

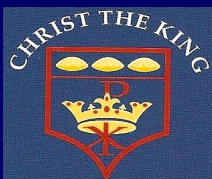


Christ the King Catholic Primary School

“Loving, learning, growing together as Christ’s family”



**Thank you to all the parents who attended our PTA AGM
which was held on Friday 14th.**



**Christ the King Catholic Primary School & Nursery,
with The ARK, A Specialist Resource
Lulworth Road, Reading RG2 8LX**

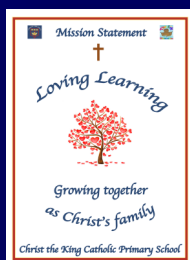
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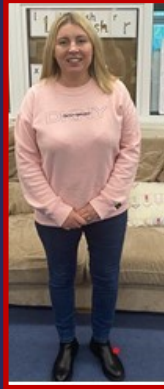
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At the PTA AGM the following parents were elected to carry out the following roles;



**Chair Person
Victoria Lendrum**



**Vice Chair
Rachel Bird**



**Treasurer
Ania Wysocka**



**Secretary
Aneta Jaworowska**

**The next PTA meeting will be held on
4th November
at 9am.**

**Everyone is welcome and it would be great to see you
there to support the PTA.**

**The events held by the PTA will be advertised in the
weekly newsletter so please check weekly and if you are
available to help at any of them please let the PTA
know.**

Thank you



Thank you all for taking part in Wear Pink 2022

This is the 21st year of wearing pink.

The Breast Cancer Charity is making a better future for everyone affected by breast cancer.

We've raised £226.95



Well done, everyone

Stars of the week

Miss Scott: Emilia, Georgie & Charlie

Miss Cowen: Lucas & Elisia

Mrs Beukes: Freddie & Carmelo

Miss Harris: Rasheed & Ezra

Mrs Tumelty: Wiktor & Michelle

Miss Nasrallah: D'Marley, Lucas & Archie

Mr Cosgrove & Miss Park: Beracha & Aniyah

Mrs Gooch: Joel & Isaac

Mrs Casey: Chloe & Keava

Miss Pearce: Aiobheann & Hasan

Mrs Bloom: Billy & Charlotte

Ark: Bihaan

Online Viewing Alert

It has been brought to our attention that a sinister character going by the name of 'Huggy Wuggy' is being viewed by our children online, some as young as Year 1. The character can be easily viewed on Youtube channels and is a rather sinister looking bear with razor sharp teeth that sings worrying songs about hugging and killing. It is a very deceiving character, as hugs should be seen as something kind and loving, and because of its cute name is able to infiltrate firewalls and filters. A similar game that children have also been viewing is Rainbow Friends, again it seems perfectly innocent but has a more sinister tone. The last thing we want to see is either of these games being recreated in the playground. Please be vigilant about what your children are watching as children can become upset and confused by what they see.

**Our PTA are kindly requesting donations of good condition
School Uniform, Coats, Bags, Football Boots, Shoes and
Christmas Jumpers.**

Any donations can be dropped off at the Office.

Thank you

We have updated many of our Policies on our website, they can be found in the Key Info tab under Policies. These include a new Pupil Absence & Attendance Policy. We recommend you take the time to read through these.

Healthy Snacks

We have noticed an increasing number of KS2 children bringing in a variety of unhealthy snacks for break time eg. Chocolate, cookies, crisps.

When the children start at CTK School in Nursery or Reception they eat healthy snacks that are fruit or vegetables. The Government scheme is to provide all Early Years and Key Stage One Children with a piece of fruit or veg until the end of year 2. We want to continue this healthy eating in KS2.

Can we ask that you provide your child with a healthy snack for their mid morning break . Examples of healthy snacks are: fruit, vegetables, rice cakes and bread sticks. If you are sending in fruit for your child to have at breaktime, such as grapes, please make sure the fruit is cut up.

