



# CORPUS CHRISTI CATHOLIC SCHOOL

## FROM THE CO-HEADTEACHERS

**Friday 23rd May 2025**

**ISSUE 32**

### **Marian Procession**

On Monday we enjoyed a prayerful Marian Procession. Thank you for sending the children in with such beautiful flowers. We celebrated by coming together in the junior playground and our service began with a blessing and prayers from Fr. Mebrate. The children then processed into the school hall to lay their flowers at the statue of Our Lady, prayers were read by children from Year 6 and Our Blessed Mother was crowned with a posy of flowers. Flowers were also laid at Our Lady's statue in our memorial garden.



We have enjoyed a lovely final week of this half term and the Year 5 children have enjoyed an exciting and adventurous week in the New Forest camping. They have had such a wonderful experience playing Laser Tag and Bingo, getting wet on the 'Slippy Slide' and enjoying the 'Silent Disco' and Talent Show. They even watched the Europa League Final on the big screen as well as spending a day on Bournemouth beach. Our school has long championed the benefits of outdoor learning well away from technology. The experience of new activities and adventure while being away from the normal routines of home and school helps develop confidence, resilience and an important sense of independence. All of these skills help children to get on with and relate to their peers, which in turn boosts a sense of belonging.



We hope the weather continues to be warm for you during the half term break. The Year 6 children will be eagerly awaiting their residential trip to Little Canada on the Isle of Wight when we return to school on 2<sup>nd</sup> June.

### **Thank you**

The family of the late Duane Sewell, father of Cerys Class 3, would like to express their most heartfelt thanks for all the kind words of sympathy following Duane's sudden passing. They would also like to thank all the friends and families of the school who donated so generously to his memorial fund.

**CHILD OF THE WEEK FOR THE  
WEEK ENDING  
16TH MAY 2025**

<b>NURSERY</b>	<b>Theo W</b>
<b>CLASS 1</b>	<b>Lea L</b>
<b>CLASS 2</b>	<b>Zala M-E</b>
<b>CLASS 3</b>	<b>Cillian M</b>
<b>CLASS 4</b>	<b>Albi A</b>
<b>CLASS 5</b>	<b>Kayden C M</b>
<b>CLASS 6</b>	<b>Ezekiel D</b>
<b>CLASS 7</b>	<b>Myla J</b>
<b>CLASS 8</b>	<b>Jessica B-C</b>
<b>CLASS 9</b>	<b>Caius A</b>
<b>CLASS 10</b>	<b>Teddy D</b>
<b>CLASS 11</b>	<b>James F O</b>
<b>CLASS 12</b>	<b>Sofia L G</b>
<b>CLASS 13</b>	<b>Ava R</b>
<b>CLASS 14</b>	<b>Jacob O'C</b>

**ATTENDANCE  
MONDAY 19TH - FRIDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> MAY 2025**

<b>CLASS</b>	<b>%</b>
<b>7</b>	<b>100</b>
<b>10</b>	<b>100</b>
<b>11</b>	<b>100</b>
<b>12</b>	<b>100</b>
<b>14</b>	<b>100</b>
<b>6</b>	<b>99.6</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>99.2</b>
<b>5</b>	<b>99.1</b>
<b>8</b>	<b>98.5</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>98.1</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>96.0</b>
<b>9</b>	<b>96.0</b>
<b>13</b>	<b>95.1</b>
<b>1</b>	<b>95.0</b>
<b>N</b>	<b>94.6</b>

Congratulations to Classes 7, 10, 11 & 12 on their 100% attendance.  
Whole school average 98%

# WELLBEING NEWS



**Lambeth Black Thrive**

## THRIVE & VIBE

### CREATIVE DREAM SPACE

Join Black Thrive for an unforgettable Young People's Library Pop-Up, where literature meets *black culture, creativity, and community.*

30/05/2025  
11am - 4pm

STUDIO Z  
537 Brixton Station Road  
SW9 8QB

Join our Creative Workshops or a Book Club, or find a new story to dive into in our Reading Corner!  
COMMUNITY BOOK SWAP

SCAN CODE FOR FREE TICKETS



As part of a 3-year study working with young black researchers, Lambeth Black Thrive now excited to host a Creative Dream Space pop-up event specifically for young people in Lambeth

Friday, 30th May 2025, 11am - 4pm,  
Studio Z, 537 Brixton Station Rod, SW9 8QB.

And finally, while the weather is good, do try and get outside and spend some time in a park taking a walk, run, scoot or bike ride in nature - it's a great tonic for rounding off a busy week! Have a lovely half term break.

## Wednesday Open Mornings

As always if you have any concerns about your child's or your family's wellbeing, please contact Mrs Smart, our senior mental health lead, [ksmart@corpus-christi.org.uk](mailto:ksmart@corpus-christi.org.uk). If you would like further information or a chat just come along to our wellbeing Wednesday Open Morning 9:00am - 10:30am.

# PARENTS' ASSOCIATION

Everyone had a fun evening last Friday at the bingo evening. There were many winners and we would like to thank all the families who joined us and to all parents who helped during the evening.

## Dates for your diary

Lolly Sales in the playgrounds after school.

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> June  
Friday 13<sup>th</sup> June  
Friday 27<sup>th</sup> June



OUR SCHOOL HAS ACHIEVED THE

## Wellbeing Award for Schools

Promoting emotional wellbeing and mental health across our school

2025 - 2028



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# PARENTS' ZONE



## Mr Brady's Sports Camp

Mr Brady's May Half Term Sports Camp  
Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> May - Friday 30<sup>th</sup> May

[Click here for a booking form](#) or you can book on the day with Mr Brady.

