



CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL



WEEKLY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER – Friday 6th October 2023

CATHOLIC LIFE AT CTK

This week we welcomed parents into school for the year 3 Prayer service and the Year 2 Family Faith Day.

The Year 3 pupils led their services beautifully and demonstrated great reverence.



On Friday, Mrs Ball led the first of many Family Faith Days. Year 2's focus was St Francis of Assisi. The children all made a beautiful bird box and a mini St Francis of Assisi.



Thank you to the parents and grandparents that were able to support the events. We appreciate how difficult it is for parents to get time away from work so please see the schools X (Twitter) account and the class galleries on the school website for photos from this week.

SCHOOL MASS

School mass on **Tuesday 10th October** will be led by Year 1 and 6 pupils.

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



Sunday 8 October 9am-
Year 5 pupils will be reading

Children in Years 3 – 6 are welcome to join staff in the choir loft

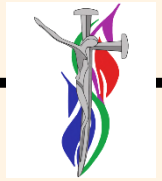
Children in Reception – Year 2 are welcome to participate in children's liturgy.

OUR MISSION THIS WEEK

Cornerstone

Take some time to pray about the parable we heard. Jesus is always moving towards you. Sit quietly and become aware of Jesus close to you. In your own words, invite him into your heart.





MATHS AT CTK

At CTK, we are on an exciting journey with Mathematics. We are implementing a 'mastery approach', where we hope to create masters of the subject. We want our children to understand concepts in a deep and meaningful way and be able to explain their understanding and thought processes.

The children are loving the Power Maths scheme, and this year, we are trying hard to use manipulatives and representations in our daily learning.



Class 4 creating a human part whole model to represent their number sentence.



Y4 using dienes and counters to build numbers.

Y6 using cubes to support their understanding.



WE NEED YOU...

We are in the process of updating our school vision for Mathematics and we would love the input of our parents!

Please could you follow the link or scan the QR code to answer the question:

In Maths, our children should be...

confident

problem solvers



know facts

accurate

excited

<https://www.menti.com/alvyva3jn8c3>





SAFEGUARDING AT CTK



Unfortunately, we have an increasing number of dangerous drivers at both WHR and SL site. This is putting both children and adults at risk.

Over the last two weeks staff have witnessed a number of adults -

- Driving into the church carpark at WHR through the exit route .
- Parking at WHR in front of the school gates and blocking the emergency exit as well as causing a traffic jam.
- Leaving car engines on while adults run into school to collect their child.
- Parking on double yellow lines or on the yellow zig zag lines.
- Parking over the entrance to Fullers Close near SL site causing a traffic jam and not allowing children and adults to cross the road safely.

The above incidents have caused great concerns for both staff and parents. Please take the time to park sensibly when dropping your child off at school or collecting them at the end of the day.

We would also advise parents that have to park in the church carpark at WHR site to not move their vehicle between 3:10 - 3:25 until all of the children have safely left the site.





CTK PTA Invites you to the 2023 Halloween Disco

Our annual spooky spectacular will take place in the Westhill Road school Hall on **Friday 20 October 2023.**

****Tickets £2.50 per child****

Timings are as follows:

Westhill Road children:	Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and 2	6.00pm – 7.00pm
Scots Lane children:	Year 3, 4, 5 & 6	7.30pm – 8.30pm

Please complete the booking form below and make payment direct into the PTA bank account, adding your child's name and class as the reference (account details are provided at the end of the booking form). Tickets will be issued upon receipt of payment. We must receive a booking form submission per child (please ensure that you hit the submit button at the end or it won't register your request).

Booking form link

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1IZXMAgXwRcOtiBty7hSzsTDKhJ0kaDyk2BsEvTAMBwg/viewform?edit_requested=true

Nursery parents should accompany their child/children to the disco. All other children should be dropped at the school using the Year 2 entrance on the Westhill Road playground and collected from the entry between the school and the CTK Club at the end of the disco.

As always there will be a range of Halloween treats on sale at the discos, including the usual tuck shop, glow products and glitter tattoos. Prices range from 30p to £1.50 per item.

