

CORPUS CHRISTI

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From the Headteachers

In Memoriam

Many of you will be aware of the sudden death of Suzette Walker this week. Suzette was a much-loved member of staff at Corpus Christi School for thirteen years and has been part of the school community for twenty-five years, as all her children attended school here. We extend our deepest sympathy to Suzette's children Monique, Tashan, Jamelia and Devonte (Class 14) at this very sad time. In the coming weeks we will keep you informed of any arrangements that are made. We ask the whole school community to remember Suzette and all the family in our prayers. May she rest in peace.

Attendance

At Corpus Christi, attendance and punctuality are a very high priority. We want motivated enthusiastic learners who get to school on time, ready to learn and who thus establish good habits for lifelong learning in line with our school values and ethos. This morning in assembly children from Reception to Year 6 received their 100% attendance badges if they attended school every day throughout the Spring Term. This is part of our rewards system which acknowledges the efforts of pupils to improve their attendance. If parents are to maximise attendance their children's attendance, then every effort should be made to arrange routine dentists and GP appointments outside school hours. Also, it is important that children do not take holidays during term time. Always check our school term dates and plan holidays outside of these dates.



Earth Day - Saturday 22nd April 2023

The Year 2 Green Team have been promoting Earth Day in school. They would like everyone to think about human impact on the environment and to take action this Saturday. They would like to encourage us to help the planet by conserving energy at home on this day by switching off lights and electrical devices, using bikes, scooters and public transport instead of taking the car and finding ways to recycle and promote sustainability.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Sat 22nnd April	9.15am CC v Rosendale School at Rosendale Road	
Tues 25 th April	Year 3 Trip to Brockwell Park Greenhouses	
Wed 26 th April	9am Year 5 Parents Meeting – Residential Trip – Upper Hall	
Fri 28 th April	9am Class 9 Assembly	
Mon 1 st May	BANK HOLIDAY – School Closed	
Thurs 4 th May	9am Class 10 Assembly	
Fri 5 th May	9am Class 11 Assembly	

Announcements

Contact Information

It is vitally important that we have correct contact numbers for parents and carers along with email addresses. If you have changed any of these recently or moved address, please inform the school office.

OT CLUB

Sessions will resume on Monday 24th April.

After School Activity Clubs

Activity Clubs for the summer term have been allocated. Clubs will commence next week, please make a note of the start dates and end dates to avoid any confusion. If a club must be cancelled on any day the session will be made up at towards the end of term. Remember there are two bank holidays 1st & 8th May, these Monday clubs will take place on Mon 10th & 17th July.

Child of the Week for the week ending 31st March 2023

Ν	Imogen W
1	Valentina V A
2	Bethany E
3	Eldora E
4	Lara M
5	Sol P L
6	Angelina T A
7	David S
8	Annabel D
9	Ava-Pearl A
10	Alicia K
11	Amber A
12	Kingsley C
13	Aidan R
14	Felix F

Attendance 18th April – Friday 21st April 2023

CLASS	%
4	100
8	100
10	100
6	99.4
12	98.9
12	98.9
9	98.4
14	98.3
Ν	98.2
11	98.0
5	97.7
3	97.6
7	95.2
2	94.3
1	93.3

Congratulations to Classes 4, 8 & 10 on their excellent attendance. Whole school average: 98%

Year 4, 5 & 6 Residential Trips

The Payment deadline for these trips is listed on your Parentpay account please ensure that you have paid for your trips **in full** by then. These trips are available to pay on your ParentPay account by installments to help spread the cost. If you have any queries, please speak to Ms Ruiz.

Educational Trips

This year we have asked for £45.00 towards educational trips and visitors. Please log onto your ParentPay account to make the payment before the **start of the Summer Term** if you have not already done so.

Years 3 & 4 Legoland Trip

Tuesday 27th June the children in Years 3 & 4 will be going to Legoland, Windsor.

The item is now available to pay via ParentPay, please see the letter sent home earlier today.

Parents' Association

Planned events for the Summer Term



<u>Friday 5th May</u> – Coronation Cake sale and Competition

More information will be available next week.

26th May - Ice Lolly Sale 3.15pm

10th June - Summer Social 12pm – 4pm

16th June - Ice Lolly Sale 3.15pm

30th June – Summer Discos after school

14th July – Ice Lolly Sale 3.15pm

Coronation Tea Towels

Coronation Tea Towels are now available to buy from our <u>School Uniform Shop</u> and you can view each one by visiting our <u>school website</u>

We are sure you will agree they are beautiful, and we thank Miss Loh, the teachers, and the children for all the hard work putting them together. The tea towels are extremely good quality and can be used as a tea-towel, framed, put aside for the future, and will also make great gifts for loved ones. The price of each tea-towel is ± 6.00 .

Please can we have final orders by **Wednesday 26th April 2023** as we are in a tight deadline for the Historical Event. Once we have final orders they will be ordered, printed, and sent back.

From Father Matthew:

Dear parent/carer, I'm writing to ask you to **Save The Dates** of two different parish fundraisers we have arranged for next term. Firstly, our <u>Summer Fair</u> (Saturday 24th June: 11am-3pm) and secondly <u>Boogie and Balti</u> (Saturday 15th July - 5:30pm - 10pm) **3**. I'll be dusting off my wigs for the latter and - if you like having a good time then - make sure to get a ticket (and bring your best moves 2)! They'll be on sale next term **3**.

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