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2022-2023 Newsletter 5 (14<sup>th</sup> October 2022)

#### Catholic Life of the School



#### Love of Learning

Signs we have a 'love of learning'

- We appreciate the gift of learning.
- **\*** We are lifelong learners.
- We are excited and enthusiastic to learn.

"Let the wise hear and increase in learning, and the one who understands obtain guidance." (Proverbs 1:5)

The beautiful thing about

LEARNING

is that no one can take it away

# FROM YOU.

#### Important dates for your diary

<u>Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> October</u> Reward cooking session for best attenders/classes with highest attendance

<u>Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> October</u> 4.00-7.00pm Parent Consultations

<u>Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> October</u> 5.00-8.00pm Parent Consultations

> Friday 21<sup>st</sup> October School closes

<u>Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October</u> School opens

<u>Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October</u> Deadline for Year 7 applications

**Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> November** Holy Day of Obligation Mass for the Feast of All Saints

> <u>Friday 4<sup>th</sup> November</u> Zoolab visiting Year 1, Year 1/2, Year 2

<u>Monday 7<sup>th</sup> November</u> Geography Amazon workshops for Y3, Y4, Y4/5

<u>Monday 7<sup>th</sup> November</u> 5.00-5.30pm Phonics Meeting for Reception Parents

<u>Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> November</u> 9.15- 9.45am Phonics Meeting for Reception Parents

<u>Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> November</u> Diversity Role Models Workshops Y3, Y4, Y4/5, Y5/6, Y6

Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> November 5pm-Tour of school for new starters September 2023

> <u>Monday 14th November</u> 1.45 pm-Harvest Festival rearranged

<u>Monday 18th November</u> Children in Need fundraising- wear something spotty

Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> December Flu immunisations

5pm-Tour of school for new starters September 2023

Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> December School closes at 1pm



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On Tuesday this week we celebrated the start of our new school year with a Welcome Mass. Year 4 led the Mass to welcome everyone back to school and to extend a welcome to all our new pupils and our new staff. Our Reception children were all given a prayer booklet to celebrate the start of their journey at Corpus Christi Primary School. Well done and a special thank you to Year 4 for their excellent reading and singing at the Mass, to Miss Guy for preparing such a beautiful Mass and to Fr Pat for celebrating Mass with us. The parishioners complimented the behaviour and reverence shown by all the children and the clear, confident delivery of the readers. Well done everyone!



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#### Notices

#### **Applications for Starting Secondary School September 2023**

#### **Deadline 31<sup>st</sup> OCTOBER!**





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#### Applications for Starting Primary School in September 2023

Applications for parents of pupils born between 1 September 2018 and 31 August 2019 who will be starting primary school in September 2023.

You can apply from 1 November 2022.

The deadline to apply is 15 January 2023.

The link for applying for places online is:

https://www.leeds.gov.uk/schools-and-education/schooladmissions/apply-for-a-primary-school

If you are applying for a place at Corpus Christi Catholic Primary School, please do remember to hand in the Supplementary Information Form (SIF) to the school office in addition to completing the online application with Leeds. You can find the school SIF form on the school website <u>https://www.corpusprimaryleeds.org/key-</u> information/admissions

Please pass this information onto any families or friends who you know might be interested.

Group tours of our school will be on:

#### Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> November at 5pm

and

Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> December at 5pm.

Please contact the school office to book a place.



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#### Our Wonderful 'Stars of the Week'





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Class	Star of the week	Reason for award		
Reception 1 Miss Horkan	Dalton	For learning how to write his name.		
Reception 2 Miss Kemp	John	For being a caring friend and using his imagination in the constructic area.		
<b>Year 1</b> Miss Kirk	Cooper	For his wonderful independent writing.		
	Finley	For always trying his best.		
<b>Year 1/2</b> Mrs Child	Amber	For her creative story telling in Literacy.		
	Damilare	For trying very hard with his letter formation.		
Year 2 Mrs Kilvington	Molly	For always being a kind friend.		
	Aseda	For always doing the right thing all the time.		
<b>Year 3</b> Mr Herron	Polly	For excellent effort and presentation in her writing		
	Billy	for superb participation in our topic discussions		
Year 4 Miss Moore	Teddie	For reading confidently at a whole school welcome Mass.		
	Zuzanna	For reading confidently at a whole school welcome Mass.		
Year 4/5	Joey	For setting a great example in class and around school.		
Mr Goodall	Phoebe	For being a fantastic role model and sharing ideas in class discussions.		
<b>Year 5/6</b> Mr Doyle Miss Guy	Zviko	For settling in fantastically and being a wonderful addition to our school.		
	Nicola	For giving 100% in every task.		
<b>Year 6</b> Miss Oxley	Harper	For always working hard.		
	Shane	For having a fantastic attitude to learning.		









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**Skills Builder Award** 

Each week we award a Skills Builder Award to one child in each class.