Thank you

School Building Fund

Christ The King is a Voluntary Aided School. This means that our funding is slightly different from most other schools locally. In particular, it means that unlike our neighbouring schools we have to pay a set percentage of the cost of any major purchases or building work.

To enable us to do this we ask for a contribution of £10 per child, per term (based on three terms a year) The money we receive is allocated solely for our school's use and helps us to fund future projects which would otherwise not be possible.

The £10 contribution is paid via School Money and this term's contribution is now available for payment.

Appeal for Harvest Donations

We will be having our Harvest Mass on the 11th November 2022 and would like to ask for donations of non perishable food items please, which can be brought into school after half term.

Thank you

We apologise for changing the date for our Coffee afternoon

NEW DETAILS

22nd November 2022, At 2pm



This is the launch of our coffee afternoons. These will now be on a monthly basis, with guest speakers from outside agencies attending such as CaMHS & Jenna Redmond an ASD advisor, etc
Everyone's invited and it would be lovely to see you there.

Support for families

Reading Borough Council has announced how it will be using the Household Support Fund to help struggling families in Reading. Energy vouchers worth £49 are being distributed to eligible families and grants are being provided to local voluntary and community groups to help vulnerable residents with food and warm clothes for the winter. You can find details on the [RBC news website](#).

RBC Money Matters page

The council has created a new page on its website called Money Matters.

It includes links to websites and organisations which can provide support and advice to individuals and families who are struggling financially. It covers topics ranging from paying rent and mortgages to help with energy and food costs and your health and wellbeing. Visit: [Money Matters – cost of living - Reading Borough Council](#).

Gospel

“Jesus addressed this parable to those who were convinced of their own righteousness and despised everyone else.

Gospel – Luke 18:9-14

Christ the King Church Appeal



DONATION FOR CHURCH SCREENS PROJECTION & NEW AND IMPROVED SOUND SYSTEM

We appeal to all parishioners to consider donating for our Parish project to enable the installation of 2 Big Screen Projections, and new and improved sound system.

The average estimate of the two items is £20,000. Donations can be made to the Parish, different ways to donate include cash and cheque, in an envelope, by direct debit or as online donation. Please specify (screen and sound system donation) regardless of your preferred way to pay.



THE PARISH CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS CONTINUES.

We thank those who have responded. We still need much more. Signup forms are at the entrance of the church. Details are in the newsletter. Please, kindly respond.

School Dinners

The cost of a school dinner is £2.28 per day.

When your child reaches Year 3, you need to pay for school meals.

Break time snacks

Please ensure your child only brings in a healthy snack for break times.

Water Bottles

Please can we remind all parents to send their children to school with a named water bottle which should only contain water. No Fizzy drinks please.

Reading Books

We are missing a large number of our Read, Write, Inc books. Please can we ask all parents to have a look at home and return them. Thank you

Save the dates

24th – 28th October 2022
Half Term - School Closed
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31 October to 4th November 2022
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9th November 2022
Parent Consultations
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9th, 10th, 11th November 2022
Junior Music Festival at the
Hexagon
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11th November 2022
Harvest Mass
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Coffee Afternoon
22nd November 2022 at 2pm
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25th November 2022
Panto
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Non Attendance

If you are contacting the school office to advise your child will not be attending school, please clearly state:

Day, child's name, class and reason.

Breakfast Club

Breakfast Club runs from 7:30 every morning. The price is £3.50 per day

Afterschool Club

Monday to Friday until 6pm, £10 per session. Please use School Money to book online or ask at the school office if you have any queries.

