

Coffee Morning

Our usual coffee morning in support of Macmillan Cancer Support will be held after on Fri 28th September. We will be selling bacon rolls between 8.30 and 8.50 and cakes from 2.30 to 3.30, both in the playground.

We are privileged to have so many generous parents each year; if you can help by donating cakes and/or helping out, please let Jenny Clarke or the office know by Tue. 25th Sep.



After School Activities

We are still looking for a new dance teacher as a replacement for Miss Valentina who had to leave us in the summer. If anyone has any contacts, please let us know.

MONDAY: JUDO (BEFORE SCHOOL R-Y6)

TUESDAY: CHOIR (AFTER SCHOOL-NO COST - Y 3 -6))

WEDNESDAY: CHESS (AFTER SCHOOL-NO COST)

THURSDAY: TAG RUGBY (BEFORE SCHOOL)

MULTI-SKILLS (AFTER SCHOOL Y1 AND 2)

RECORDERS (Y 1-4 AFTER SCHOOL)

FRIDAY: TABLE TENNIS (AFTER SCHOOL)

GYM WILL RESTART IN NOVEMBER

PLEASE SEE MRS BROPHY FOR FURTHER DETAILS, INCLUDING COSTS.



Parent Governor

We have a vacancy for an elected parent

School Governor. Governors are unpaid, but oversee everything that happens in school. The minimum commitment is 8 evening meetings per year. Please see Mr Cosgrove, Mrs Brophy, or one of the existing Governors (details on our website) if you would be willing to help the school in this way. Any parent with a child at the school is eligible to be a Parent Governor. You do not need any special skills or abilities – just a willingness to help make our school the very best that it can be for the benefit of all our children.

The closing date for expressions of interest is Friday, 5th. October. If we have more than 1 volunteer we will hold an election the following week.



Celebration Assembly

Every week we hold a celebration assembly on Friday, when we award the Star of the Week certificates, celebrate the achievements of our pupils, and thank God for our many blessings. From this week we have changed the time of this assembly so that parents may attend. On Thursday evenings we will text parents whose children are to receive Star of the Week certificates the next day and if they are able to do so, these parents are very welcome to attend, to see their children receive their award. In the same way, if your child is due to be presented with a certificate or medal for a significant achievement, you are very welcome to celebrate this occasion with us. The celebration assembly each week will be at 2.30 p.m.

SNIPPETS

Unfortunately, despite notices every week, we are still finding nut products in some packed lunches. Some of our children are extremely allergic to nuts and the smallest trace could make them very ill. As a result, we will be sending notes home to parents when these products are found, as we need to ensure the safety of all our children.



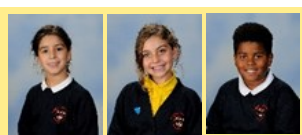
First Holy Communion preparation sessions will start in October. To take part your child must be in Year 3 or above and at least 8 years old by June 9th. 2019. There is an information evening taking place in the school on Tuesday September 25th at 7 p.m. Application packs are now available after all Masses at the church of Christ the King. Please see Mrs Camilleri in Nursery, or after Sunday Mass if you would like more information and with any questions.

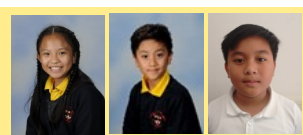


We started our week in **Spanish** and finished in **Tagalog**.

“Buenos Dias!”
“Magandang Hapon!”









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School Activities

On Tuesday years 3 to 6 took part in a series of disability awareness workshops, led by Toby, who uses an electric wheelchair and speaks through a voice synthesizer. Some of our children had fun navigating Toby's wheelchair.