## LegoLand

Our Year 3 & 4 children will be visiting Legoland, Windsor on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> June. The item is now available to pay on your ParentPay account.

## Black Thrive

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This event will feature fun creative workshops, a community book swap, and a book club discussion, all aimed at fostering a love of reading, promoting literacy and unity within our community.

We believe that access to diverse literature is crucial for their educational and personal development.

Black Thrive Lambeth Children and Young People are happy to share with you our free event and we would very much love you to share this with your school families!

[Click here for free tickets to the event.](#)

## Dominoes at Brixton Library

We are very fortunate to have created a link with our local domino club, The Brixton Immortals. Members from the club have visited Year 6 twice already to teach the children the history and rules of dominoes. The club has arranged additional practice sessions in Brixton Library and all families are very welcome to attend.

Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> May

Windrush Event

Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> June.

The sessions will run between 11:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. The sessions will provide you and your family with a wonderful opportunity to play dominoes together - led and guided by our local domino experts!!

## Corpus Christi Parish Summer Fair

We are all looking forward the annual Corpus Christi Parish Summer Fair

Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> June

12noon - 4:30pm

Come along for a fun afternoon with your children and friends. Enjoy some lovely food from around the world and drinks from the bar.

Each family in school has received this week two books of raffle tickets, great prizes to be won. Sold counterfoils and money can be returned to the school office along with any unsold books, thank you for your support.





**CORPUS CHRISTI CHURCH**

# Summer FAIR

**SATURDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> JUNE**

**12:00 PM - 4:30PM**

**LIVE MUSIC  
CAKE SALE  
PRIZE DRAW  
BOTTLE TOMBOLA**

**BRIC-A-BRAC  
KIDS' GAMES  
PLANT STALL  
BBQ/FOOD HALL**

**RAISING FUNDS FOR CHURCH REPAIRS**



# VCYM

## The Vaughan Centre for Young Musicians



### a chance for your son to benefit?

The Vaughan Centre for Young Musicians, held from 4.30-6.30 pm, on ten Mondays each term offers Primary School age boys (Years 4-6, ages 8-11) the opportunity to extend their music curriculum and receive specialist instrumental and choral tuition

Auditions to join in September 2025  
will be held in July 2025

Further details and apply online by clicking [HERE](#)  
or visit [www.cvms.co.uk](http://www.cvms.co.uk)

Closing Date for Applications Friday 27 June 2025



The Cardinal Vaughan Memorial School  
89 Addison Road, London, W14 8BZ

# Important dates for your diary for this coming half term.



<b>Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> May</b>	<b>9am CC v Henry Cavendish School at Rosendale Road</b>
<b>Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> May - Friday 30<sup>th</sup> May</b>	<b>HALF TERM Mr Brady's Sports Camp</b>
<b>Mon 2<sup>nd</sup> June</b>	<b>Year 6 PGL Residential Trip</b>
<b>Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>Reception Classes Trip to Bocketts Farm</b>
<b>Friday 6<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>9am Year 4, Classes 9 &amp; 10 Assembly  Year 6 Return from PGL  Parents' Association Lolly Sale after school</b>
<b>Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>Year 2, Classes 5 &amp; 6 Trip to St Paul's Cathedral  Year 4 Cricket Tournament</b>
<b>Friday 13<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>Mufti Day  9am Year 5, Classes 11 &amp; 12 Assembly  1pm - 6pm Summer Art Exhibition - Upper Hall  Parents' Association Lolly Sale after school</b>
<b>Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>12pm - 4.30pm Corpus Christi Parish Summer Fair  Summer Art Exhibition - Upper Hall</b>
<b>Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>Years 3 &amp; 4 Trip to Legoland</b>
<b>Friday 20<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>Corpus Christi Day</b>
<b>Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> June</b>	<b>Dominoes Lambeth Tournament Windrush Day Event - Brixton Library</b>
<b>Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> June</b>	<b>Reception Classes Trip to Royal Academy of Music</b>
<b>Friday 27<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>9am Year 3, Classes 7 &amp; 8 Assembly  Parents' Association Lolly Sale after school</b>
<b>Friday 4<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>Sports Day</b>

**Diary dates are published on our website, please do check as changes are sometimes necessary.**

# School Term Dates

## 2024-2025



Term	Term Dates	Holidays & Inset Days
Autumn 1	3rd September - 24th October 2024	<b>Inset</b> - 2nd September 2024 <b>Inset</b> - 25th October 2024  <b>Half Term</b> 28th - 1st November 2024
Autumn 2	4th November - 20th December 2024 <b>2pm Close</b>	<b>Christmas Holiday</b> 23rd December - 3rd January 2025 <b>Inset</b> - 6th January 2025
Spring 1	7th January - 14th February 2025	<b>Half Term</b> 17th - 21st February 2025
Spring 2	24th February - 4th April 2025 <b>2pm Close</b>	<b>Easter Holiday</b> 7th April - 21st April 2025 <b>Inset</b> - 22nd April 2025
Summer 1	23rd April - 23rd May 2025	<b>Half Term</b> 26th - 30th May 2025 <b>Bank Holiday</b> 5th May 2025
Summer 2	2nd June - 18th July 2025 <b>2pm Close</b>	<b>Summer Holiday</b> 21st July - 29th August 2025
2025-26	Start - 2nd September 2025	<b>Inset</b> - 1st September 2025

At the end of each full term we close at 2pm and there is no after school club.  
Please ensure that any holidays are booked out of term time.