Next year's term dates (2022-2023)

Autumn Term

24th – 28th October 2022 – Half Term - School Closed

20th December 2022 – End of Term, School closes at 1:30

Spring Term

4th January 2023 – INSET Day – School Closed

5th January 2023 - Start of School Term

13th – 17th February 2023 – Half Term – School Closed

31st March 2023 – End of Term, School closes at 1:30

Summer Term

17th April 2023 – INSET Day – School Closed

18th April 2023 – Start of School Term

29th May – 2nd June 2023 – Half Term School Closed

7th July 2023 – INSET Day – School Closed

Maths Ninjas

Shodan: Eden, Deziray

Nidan: Charlotte, Joshua, James

Sandan: Amelia, Lennette, Chloe

Yondan: Ana Maria, Isla, Bethel, Antonia

Godan: Natalie

Come Talk to us About your 5-18yr Child's Vaccines!



- ✓ To Talk
- ✓ To Give Consent
- ✓ To Vaccinate
- ✓ Child Friendly Environment
- ✓ Translation Services Available

At St Matthew's Church, RG30 3AX On 07/10/22

At Tesco Oxford Road, RG30 1AW On 11/10/22

At Palmer Park Leisure Centre, RG6 1LF On 03/11/22

At Morrisons Supermarket, RG2 0HB On 07/11/22



SEND MULTI SPORTS CAMP

THE AVENUE SCHOOL
CONWY CL. TILEHURST, READING, RG30 4BZ

for ages 8 - 18 years

MONDAY 24TH OCTOBER
TUESDAY 25TH OCTOBER
WEDNESDAY 26TH OCTOBER
10:30 AM TO 2 PM

£10 PER DAY

PLEASE NOTE THIS CAMP IS A SEND CAMP AND IS FOR CHILDREN WITH
DISABILITIES

WWW.OFFICIALSOCCERSCHOOLS.CO.UK/READINGFC/SEND-EASTER-MULTI-SPORT-CAMP-DISABILITY-ONLY-8-16-YEARS.HTML



To book a place simply scan QR code



READING FC
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TRUST

October Half Term SEND Short Break offer

Reading Play are offering **SEND** Short Break during the October half term.



SEND Holiday Short Breaks for 4-12yr olds.

Session one 10 – 1pm Age 4 to 8 years

Low ropes
Art and crafts
Bird box making
Soft archery
Mini golf

Session two 2pm to 5pm - Age 8 to 12 years

Climbing wall
Archery
Mini golf
Fire pit and marshmallow making
Dodgeball

***some activities maybe weather dependent**

Who to contact

Contact Name	Reading Play
Telephone	0118 937 3283 0118 937 2952
E-mail	reading.play@reading.gov.uk

SEND PLAY CAMP

THE AVENUE SCHOOL
CONWY CL, TILEHURST, READING, RG30 4BZ

for ages 5 - 7 years

MONDAY 24TH OCTOBER
TUESDAY 25TH OCTOBER
10AM TO 1PM
£10 PER DAY

PLEASE NOTE THIS CAMP IS AN SEND CAMP AND IS FOR
CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES ONLY

Please note we can not accept the current medical conditions:
Epilepsy, Peg Feeding and Asthma

For further details & to book your place please go to or scan the QR code

<https://officialsoccerschools.co.uk/readingfc/send-play-course-the-avenue-school-rg30-4bz-5-years-7-years.html>



**READING FC
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TRUST**

October Half Term SEN Theatre Workshops

- Fun and inclusive drama and movement workshops for young people with learning disabilities and/or autism
- Engaging workshops for young people with complex needs/PMLD including multi-sensory theatre



The Avenue School, Tilehurst

MLD/ASD

Ages 7-25

- Wednesday 26th October
9.30am - 12.30pm
- Thursday 27th October
9.30am - 12.30pm
- Friday 28th October
9.30am - 12.30pm

Complex Needs - PMLD/PASD/SLD

Ages 5-9

- Thursday 27th October
1.00pm - 3.00pm

Complex Needs - PMLD/PASD/SLD

Ages 10+

- Wednesday 26th October
1.00pm - 4.00pm
- Friday 28th October
1.00pm - 4.00pm

There are a mix of part-funded (short breaks) and non-funded places available, more detail can be found at our booking site:

<https://makesensetheatre.pembee.app/>

or by contacting Rosie at:
rosie@makesensetheatre.com





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Rockets Half Term Camps

@John Madejski Academy

Monday 24th October



ALL GIRLS CAMP

AGE: 11-16 YEAR OLDS

TIME: 10AM - 2PM

COST: £24

MINI SHOOTING MASTERCLASS

AGE: 8-10 YEAR OLDS

TIME: 2.30-3.30PM

COST: £10

TUESDAY 25th October

2 DAY COMMUNITY CAMP

AGE: 11-16 YEAR
OLDS

TIME: 10AM-2PM

COST: £54

[Players must
attend both days]

SEN SENIOR SESSION

[FOR PEOPLE WITH ADDITIONAL NEEDS]

AGE: 14+

TIME: 2.30-4PM

COST: £10

WEDNESDAY 26th October

MINI SKILLS MASTERCLASS

AGE: 8-10 YEAR OLDS

TIME: 2.30-3.30PM

COST: £10

THURSDAY 27th October

MICRO BALLERS CAMP

AGE: 4-7 YEAR OLDS

TIME: 10AM-1PM

COST: £18

SENIOR SHOOTING MASTERCLASS

AGE: 11-16 YEAR OLDS

TIME: 1.30-2.30PM

COST: £10

FRIDAY 28th October

MINIBALLERS CAMP

AGE: 8-10 YEAR OLDS

TIME: 10AM - 2PM

COST: £24

SENIOR SKILLS MASTERCLASS

AGE: 11-16 YEAR OLDS

TIME: 2.30-3.30PM

COST: £10

To View Camp details and to book your place. Please visit

www.readingrockets.co.uk

Visit the "want to play" section and select
"school holiday camps"



October Half Term SEND Short Breaks – The information below has been provided by Make Sense Theatre and Reading Football Club Community Trust – Please contact them directly to find out more or to book a place

SEND October Half Term - Make/Sense Theatre

Wednesday-Friday; 26th-28th October 2022 at ~~The~~ Avenue School in ~~Tilehurst~~ Reading.

MLD/ASD - age 7-25 - 3 hours Wednesday October 26th 2022 9.30-12.30;

Thursday October 27th 2022 9.30-12.30; Friday October 28th 2022 9.30-12.30

Complex Needs - PMLD/PASD/SLD - age 10+ - 3 hours Wednesday October

26th 1-4pm; Friday October 28th 1-4pm

Complex Needs - PMLD/PASD/SLD -age 5-9 -2 hours Thursday October 27th 1-3pm

To book on these workshops contact Rosie Durance

Email: rosie@makesensetheatre.com Tel: 07554 664825

For more details visit the Family Information Service/SEND Local Offer website

[SEND October Half Term - Make/Sense Theatre | Reading Services Guide](#)

October Half term SEND Short Breaks - Multi sports camps. Delivered by RFC Community Trust

~~Multisports~~ camps at the Avenue School in Reading. We have qualified coaches that have experience working with a number of disabilities. Our coaches aim to make the camps a fun learning environment with a whole host of sports on offer including specialist sports.

This half term we will be working with Reading Rockets and British Judo giving the children the chance to try new adapted sports and learn new skills.

The camps are running on the following dates:

Monday 24th October 10:30 - 14:00

Tuesday 25th October 10:30 -14:00

Wednesday 26th October 10:30 - 14:00

Camps are for those Aged 8 to 18 years old.

Tel: 0118 907 2160

Email: drook@readingfc.co.uk

<https://officialsoccerschools.co.uk/readingfc/send-multi-sports-course-disabilities-only-24th-25th-26th-october-the-avenue-school-rg30-4bz.html>

October Half term SEND Short Breaks - Multi sports camps. Delivered by RFC Community Trust | Reading Services Guide

October Half Term Short Breaks - SEND Play Course October 2022 - RFC

The course takes place at the Avenue School in Reading and will have experienced play staff on the course.

