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Thank You–Snow

Thank you for your patience and forbearance last Thursday and Friday. These were the first days lost to severe weather at Christ the King since 2009, and we very much hope that it will be another 9 years at least before we have to close again so abruptly. We are very sorry for the inconvenience caused to parents. We did not take the decision lightly and only closed when we felt we had absolutely no choice.



Calling Veterans

Calling all veterans. Do you have a friend or a relative who served in World War II? The Royal British Legion is offering free tours of European battlefields for men and women who were in the armed forces during the War. For further information please see or email Mr Cosgrove.



Book Swap

This will now be held on Tuesday of next week 13th from 2.30 – 4 p.m. Please send in lots of books to swap. Children (and adults) who bring in books will be allowed to take others in their place.



Blog of the Week

The Class Blog of the week this week goes to Mrs Gooch's class for a range of wonderful work, including some fantastic world book day photographs and some brilliant weather forecasts. Both Mr Cosgrove and Mrs Cosgrove's classes have also done some tremendous blogging. Individual blogger of the week

was Kingsley Baye, and blogger of the week last week, when we were unable to celebrate it because of the snow, was Erynn Mayo.. Both children have written several great blog posts which are well worth reading at www.ctkreading.net



Hexagon Concert

Footage is available to purchase now at www.chcrdg.co.uk for only £12. This will come on a 32Gb memory stick, which is excellent value for the stick alone! You can also order through the school office—but please be sure to leave contact details with the money!!!



Parent Consultations

For: Mr Cosgrove, Mrs Cosgrove, Mr Krasnopolski, Mrs Gooch, Mrs Cox, Mrs Holmes: Monday 19th. March 1.30 – 6 p.m. Tuesday 20th. March 1.30 – 4.30 p.m.

For: Mrs Asker, Miss Casey, Miss Kerrigan, Miss Clarke, Mrs Parry-Jones: Wednesday 21st. March 1.30 – 6 p.m. Thursday 22nd. March 1.30 – 4.30 p.m.

Miss Boutska will hold her parental consultation meetings early in the summer term.

Online booking will be available from Tuesday morning.



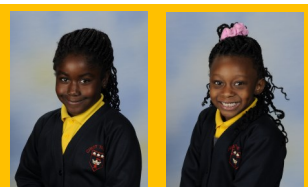
400th Edition

We hope you enjoy some of the memories we've featured in this special edition. The Christ the King archives are real treasure trove of memories—no doubt you will have many of your own, too.



We started our week in Swahili and finished in Igbo.

“Jambo!” “Ututu Oma”



Issue #1-01/09/2007

Do you recognize this brand new face from the issue number 1? It's also fascinating to have discovered that both world book day, and the parental consultations, whilst held in the Autumn of 2017, were exactly 399 issues of the newsletter ago!



Academy and at the Hexagon Theatre. None of this happens by accident.

Our children do well because the staff work very hard on their behalf, and because you, as parents, give us your whole-hearted support in so many ways.

We are looking forward to going on to even greater heights in 2013.

The School Council also organised a super Christmas Party for the Over 60s in the local community. Mrs Wilkinson's class provided the entertainment at a tremendous event which brought the generations closer together.

Issue #100-26/02/2010

We welcomed Mrs. Brophy who began working in our office full time. She had been with us for more than a year part-time and was now our full time secretary. At the time we said: "We hope she will be with us for a long time and will be very happy working here!" ... Mrs B, you've been with us over 7 years now... we hope you have been happy, and continue to be!

We also changed the school uniform in 2010... "We have received a good response to our questionnaire regarding school uniform and over the last few weeks we have been working with the school council to bring you a definitive school uniform and a new way to buy it."



Issue #200-21/12/2012

We celebrated success approaching Christmas:

Thank you to all our parents and friends for your unflinching support throughout the year.