If you would like to help out at any of the discos, please drop an email to christthekingpta@gmail.com with your availability.

We look forward to welcoming the children back and having lots of fun.





CTK PTA INVITES
YOU TO
JOIN US FOR A

Halloween Disca

FRIDAY OCT 20TH
WHR SITE SCHOOL HALL

Nursery, Reception, Yrs 1, & 2 –
6:00pm – 7:00pm

Yrs 3, 4, 5 & 6 –
7:30pm – 8:30pm

TICKETS £2.50

Email us at:
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CTK PTA NEWS



PLAY OUR SUPERDRAW



WIN A HARRY POTTER BUNDLE

- Win Tickets to Harry Potter and the Cursed Child
- AND a family pass to the Warner Bros Studio Tour!
- Tickets from just £1 a week
- Play now and support our school!

BUY TICKETS:
Go to: **YourSchoolLottery.co.uk**
And search for: **Christ the King**



Draw date Saturday 28th October. See website for terms and conditions

GambleAware 18+

The simplest way to start supporting the school via the PTA is by signing up to our School Lottery.

This is a great way to support the school and the latest additional prize up for grabs is a Family Ticket to Warner Bro Studio Tour and a £500 theatre voucher (see attached poster for more info).

For £1 a ticket every week there is a cash winner from our school (the more people playing the bigger the prize pot) and also the chance for someone to win the jackpot of upto £25k.

Contact Details

Follow us on Facebook @ChristTheKingPTA

X previously known as Twitter @CTKPTACOV

or contact us via e-mail: christthekingpta@gmail.com.

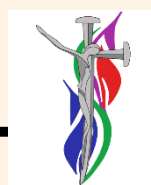
You can sign up
<https://yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/christ-the-king-catholic-primary-school>





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IMPORTANT DATES FOR THE TERM AHEAD



October

Thursday 12th October - Whole School Photo including Nursery (all pupils to wear their school tie and white shirt)

Friday 13th October @ 9:00am – Year 5 Family Faith Day

Friday 20th October @ 9:00am – Class 9 and Class 10 Prayer Service

December

Friday 8th December @ 9:00am – Class 13 and Class 14 Prayer Service

Thursday 14th December – Reception Vision Screening

Friday 15th December @ 9:00am – Class 3 and Class 4 Prayer Service

Thursday 21st December @ 6pm – Christ the King Carol Service at CTK Church (Reception – Year 6 pupils)

November

Thursday 9th November @ 9:00am – WHR site Remembrance Day Service

Friday 10th November @ 2:00pm – SL site Remembrance Day Service

Thursday 23rd November @ 9:00am – Reception Family Faith Day

Friday 24th November – Individual and Siblings Photo Day

Sunday 26th November – Thursday 30th November – Yr6 Plas Dol-y-Moch

IT'S SHOWTIME		
CTK PERFORMANCE PLANNER 2023-24		
Who?	What?	When?
Year 6	Ricky's Dance Show	Thursday 26 th October at 2:15pm SL site
Year 3	Ricky's Dance Show	Thursday 7 th December at 2:15pm SL site
Year 4	Ricky's Dance Show	Thursday 14 th December at 2:15pm WHR site
Year 5	Christmas Pantomime	Thursday 14 th December at 2pm (x2 tickets per child)
Year 5	Christmas Pantomime	Thursday 14 th December at 6pm (x2 tickets per child)
Nursery and Reception	Christmas Nativity	Monday 18 th December at 9:15am (x2 tickets per child)
Nursery and Reception	Christmas Nativity	Tuesday 19 th December at 2pm (x2 tickets per child)
Class Assemblies		
Who?	When?	Where?
Class 4	Wednesday 25 th October at 9:00am	Westhill Road
Class 3	Thursday 26 th October at 9:00am	Westhill Road
Class 5	Wednesday 22 nd November at 9:00am	Westhill Road
Class 6	Thursday 30 th November at 9:00am	Westhill Road





PUPIL LED FUNDRAISER

Over the next few weeks , Katie, Rochelle and Hope from Year 6 are organising a fundraising event for the Fosehill Community Centre. The event will take place in school at break times.