The children will engage in the following activities:

Soft Play / Sensory Play / Outdoor Play

The course is on the following dates: Monday 24th and Tuesday 25th October

from 10:00 - 13:00 Tel: 0118 907 2160 Email: drook@readingfc.co.uk

<https://officialsoccerschools.co.uk/readingfc/send-play-course-the-avenue-school-rg30-4bz-5-years-7-years.html>



uSports

0118 449 2641

info@u-sports.co.uk

www.u-sports.co.uk

Autumn 2022

Christ the King

BOOK NOW

<https://usports.class4kids.co.uk/term/376>

Dear Parents and Guardians,

uSports are pleased to announce that we will be delivering the following after-school clubs at Christ the King in the Autumn Term.

Multi

Skills

Year 1-2 | Monday | 3.15pm - 4.15pm

Football

Year 3-4 | Friday | 3.15pm - 4.15pm

Prices

Multi Sports | £4 per session

Best Wishes,

Charlie Hiscox
uSports

How To Book

1. Click the 'Book Now' button or type in the link underneath
2. Scroll to find the right club
3. Add your child's details
4. Book your child's place
5. Pay for your session once we have confirmed and booked you on



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Book online at www.leightonpark.com/visit-leighton-park





Brighter
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Children

Group PPP

Positive parenting programme

 18 January - 22 March 2023

 9.30-11.30am

 Civic Centre, 19 Bridge St, Reading RG1 2LU

★ Is your child aged 4-11 years old?

★ Do you want to support your child when they show distressing behaviour?

★ Do you need support to help your child self-regulate?

Join our evidence-based flexible parenting programme.

The group aims to strengthen the relationship between you and your child. It will help you to understand your child's development and equip you with strategies to support them.

The programme is delivered in nine, two-hour weekly group sessions on Wednesdays, term-time only.

To enquire or book your place, please contact:

parenting.reading@brighterfuturesforchildren.org

07812 462799





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Living with Autism

Parenting programme

 23 February - 30 March 2023

 10am-12.30pm

 Online, via Teams

-  Has your child been diagnosed with autism spectrum condition?
-  Do you want a better understanding of how this may affect your child?
-  Do you want to learn skills and tools to help them?

Join our six-week, term-time programme for parents and carers.

This course will give you an understanding of ASC, sharing effective strategies to use at home to support your child. Throughout the course, you will learn about social interaction, communication, and sensory needs of your child. This course will be held on Thursdays.

To enquire or book your place, please contact:

parenting.reading@brighterfuturesforchildren.org

07812 462799





Time Out for Special Needs

A course for parents who have primary aged children with special needs

為有特殊需要的小學學生家長而設的課程

A Parent to Parent Approach 家長對家長模式

KEY THEMES 主題:

- Understanding key terms e.g. SEND 解讀相關術語, 如 SEND
- Helping self esteem 幫助建立自尊
- Coping with feelings 情感處理
- Understanding behaviour 行為認知
- Managing behaviour 行為管理
- Home-school issues 家校問題
- The wider family 家庭聯系網
- Increased understanding of the challenges your children face and why 增加認識你的子女面對的挑戰及原因

TIME 時間

9:30-11:30

DATE 日期

Tuesday 1st November –
Tuesday 13th December
2022

(With 7 sessions 共 7 節)

VENUE 地點

Wycliffe Baptist Church
233 Kings Road
Reading
RG1 4LS

CAPACITY 名額

12

ENROLMENT 報名



Our facilitators are parents of children or young people with special educational needs and have a background in education.

我們的指引員都是有特殊需要的家長或有特殊需要的年青人及持有相關教育背景。

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/time-out-for-special-needs-7-sessions-course-tuesday1th-nov-13th-dec-tickets-432421122217>