Research shows that building essential skills supports:

Skills Builder PARTNERSHIP



emotional wellbeing



outcomes



Class	Skills Builder Awards		
Reception 1	Joel		
Reception 2	Shyra		
Year 1	Orighoye		
Year 1/2	Norinda		
Year 2	Mikel		
Year 3	Oakley		
Year 4	Athena		
Year 4/5	Ryley		
Year 5/6	Joanne		
Year 6	Aston		

Our focus for this half-term is



#### Working cooperatively with others towards achieving a shared goal.

The definition of teamwork is simple: the ability of team members to work well together in every situation and empathise with each other. Teamwork also includes the ability to: Be mature enough to agree to disagree when needed. Focus on and contribute to team goals, not individual ones.

These children have all displayed amazing teamwork skills this week.









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#### What's been happening in school

#### **Reception's mysterious delivery!**

There was lots of excitement in Reception this week after they listened to the story 'Dear Zoo'. They received a letter from the zookeeper asking them to look after a new animal which was delivered in a mystery box! The children promised to look after it all week with the special task of trying to guess which animal was inside the box. On Thursday, the children spotted a claw peeping through a hole which supported their predictions. Finally, they were allowed to open the box before the zookeeper collected it and found a lovely panda.

What a fun filled week of learning!











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This week Year 4/5 had a visit from Emily who works at Leeds City Museum.

She brought in some amazing artefacts which the children were able to touch and feel to learn all about the different periods from the Stone Age.





















In Science, Year 4 began their experiment to discover the impact different drinks have on teeth over time.

They will monitor the impact these drinks have over the next few weeks



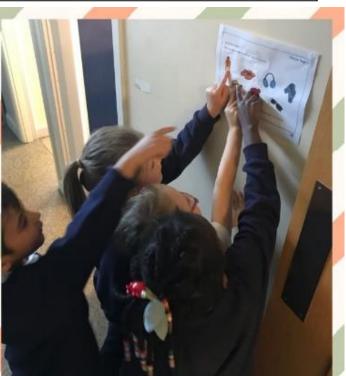
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This week Year 1 have been learning about all the different seasons in geography.

The children hunted around the classroom for clues to help them, crack the code for the 'Escape Room'! Everyone worked really hard and had lots of fun.











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In Science this week the children in Year 1/2 have been using their senses to investigate what they could feel, smell, taste, see or hear. They thoroughly enjoyed the new tastes and some of the smells and sounds really made the children jump!





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The Year 6 children have worked hard in PE this week with Mr Wales.

They participated in a circuit of six activities to practise techniques such as chest passes as well as speed bounces.





Pupils in Year 2 took a conker home with them this week. Every conker was different and the children discussed and celebrated how each of us is unique and precious! A special gift from God. Each child in Year 2 kept a conker to remind them how beautiful and wonderful they are.





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Year 4 had a lovely afternoon making a delicious summer slaw. They were very skilful with their grating and chopping, remembering techniques taught in previous years. The children tried lots of new foods and thoroughly enjoyed sampling their finished products!



Well done Year 4.







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This week, Year 3 have researched and written a non-chronological report about the Stone Age. They used their learning from their history lessons and last week's workshop for inspiration and have produced some excellent pieces of writing that they should be very proud of!

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#### Shoe Box Appeal

Please see below ideas of what you might put in a shoebox. Blythswood Care ask that each shoebox, if possible, has a toothbrush and toothpaste, soap, sweets, toy/gift, scarf, gloves and hat, and some item of underwear. Thank you for supporting the Shoe Box Appeal. As you can see shoeboxes can be done for all age groups.

Girl / Boy	3-7	Girl / Boy 8-12	
Plasticine	Pyjamas	Sewing kit	Lego
Simple sewing	Toy car/truck	Craft kit	Draughts
Dressing-up	Toy animals	Paint by numbers	Modelling clay
Chalk	Paints	Jewellery/beads	Tennis ball
Sticker books	Picture snap cards	Socks	Vests
My Little Pony	Wooden toy	T-shirt	Watch
Colouring book	Small ball	Pyjamas	Playing cards
Crayons	Socks	Colouring book	Sticker book
T-shirt	Shorts	Stationery	Socks
Underwear	Vests	Skipping ropes	Marbles

Teenage Girl / Boy		Woman	Man	Elderly woman
Make-up	Shorts	Make-up	Dominoes	Magnifying glass
Craft kit	Tennis ball	First aid kit	Pack of cards	Umbrella
Jewellery	Rubix cube	Sanitary products	Draughts	Hand cream
Hair brush	Draughts board game	Perfume	Tape measure	Folding walking stick
Nail varnish	Aeroplane model	Shampoo	Tin cup	Slippers
Dominoes	Windup torch	Tape measure	Belt	Apron
Perfume/After shave	Dominoes	Apron	Braces	Candle
Hair band	air band Deodorant		Wind-up torch	Tin cup
Small watch	Small watch	Kitchen utensils	Pen knife	Small clock
Diary	Thermal vest	Small scissors	Shaving brush	Nail brush
Manicure set	Сар	Underwear	Pen	Tights



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Look at the donations we've had so far... Thank you so much for your generosity. Please support this worthy cause and help to make someone smile this Christmas.



Thank you for your continuing support Have a lovely weekend

God Bless From Mrs Walsh and the team at Corpus Christi Catholic Primary School