The girls will be selling a range of goodies on their stall where all money raised will be donated.

If you child would like to support the fundraising event we ask that they bring in small change to buy an item from the stall.

Please be aware that this event is only for SL pupils.

Item	Price
Lucky Dip	60p
Scrunchies	£1 each
Guess the name of the Teddy	30p
Cakes	30p
Drinks - Squash	20p
Fizzy pop	50p
Lollypop Box	40p

Katie, Rochelle and Hope are also requesting donations of the following items for the Fosehill Community Centre .














- **Tea / coffee / sugar**
- **Tins of meat / vegetables/ potatoes**
- **Pasta sauce / curry sauce**
- **Tins of Tuna**

If you would like to donate please ensure the children bring in an item by Monday 23rd October.





ATTENDANCE AT CTK

WHR site		SL site	
Class Name	Weekly Attendance 02/10/2023 – 06/10/2023	Class Name	Weekly Attendance 02/10/2023 – 06/10/2023
Nursery	93.2%	Class 7	96.8% 
Class 1	97.6% 	Class 8	96.7% 
Class 2	97.8% 	Class 9	96.7% 
Class 3	96.7% 	Class 10	93.2%
Class 4	99.0% 	Class 11	98.0% 
Class 5	95.7% 	Class 12	98.7% 
Class 6	96.0% 	Class 13	95.0% 
		Class 14	97.6% 

Why is good attendance important?

To ensure pupils reach their full potential both socially and academically a high level of attendance and punctuality is essential. **The expectation by the Department for Education and Local Authority is that all children's school attendance will be 95% or above each academic year.** By law, all children of compulsory school age must receive a suitable full-time education. Parents have a legal responsibility to make sure that their child attends school regularly. This means that your child should not have sessions of unauthorised absence.

Ongoing attendance percentage

At CTK we carefully monitor your child's attendance and punctuality percentage on a daily, weekly and monthly basis to ensure that pupils are attending school **for 95% of the time in line with the DfE expectations.**





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DIARY DATES FOR AUTUMN TERM 2023

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

Scots Lane:

Monday 9 October

3.30pm Chess Club KS2
3:30pm – 4:45pm Yr4 Forest School / Gardening Club

Tuesday 10 October

8.00am Tennis Yr3 & 4
3:30pm Hi5 Training
3:30pm Boys Football Team

Wednesday 11 October

8.00am Tennis - Yr 5 & 6
12.30pm CL11 Swimming
3.30pm Girl's Football Club

Thursday 12 October

3:30pm Girls Football Team

Friday 13 October

3.30pm Boys Football Club

TEACHER TRAINING DAYS FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 23-24

Friday 1st September 2023
Monday 4th September 2023
Friday 29th September 2023
Friday 17th November 2023
Monday 3rd June 2024

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ...

John R
Darci F
Bella G
Henry O
Orlaith G
Sienna McL
Benjamin B
Evie M
Ella S



Westhill Road Site:

Tuesday 10 October

3:15pm Chill Out Club with Mrs Hagyard

The
National
College

SAFEGUARDING AT CTK!

To create your account, please follow:
[https://nationalcollege.com/enrol/christ-the-king\[1\]catholic-primary-school-7](https://nationalcollege.com/enrol/christ-the-king[1]catholic-primary-school-7)





IMPORTANT DATES FOR THE TERM AHEAD

Forest School and Enrichment Day Planner

Autumn Term

Please note – dates may be subject to change

When?	Who?
Friday 8 th September	Class 14
Friday 15 th September	Class 13
Friday 22 nd September	Class 12
Friday 29 th September	TTD
Friday 6 th October	Class 11
Friday 13 th October	Class 10
Friday 20 th October	Class 8
Friday 27 th October	Class 9
HALF TERM	
Friday 10 th November	Class 6
Friday 17 th November	TTD
Friday 24 th November (Photo Day)	-
Friday 1 st December (Advent Day)	-
Friday 8 th December	Class 7
Friday 15 th December	Class 5
Friday 22 th December	Class 4
CHRISTMAS BREAK	