Blog of the Week

Nursery, Reception, Mrs Froud's class and Miss Sutton's all have fabulous accounts of their learning—with great pictures. Class Blog of the Week this week goes to Mr Cosgrove's class for lots of great blog posts, and individual blogger is Tyler Mariner! Check out Tyler's blog post at ctkreading.net



Music

Music has become a big part of life at Christ the King. Every year the demand for instrumental lessons increases. This Summer's concerts, Samba and Choir performances showed the hard work and talent of our emerging musicians.. We are excited to see what this year may bring and are delighted to say that we have plenty of space for new students interested in taking up an instrument this term. Please see Mrs Brophy.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Date	Item	Location
Sep. 28th	MacMillan Coffee Morning & Cake Sale	School
Oct. 2nd	Individual School Photos	School
5th	9.30AM Harvest Mass	Church
11th	Aspiration Day We invite children to dress up on the theme of "What I want to be when I grow up".	School
15th-18th	Black History Week	School
18th	9.15—10.15 SEND Parents' Coffee Morning	The Ark
19th	INSET Day—School Closed	
22nd-26th	Half Term—School Closed	
29th	School Reopens	
Nov. 2nd	9.30AM Mass for Mrs. Froud's and Miss Sutton's classes	Church
5th	INSET Day—School Closed	
7th	1.30—7PM Parent Consultations: Miss Boutska's, Mrs Parry-Jones' and Miss Kerrigan's classes	School
8th	1.30—7PM Parent Consultations: Mrs Wilkinson's, Mrs Kassam's and Mr Cosgrove's classes	School
9th	9.30AM Mass for Mrs. Cox' and Miss Kerrigan's classes	Church
12th	Choir performing in the Junior Music festival	Hexagon
14th	1.30—7PM Parent Consultations: Mrs Asker's, Mrs Bloom's and Mrs Gooch's classes	School
15th	1.30—7PM Parent Consultations: Mrs Cox's, Miss Sutton's and Miss Froud's classes	School
Check 23rd	9.30AM Mass for Mrs Parry-Jones' and Miss Boutska's classes	School
25th	Feast of Christ the King	Church
30th	Pantomime—Robin Hood (Whole School)	Check
Dec. 6th	2PM Year 2 Nativity	School
7th	10AM Year 2 Nativity	School
10th	2PM Year 1 Play	School
11th	10AM Year 1 Play	School
12th	10AM Reception Nativity 2PM Years 3—6 Nativity	School Church
13th	2PM Reception Nativity 6PM Years 3—6 Nativity	School Church
14th	Wear a School Jumper Day for Save the Children Nursery Party	School Nursery
19th	11AM Nursery Performance Reconciliation Service for Years 3—6	Nursery Church
21st	1.30 School Closes for Christmas	



Rey and Lia De la Cruz – Rey has moved to Green belt in Taekwondo; Lia is now a white stripe.

Nakiesha Chibombwe, has achieved grade 1 in Imperial Classical Dance, and Grade 1 with merit in Modern Dance.

Angel Fernandes, Ida Wozniak, Zain Abou Moubarak, have all successfully completed the Reading Libraries summer reading challenge.

Alex Monteiro, has achieved the Duckling 3 award with Swim England; his brother, **Jay Monteiro** 100 metres swimming award.

Our Cross Country team who took part so enthusiastically in the district cross country competition on Wednesday of this week, and did so well. Runners from Christ the King won the Year 3 girls' race (**Alexa Clarke**), the Year 4 boys' (**Eleazar Boakye**), the Year 6 girls' (**Tirzah Boakye**) and the Year 6 boys', (**Solomon Banduka**). There were other notable performances from **Aiste Ceplinskaite, Jesse Eze, Daniel Brobbey, Ben Obri-Yeboah** and **Julia Luczak** but we were extremely proud of all our children who took part. For Year 6 we swept the board with Solomon, Ben and Daniel 1st, 2nd and 3rd in the boys' race, and Tirzah, and Aiste 1st and 2nd for the girls. More photos on our website.



MATHS NINJAS: Shodan: Tristan Shuttleworth, Ben Obri-Yeboah, Jesse Eze, Caressa Sevok, Ashton Fulcher, Aliyah Mahmood, Tyler Adigler, Jayda Charles, Maisy maning, Artur Fela, Sean Trussell. **Nidan** – Lennon Curtis