



## From the Headteachers



This week pupils from years 5 & 6 took part in The Nana Darko Frempong Football Shield Competition at Ferndale Road against other Lambeth schools. The children played skillful games of football

and finished in the finals. We were delighted that one of our players won 'Player of the Tournament'.

### Harvest Festival

Thank you to the whole school community for your generous donations of food and clothing for the Ace of Clubs and Mr Kelleher for all his hard work organising this event. As always, we were overwhelmed by the quantity of the gifts donated and the generosity of Corpus Christi families. This event gives us a chance to reflect on all the good things God has given us and the importance of charity. Our Year 5 school chaplains and Mr Kelleher also prepared an assembly for the children to remind us to be thankful for everything that we have and the importance of sharing. They also educated us about the significance of harvest as a festival in other countries around the world.

### Parents Evening

This week you were given the opportunity to meet your child's class teacher as we had Parents Evening. The beginning of the school term is arguably the most important meeting of the year and allows parents to speak to their child's teacher about how their child has settled into their new year group, as well as discussing progress and next steps in the children's learning. We hope that you found this opportunity helpful.

Finally, as half term approaches, we would like to thank all Corpus Christi staff for working so hard to make the children's return to school such a success. As always, we are grateful that you continue to show great support, flexibility and understanding. Have a safe and restful half-term.

## DATES TO REMEMBER

Fri 21 <sup>st</sup> Oct	INSET Day – School Closed to pupils
Sat 22 Oct	9.30am CC v Henry Cavendish at Rosendale Road
Mon 24 <sup>th</sup> Oct – Fri 28 <sup>th</sup> Oct	HALF TERM Mr Bradys Sports Camp
Thurs 3 <sup>rd</sup> Nov	Swimming Lessons commence for Class 10  Year 6 Booster Classes begin 3:30pm – 4:30pm
Fri 4 <sup>th</sup> Nov	08:50am PA Meeting 9am Class 10 Assembly Sparkly Discos

## Announcements

This week we sadly said goodbye to Miss Quintin Sey who has left Corpus Christi to further pursue her musical career. We are sorry to see her go and wish her well.

The Street Dance Clubs will continue after half term and will be led by Miss Hannah.

### 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 last 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.

Please ensure your ParentPay balance are clear as we break for half term. This includes music fees and extended daycare to ensure your child can continue to attend after half term and clear any outstanding dinner money.

### Child of the Week for the week ending 14<sup>th</sup> Oct 2022

Nursery	Ava A
Class 1	Mia DD
Class 2	Lil W-T
Class 3	Jessica B C
Class 4	Otis A
Class 5	Alida-Lilli
Class 6	Boaz H
Class 7	Helen-Jan P
Class 8	Alexander Z
Class 9	Curtis K M
Class 10	Teagan A-D
Class 11	Eli M
Class 12	Louie W
Class 13	Layla D-S
Class 14	Darren A

#### Attendance

Monday 17<sup>th</sup> October - Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> October

CLASS	%
11	100
13	100
5	99.5
9	99.5
7	99.1
8	99.1
10	98.9
2	98.3
12	96.5
3	95.8
4	94.8
14	93.0
6	92.0
1	90.1
N	85.2

Congratulations to classes 11 & 13 their 100% attendance.  
Whole school average 96.2%

## Parents' Zone

### Wanted

A Corpus Christi parent is looking for a secondhand keyboard for her son to practice on. If you have one you would like to rehome, please contact the school office.

Thank you.

### 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](mailto:jconnery@corpus-christi.org.uk)



### October Cake Competition

Thank you to all the families who baked, brought and bought back again cakes today. Thank you to all our home bakers for the wonderful competition cakes. The winners were:

Florian – Best Presentation

Oran – Best Themed

Overall Winner Aurora & Elias

Well done to you all.

### Congratulations!

Well done to Corpus Christi boys football team beating Woodmanstern School last Saturday 4-2, goals scored by 3 goals scored by Oliver and 1 from Thomas. The girls played a great game against Henry Cavendish and were just beaten, our two goals were scored by Na'ima and Amber, well done.

## Parents' Association

*The Parents Association runs fun events and raises money for our school. We are grateful to have so many great volunteers, but we need a new Chair or pair of Co-Chairs to lead our committee. It's a fantastic position, you meet lovely people, get huge satisfaction from it, and you're supported by a brilliant team.*

*Please get in touch if you are considering it - contact Yashoda on 07973 764448 or speak to your Class Rep. Thanks.*

### Dates for your Diary

#### Friday 4<sup>th</sup> November



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

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

Remember to buy your ticket online, £5.00 per child available now to buy on ParentPay.

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In the run up to our Christmas Fair we will be regularly holding meetings. The first will be **Friday 4<sup>th</sup> Nov at 8.50am** in The Holy Family Room.

### Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> December

#### Christmas Fair

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