

# The Christ Church NEWS DESK

## Issue 4.4 Friday 17<sup>th</sup> March 2023

Dear Families,

I hope you have had a good week!

I wanted to start with a big thank you to all the families who have supported us respectfully with the road situation this week – this will continue into next week while the work continues down the bottom of Coolinge Road. Please therefore continue to drive down Brockman Road, drop your child off with staff, and then drive up Coolinge Road. A huge thank you to the staff who have been helping too and a special shout out to Evie and Oscar (our Road Safety Officers) in Year 6 who have been doing a brilliant job supporting the children to arrive safely to class.

Many thanks to everyone who supported Comic Relief today – the children had a great day.

If any families have Christ Church sports kits at home, could you please return these as we need them for other competitions. Thank you for your support with this.

HELP!

We are in desperate need of spare swimming costumes for older children (age 9+) and any spare towels. If you have any old costumes or old towels, you no longer require, please could you donate these to the school for our spare kit stock. You can leave them with the office or on the gate. Thank you so much 😊

Have a lovely weekend!

Mr Flack

**'Be the change you want to see  
in the world.'**

***Mahatma Gandhi***

### Dates for your Diary

**Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March**

Last Day of Term

Easter Service @ Holy Trinity Church – 9:15am – ALL WELCOME



**Monday 17<sup>th</sup> April**

First Day of Term

**Monday 1<sup>st</sup> May**

Bank Holiday – School Closed

**Friday 5<sup>th</sup> May**

From 12pm – King's Coronation Celebrations - 'Picnic on the Paddock'

**Monday 8<sup>th</sup> May**

Bank Holiday – The King's Coronation – School Closed

**Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> May-Friday 12<sup>th</sup> May**

Year 6 SATs Week

**Monday 15<sup>th</sup> May**

Kent Test Meeting for Year 5 Parents @ 5pm – School Hall

**Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May**

Last Day of Term

**Monday 12<sup>th</sup> June**

First Day of Term

**Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> July**

Year 6 @ Chessington

**Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> July**

Year 6 @ Beach Day

**Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> July**

Year 6 in London for Madame Tussuads & Wicked The Musical

## A Prayer

Almighty God,  
By the prayer and discipline of Lent  
May we enter into the mystery of Christ's  
sufferings,  
And by following in his way  
Come to share in his glory;  
Through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

"Most of the old moles  
I know wish they had  
listened less to their fears and  
more to their dreams."



## Thinking Question of the Week

How can we help someone?

## Free School Meals

Although children in Year R, 1 and 2 receive Universal Free School Meals, the school receives additional funding to spend on the children if you sign up for Free School Meals and are eligible.

Your child may be able to get Free School Meals if you get any of the following:

- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support Under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- Child Tax Credit (provided you're not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income of no more than £16,190).

You can apply here:

<https://www.gov.uk/apply-free-school-meals/kent>

Please do speak to the Office if you would like support with this or more information

## Term Dates 2022-2023

Our Term Dates can always be found on the Home Page of the Website for this academic year (please scroll to the bottom on the right).

The Term Dates for 2023-2024 are now on the Home Page of the School Website.



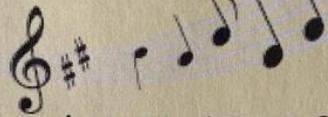
# Shepway Brass Academy

Calling all 8-21 year olds  
- come and try out Brass Banding!



For more information please contact Jaci, our secretary, at [sbandsecretary@gmail.com](mailto:sbandsecretary@gmail.com)

[www.shepwaybrassacademy.com](http://www.shepwaybrassacademy.com)



All are welcome, from complete beginners to accomplished brass or percussion players.  
We have different bands to suit all abilities.

We meet every Saturday during term time at The Community Hall of Christ Church CE Primary Academy, Brockman Road, Folkestone CT20 1DJ. It only costs £3 per teaching session, including the loan of an instrument (subject to availability.)

<https://www.facebook.com/ShepwayBrassAcademy>



# Family Food Bank

[www.familyfoodbank.org](http://www.familyfoodbank.org)

## Folkestone District

### We Are Here To Help!

A sudden drop in finances can happen to any of us for a number of reasons. Please do not suffer in silence.

We have a number of local Family Food Bank Distribution Points which can help you. So please get in touch!