This has been a very successful year in the life of Christ the King School: in the summer we enjoyed our best results ever in national tests at Early Years, Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2; the school has also known sporting success coming first and second in the local schools' football tournament and then repeating this in the basketball a few weeks later! More children than ever are learning musical instruments and taking part in our very popular after school dance and singing groups and some of these have excelled in performances in school and in other venues: at the Whitley Arts concert held at the John Madejski

Issue #300-03/07/2015

Our roundup of past milestones concludes with the appropriately summery and celebratory close to the 2014/15 year. The fair took £2,400!!!



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LENTEN LAMEN TATIONS

THE BEAUTY OF MUSIC
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The Polish community would like to share with you a unique musical experience. Lenten Lamentations (pl. Gorzkie Zale) is a devotion based on beautiful music. Witten in the 18th century, it is rarely sung outside Poland. (see above).

The church service Gorzkie Żale, will be in the Church of the Sacred Heart, Watlington Street, on Sunday

11th March at 5.30 pm. English translation will be available. Admission FREE for the service.

The Lamentations also feature in a CONCERT at The Hexagon Theatre on Saturday 10TH MARCH, 7.30 p.m. Tickets £8, under 18s & students FREE. Further details from The Hexagon website, or via [Facebook](#)



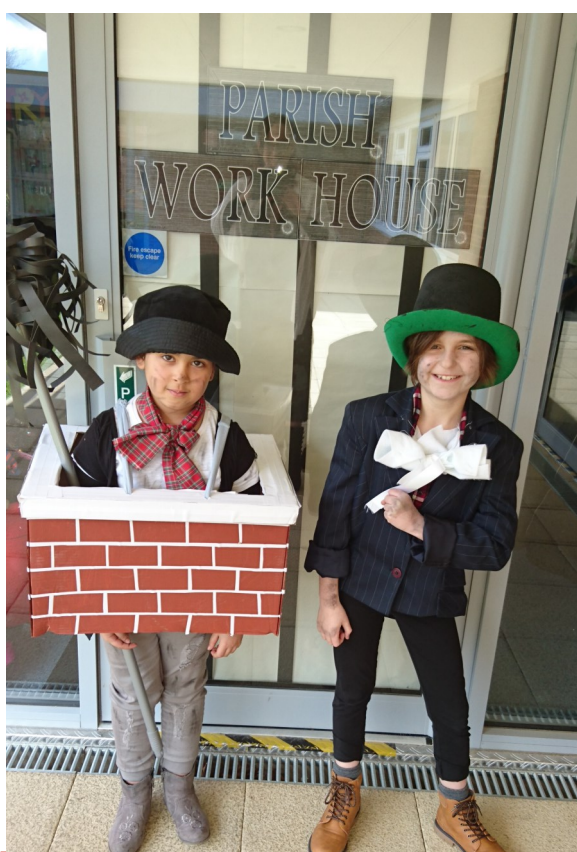
*You are warmly invited to BINGO in the church hall.
Tuesday and Thursday nights. Eyes down at 8 p.m.*

*Entry 30p. Good prizes, refreshments and a chance to
make new friends. All proceeds in aid of Christ the
King Church.*



*World Book Day was great fun! More pictures on our
website: www.christthekingreading.co.uk*





Congratulations!

The RED Challenge

Maimuna Bah, Ibrahim Atif, Elsie Nyarko, Kristina Bori, Ben Obri-Yeboah, Tiger-Lily Durrante, Migle Ceplinskaite, Zuzia Sowa, Shianne Wood, Jessica Bolger, Olivia Luczak, Siona Matthias, Neave Speed, Rhys Bascombe,



James Hutchinson who is now a grey belt in Brazilian Jujitsu.

Kunaal Ashok who has gained his yellow belt for karate.



Our gymnastic teams from Years 3/4 and 5/6 both of which did well in the recent inter-school competition.: Ethan Darcy came third in the competition for Years 5/6 and Julia Luczak came third for Years 3/4.

Maths Ninjas

Shodan

Zuzia Sowa, Siona Matthias, Herbert Mwaimu



NO NUTS!

This includes nut products. Some of our children have serious allergies.

