The Christ Church NEWS DESK

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What a great week we have had again here at Christ Church. Some of you will have received a letter in regard to additional tutoring for your child – please could I ask that the reply slips are returned to me as soon as possible. Many thanks for your support with this and it's great to know so many of you will take advantage of this fantastic initiative.

Good news: Breakfast Club will officially resume from next term. In order to book a place for your child, you will now need to book via ParentPay. **If you have not booked and paid in advance, you will be unable to attend – please do not just turn up as you will be sent away.** Please could I ask that you only use the service <u>if you absolutely need to</u> e.g. work commitments. This is to enable us to ensure children avoid mixing across year groups as much as possible.

Just a reminder too that any parent who requires **after-school care** can book a space with the Nursery. You can do this by calling 01303 244 055.

Unfortunately, without enough uptake on this, it will not be financially viable for the Nursery to continue offering such a service.

We will also be having some limited after-school clubs running too. Unfortunately, we are unable to provide a full range of clubs owing to the fact that we are restricted to year groups. We will continue to review this.

Next **Friday 23rd October**, we will be having a nonuniform day: children may wear their own clothes or may 'dress up' in connection with an event which takes place on 31st October. It's completely your choice but please dress sensibly (no masks)! A 50p donation towards charity is recommended.

Have a wonderful weekend.

'Normal is a setting on a washing machine.'

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Dates for your Diary

Monday 19th October Lion Show for Year $\mathbb{R} \neq 1$

> Friday 23rd October End of Term 1

Monday 2nd November Start of Term 2

Friday 18th December End of Term 2 1:30pm Collection

Tuesday 5th January Start of Term 3

Friday 12th February End of Term 3

Mr Flack

A Prayer

Dear God,

You made the goodness of the land, the riches of the sea and the rhythm of the seasons.

As we thank you for the harvest, may we cherish and respect this planet and its people.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Starting at Primary School?

Applications for Primary Schools open on 5th November 2020. More information can be found <u>here</u>

We are unable to host tours of the school owing to the current situation but instead Mr Flack will be hosting Virtual Meetings via Zoom on:

> Wednesday 21st October @4pm Wednesday 4th November @ 4pm

Please contact the school office to book a slot if you wish to.

Thinking Question of the Week

What is the best thing you could ever say to someone? Why not join our <u>P4C Facebook Page</u>?

Year 6 – Secondary School Applications

This year, Kent parents will be able to name up to 6 secondary school preferences (an increase from 4) to account for the fact that they will not know their child's Kent Test result. Applications for secondary schools need to be submitted by **Monday 2**nd **November.**

Advice is provided to all parents during the application window to ensure you make the best use of the additional preferences.

More information can be found <u>here</u>

Please speak to Mr Flack or Miss Wyatt if you would like to discuss anything further.

PE Days

Turtles – Monday/Seahorses - Tuesday Year 1 – Monday Year 2 – Tuesday 3LL – Thursday/3CA – Friday Year 4 – Thursday Year 5 – Wednesday Year 6 - Friday

The children can wear their PE kit all day.

Term Dates 2021-2022

We will be following KCC Term Dates for 2021-22 which can be viewed <u>here</u>

Non-Pupil Days will be: Wednesday 1st September 2021 Friday 11th February 2022 Monday 6th June 2022 Thursday 21st July 2022 Friday 22nd July 2022

HERO HOLIDAY CAMP

















October Half Term 9AM - 4PM Monday 26th to Friday 30th AGES 5 - 11 YEARS OLD (KS1 & KS2)

15 children per group working alongside government guidelines to ensure a safe sporting environment.

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