 10      |
| Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> July ( all day)                     | Class 14      |
| Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> July ( all day)                      | Class 13      |
| SUMMER HOLIDAY                                              |               |





## SUMMER TERM DTAEs

# IT'S SHOWTIME

## CTK PERFORMANCE PLANNER 2022-23

| Who?   | What?                        | When?                                      |
|--------|------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|
| Year 4 | Mousike Ensemble Performance | Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> May 2:15pm at SL |

## Class Assemblies

| Who?     | When?                                    | Where?        |
|----------|------------------------------------------|---------------|
| Class 11 | Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> May<br>9:00am | Scots Lane    |
| Class 1  | Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> June<br>9:10am   | Westhill Road |





# CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

## SUMMER TERM DATES



Christ the King Catholic Primary School  
invites you to

# Sports Festival Week

Join the fun

Follow your child around the track as they complete a range of sporting events.

Please note that this is an outside event so dates may change due to the weather

*Where:* **All events will be held at SL site**

| Date                | Year Group | Time                                                                                             |
|---------------------|------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Monday 26th June    | Year 5     | 9am - 10:30am                                                                                    |
|                     | Nursery AM | 10:30 - 11:30am ( children to be collected from SL site at 11:30am)                              |
|                     | Reception  | 1:45 - 3:15pm ( including Nursery PM pupils )<br>children to be collected form SL site at 3:15pm |
| Tuesday 27th June   | Year 4     | 9am - 10:30am                                                                                    |
|                     | Year 2     | 1:45 - 3:15pm (children to be collected form SL site at 3:15pm)                                  |
| Wednesday 28th June | Year 3     | 9am - 10:30am                                                                                    |
|                     | Year 1     | 1:45 - 3:15pm ( children to be collected form SL site at 3:15pm)                                 |
| Friday 30th June    | Year 6     | 9am – 10:30am                                                                                    |





## **SUMMER TERM DATES**

Please be aware of the changes to class PE days during the **second half of the spring term** .



### CLASS PE TIMETABLE

### Summer TERM one - 2023

CHILDREN ARE TO WEAR THEIR PE KIT TO SCHOOL ON THE DAY OF THEIR LESSON.

#### Monday

- Year 2
- Year 3
- Year 6

#### Tuesday

- Year 4

#### Wednesday

- Nursery
- Year 4
- Year 5

#### Thursday

- Reception
- Year 5
- Year 6

#### Friday

- Year 1
- Year 3

#### CTK PE Uniform

- CTK Navy Sports T-shirt
- CTK Hoodie or Navy/ black plain tracksuit  
(No branded sports labels - adidas/Nike etc)
- Sports trainers (not converse/ vans/fashion trainers please)





## INTERNET SAFETY WORKSHOPS FOR PARENTS & CARERS

V1.0

**FREE ONLINE** workshop for parents and carers to help keep their **children safe online**.  
Hosted by West Midlands Police in partnership with Coventry City Council's Prevent Team.

We will share **guidance and strategies** on how to make the internet a safer experience for children.

The following topics will be explored:

- Apps and appropriate ages
- Safety settings
- Grooming, sexting, bullying, radicalisation and extremism
- Gaming
- Introducing house rules
- How to approach conversations and what to do if your child is a victim

To view dates and times and to book a place, please [click here](#) or scan the QR code above



West Midlands  
**POLICE**





## Children and Young People's Mental Health Drop-In Event

9:30am – 2pm, 16 May 2023

Council House, Earl Street, Coventry, CV1 5RR

Do you work with Children and Young People in Coventry?

Are you unsure where to get Mental Health support and advice?

Drop-in to our free Mental Health Event to chat to services, network with professionals and listen to a series of presentations introducing their services.

Refreshments (tea / coffee) will be provided so feel free to grab a drink and have a chat with services.