**People Plus**, 145-147 Sandgate Road, Folkestone, CT20 2DA

**New Romney CC**, Craythorne Lane New Romney TN28 8 BL Tel 03000  
420000 Families Only

**The Village CC**, Denmark Street, Folkestone, CT19 6EQ Tel 03000  
420893 Families Only

**Folkestone Early Years CC**, Dover Rd Folkestone CT20 1QF Tel 03000  
419727 Families Only

**Caterpillars CC**, Chart Rd, Folkestone CT19 4PN Tel 03000 416444 Families  
Only

**East Kent College EKC** - Westcliff House, Westcliff Gardens, Folkestone CT20  
1SZ. Tel: 01843 230876 - College Students Only

**Folkestone & Hythe Social Services**

## CHRIST CHURCH CEP ACADEMY – AUTUMN/WINTER MENU



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>WEEK ONE</b>					
<b>31 OCT</b>	Tomato Pasta	<b>BUILD A BURGER DAY:</b> A choice of Burger (meat, veggie, or vegan) and Toppings and Potato Wedges	Roast Chicken with Stuffing, Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Chicken Tikka Masala with Rice	Fishfingers / Salmon Fishfingers with Chips
<b>21 NOV</b>	Cheesy Swirl with New Potatoes		Quorn Roast with Roast Potatoes	Veggie Curry with Rice	Cheese Omelette with Chips
<b>12 DEC</b>	Sweetcorn Green Beans	Coleslaw Peas	Carrots Cabbage	Peas Cauliflower	Peas Baked Beans
<b>16 JAN</b>	Pear & Chocolate Crumble, Custard	Jelly & Fruit	Rice Pudding & Mixed Berries	Yoghurt & Raisin Cake	Yoghurt / Fresh Fruit
<b>6 FEB</b>					
<b>6 MAR</b>					
<b>27 MAR</b>					
<b>WEEK TWO</b>					
<b>7 NOV</b>	MAC & CHEESE: A choice of different Mac & Cheese	Spaghetti Bolognaise with Garlic Bread	Sausage, Onions and Gravy & Roast Potato	Chicken Pie with Crushed Potato	Fishfingers with Chips
<b>28 NOV</b>	flavours with veggie toppings	Veggie Bolognaise with Garlic Bread	Quorn Sausage with Roast Potatoes	Vegetable Pie with Crushed Potato	Mexican Roll with Chips
<b>2 JAN</b>	Peas Carrots	Broccoli Sweetcorn	Mixed Vegetables	Green Beans Carrots	Peas Baked Beans
<b>23 JAN</b>	Oaty Cookie	Chocolate Apple Sponge with Custard	Jelly with Mandarins	Chocolate Drizzle Cake	Yoghurt / Fresh Fruit
<b>20 FEB</b>					
<b>13 MAR</b>					
<b>WEEK THREE</b>					
<b>14 NOV</b>	Cheese and Tomato Pizza with New Potatoes	Sausage Roll with Potato Wedges	Roast Turkey, Roast Potatoes & Gravy	Sticky Chicken Noodles	Fishfingers with Chips
<b>5 DEC</b>		Veggie Sausage with Potato Wedges	Vegan Quorn Fillet with Roast Potato	Veggie Stir Fry with Rice	Cheese Quiche with Chips
<b>9 JAN</b>	Sweetcorn Carrots	Baked Beans Green Beans	Sweetcorn, Peas Quirky Bird Salads x2	Broccoli Carrots	Peas Baked Beans
<b>30 JAN</b>	Sticky Toffee Apple Crumble, Custard	Chocolate Cookie	Apple, Cheese & Crackers	Eve's Pudding with Cream	Yoghurt / Fresh Fruit
<b>27 FEB</b>					
<b>20 MAR</b>					

Added Plant Power



Vegan



Wholemeal



Chef's Special



### Available Daily

- Freshly Cooked Jacket Potatoes with a Choice of Fillings
- Freshly Baked Bread
- Daily Salad Selection
- Yoghurt and Fresh Fruit
- Dessert Options

### Allergy Information

If your child has an allergy or intolerance, please ask a member of the catering team for information. If your child has a school lunch and has a food allergy or intolerance, you will be asked to complete a form to ensure we have the necessary information to cater for your child. We use a large variety of ingredients in the preparation of our meals and due to the nature of our kitchens it is not possible to completely remove the risk of cross-contamination.