



From the Headteachers

Harvest Festival

Tuesday 18th October is Harvest Festival, and the children will have a celebration in the school hall to mark the event. We will be supporting the Ace of Clubs in Clapham which is a family-like community providing transformative support for those who are homeless, vulnerable, and otherwise marginalised in our area. Their centre on St Alphonsus Road provides for the immediate needs of those in desperate circumstances with safe shelter, food, warmth, clothing, laundry, and showers. Ace of Clubs is a place where those who are alone can find acceptance, a sense of belonging and renewed purpose to see their lives restored. Presently they are helping between 80 and 100 people per day. The number of people coming to the centre for help has more than doubled over the last year due to the recession, job losses and a severe increase in homelessness. Today you will receive a letter detailing more information about this important school event.

Parents' Evening

You should have received a letter from the school with arrangements for the Autumn Term's Parents' Evenings which will take place next week. Please read your letter carefully, as it will detail the date and time of your scheduled meeting. Also make a note of the date and time of your scheduled meeting and keep it safe. The duration of each meeting will be 10 minutes. All appointments are from 4pm – 6.00pm on Tuesday 18th October or Thursday 20th October. Your child's class teacher is looking forward to meeting with you to review how your child is progressing.

World Mental Health Week

It was great to see children coming to school wearing something yellow on Monday 10th October as it was World Mental Health Day. Through our RULER programme we are committed to ensuring the mental well-being of all our pupils. We continually take time to discuss mental well-being with the children in a manner that is suitable for their age. We also reinforce strategies that already take place in place at school, such as the RULER project and Safe Spaces to help them tackle any difficulties that arise. There is always a particular focus on how we express ourselves and how we can talk about issues that may be bothering us.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Fri 14th Oct	9am Class 12 Assembly
Sat 15th Oct	9.30am CC v Woodmanstern at Turney Road 11am CC Girls v Henry Cavendish at Turney Road
Tues 18th Oct	Harvest Festival 4m. – 6pm Parents' Evening
Wed 19th Oct	8:45am Year 1 Welcome & Reading Meeting
Thurs 20th Oct	2pm Cake Sale 4m. – 6pm Parents' Evening
Fri 21st Oct	INSET Day – School Closed to pupils
Mon 24th Oct – Fri 28th Oct	HALF TERM Mr Bradys Sports Camp

Announcements

Year 6 PGL Residential Trip May 2023

Details of the residential trip have been emailed to parents and the item is now available for you to start paying instalments.

Reception and Year 1 Royal Academy of Music First Strings Experience

Information was emailed home this week about the continuation of the programme in Year 1, Reception children have already started the experience with the RAM. The payment item is now available to see on your ParentPay account.

As we approach the end of our first half term, please check your ParentPay to ensure balances are clear. This includes music fees and extended daycare to ensure your child can continue to attend after half term and clear any outstanding dinner money.



Flu Immunisation Program 2022

The flu immunisation program taking place in school on **Tuesday 8th November**. Each child from Reception – Year 6 is invited to receive the vaccination. Please register your consent by scanning the QR code. If you do not wish your child to receive the vaccination or they have already had one with your GP, we ask that you still complete the form so they the immunization team can record this information.

Child of the Week for the week ending 7th Oct 2022

Nursery	Cerys S-F
Class 1	Gustave Y
Class 2	Archie F-K
Class 3	Aurelio S
Class 4	Darell B
Class 5	Clio H
Class 6	Dara B-A
Class 7	Leonard Z-M
Class 8	Aida B-K
Class 9	Niyah-Rae L
Class 10	Alicia K
Class 11	Alicia K
Class 12	Chase S-F
Class 13	Kelly O
Class 14	Antonia W

Attendance
Monday 10th October - Friday 14th October

CLASS	%
5	100
9	100
11	100
12	99.6
8	99.1
7	98.4
6	98.2
14	98.2
13	97.0
4	95.8
1	95.4
N	95.1
3	94.8
2	94.4
10	93.7

Congratulations to classes 5, 9 & 11 their 100% attendance.
Whole school average 97.3%

Parents' Zone

Mr Brady's Half Term Sports Camp

Monday 24th Oct- Fri 28th Oct

9.15am – 3pm

Children from Reception to Year 6 and past CC pupils now in Year 7.

£20.00 per day, £10.00 each for additional siblings. Please follow [this link](#) for the booking form.

Service of Healing Sunday 30th October at 3pm Corpus Christi Church

Following the service refreshments will be provided in the church hall. If you are able to help with the serving of refreshments please contact John Bateson-Hill on 07722260434, thank

Parent Volunteer needed

We are delighted to be entering junior children for a range of sports competitions this academic year. We are looking for parent volunteers to accompany a member of staff and children to these events. Next week we will be participating in a football shield competition at Ferndale Sports Centre in Brixton, parents are invited to support this event. If you are available, please contact the school office or email jconnery@corpus-christi.org.uk

Congratulations!

Well done to Corpus Christi football team beating Loughborough School last Saturday 2-1. Goals scored by Darren and Aodhan. Good luck tomorrow to both our teams.



Parents' Association

Dates for your Diary

Thursday 20th October



Cake Sale

First Cake Sale and Competition of the year. We are looking forward to seeing your great baking! If you can volunteer at the sale between 1.30-3.30 on Thursday, please contact your Class Rep or Yashoda on 07973 764448.

If you are baking, please remember to stick a list of ingredients to any homemade cakes or biscuits. You can use the form emailed by the school or collect a paper copy from the Office. Please do clearly mark any 'Free From' cakes or any competition cakes. They can be brought to school on Thursday morning and remember to give your children a small amount of money to buy a treat. Thanks for your support!

Friday 4th November



Reception children & Years 1 & 2
3:30pm – 4:45pm

Junior children Years 3 – 6
5:30pm – 7pm

Ticket £5.00 per child available now to buy on Parentpay.

If you have any concerns regarding the welfare and safety of any child at Corpus Christi School, please do not hesitate to contact one of our Safeguarding Officers. Any issue will be dealt with in the strictest confidence.

Mrs J Connery, Mr R Coyle, Mrs K Smart, Mrs S Cole or Ms S Ruiz