[Sign up here](#)

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Positive Choices  
Young People's Substance  
Misuse, Relationship and  
Sexual Health Service  
Coventry

**NHS**  
Coventry and  
Warwickshire  
Integrated Care Board

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Warwickshire



**RISE**



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**TeenVine**



Coventry  
Safeguarding  
Children  
PARTNERSHIP



Coventry **SEND**  
Support Service  
Social, Emotional,  
Mental Health and  
Learning



[www.coventry.gov.uk/mentalhealth](http://www.coventry.gov.uk/mentalhealth)





## Family Learning Coventry Adult Education Service

### Explore With Me (stay and play)

Pathways Family Hub - Radford

These free sessions are for parents/carers with children aged 0 to 5

We will:

- Share ideas to help you to support your child to understand science and nature
- Share resources with you and your child to enjoy during and after the sessions
- Share ideas which will help you to support your child's development
- Address any questions or concerns you may have regarding your child's learning and development

#### When:-

Thursday 1.00 – 3.00

27<sup>th</sup> April – 6<sup>th</sup> July 2023



#### How to enrol:-

Enquire at the hub or visit the Adult Education website below

<https://www.coventry.gov.uk/adulted>

To find out more contact:

kate.steventon@coventry.gov.uk or 024 7697 8730

steve.withers@coventry.gov.uk or 024 7697 1301

Family Learning – programmes that promote strong positive relationships within families; enabling parents and carers to support their children's learning and development.





Period: 2022 to 2023  
Courses for Parents and  
those Caring for Children



Here is the link to the CWRISE page with some very useful videos for parents whose children may be awaiting diagnosis/assessment of ASD/ADHD or have other difficulties such as sensory processing or emotional regulation difficulties.

<https://cwrise.com/parent-and-carer-resources>

You can also click on the link below to watch parenting seminars on the RISE site.

<https://www.coventry.gov.uk/children-families/positive-parenting/3>





# CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL



Period: 2022 to 2023  
Courses for Parents and  
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## Courses available online – via Zoom

|                                                                                                                                                             |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Understanding and Supporting School Aged Children Who Self-harm – 1 session – Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> February 2023, 12:30pm to 2:30pm                      |
| Understanding Sensory Needs in School Aged Children – 1 session – Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> March 2023, 12:30pm to 2:30pm                                   |
| Understanding Low Mood in Children and Young People – 1 session – Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> March, 10am to 12pm                                             |
| Understanding and Supporting Children Aged 3-11 Years with Anxiety – 1 session – Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> May 2023, 10am to 12pm                              |
| Understanding and Supporting Children Aged 12+ Years with Anxiety – 1 session – Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> May 2023, 12:30pm to 2:30pm                       |
| Understanding Emotional Regulation in School Aged Children – 1 session – Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> May 2023, 12:30pm to 2:30pm                             |
| Understanding and Supporting Children and Young People with Emotionally Based School Avoidance – 1 session – Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> June 2023, 10am to 12pm |
| Understanding Self-esteem in Children and Young People – 1 session – Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> June 2023, 12:30pm to 2:30pm                                   |
| Understanding and Supporting School Aged Children Who Self-harm – 1 session – Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> June 2023, 10am to 12pm                             |
| Understanding Sensory Needs in School Aged Children – 1 session – Friday 30 <sup>th</sup> June 2023, 10am to 12pm                                           |
| Understanding Low Mood in Children and Young People – 1 session – Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July 2023, 12:30pm to 2:30pm                                       |

Our Academy is not a School, College or Academy in the traditional sense of the word, you don't need to be academically minded to attend and there are no tests, exams or assessments. The Academy delivers a learning approach to personal recovery and wellbeing that is offered by a partnership of organisations across Coventry and Warwickshire. We offer a wide range of FREE courses and workshops designed to empower you to become an expert in your own recovery and wellbeing.

**For course descriptions and to enrol, please see website below:**





## 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.





# CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL



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
- .....
- \* 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

