## CORPUS CHRISTI CATHOLIC SCHOOL

FROM THE CO-HEADTEACHERS

### Friday 28th March 2025 ISSUE 26

#### **DIARY DATES**

#### . <u>Parents' Evenings</u>

This week you were given the opportunity to meet your child's class teacher during Parents' Evenings. These meetings allowed parents to speak to their child's teacher and you had a chance to see some of their work, as well as discussing progress and next steps in the children's learning. It was also great to see the children's enjoyment reading your comments about their work. We hope that you found this opportunity helpful.

#### <u>Royal Academy of Music</u>

On Tuesday, children from Reception and Year 2 showcased to their parents the new music skills they have learnt with their Royal Academy of Music teachers. We thank you all for your support in attending the concert, it means so much to the children and the school to see you there.

#### CAFOD's Big Lent Walk

We are delighted that Corpus Christi children will be reaching out to some of the poorest communities the Lent by supporting CAFOD's Big Lent Walk. Each class will be organising their walk. Please support your child and CAFOD by sponsoring them or making a donation by <u>clicking this link</u>.

#### EYFS Planting Morning

This week the Reception and Nursery children invited their parents to a "Planting Party" as part of their pupil leadership role, Little Buds. Little Buds take ownership of the school's natural environment and foster their leadership skills by caring for the plants they have planted. This experience not only enriches their learning but also instils a sense of responsibility and connection to nature. Hands-on activities such as planting embody the core principles of the EYFS Curriculum, nurture the holistic development of the children who learn about the natural world around them from a young age but also develop crucial skills such as teamwork, communication, and problemsolving.

Sat 29th March	9.30am CC v Bird in the Bush at Rosendale Road Playing Fields	
Mon 31st March	2.45pm - 3pm Pre Loved Uniform Sale - Church Hall	
Tues 1st April	9.30am Way of the Cross Performance Yrs 3, 4 & 5 2pm Way of the Cross Performance Yrs 3, 4 & 5	
Wed 2nd April	2.30pm Years 1 & 2 Easter Prayer Service & Bonnet Parade	
	Year 1 Trip to Unicorn Theatre	
Thurs 3rd April	Last Swimming Lesson for Class 8	
	2.30pm EYFS, Nursery & Reception Children Easter Prayer Service Bonnet Parade	
Fri 4th April	End of Term School closes at 2pm	
	THERE IS NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUB ON THIS DAY	
Mon 7th April - Mon 21st April	Easter Holiday	
Mon 7th April - Thurs 17th April	Mr Brady's Sports Camp	
Tues 22nd April	INSET DAY - School Closed to Pupils	
Wed 23rd April	Children Return to School	

#### Way of the Cross

We look forward to seeing our families attending our Easter performances and celebrations next week. On Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> April children in Years 3,4 and 5 will perform the Passion of our Lord in the main school hall. We thank our school staff for all their hard work preparing the children and reminding us of the importance of Jesus in our lives when we reflect on the Passion.

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#### CHILD OF THE WEEK FOR THE AT WEEK ENDING MON 24TH MARC 21ST MARCH 2025

NURSERY	Leilani B	
CLASS 1	Alice M	
CLASS 2	Daniella K	
CLASS 3	Emmanuel G Q	
CLASS 4	Aurora H	
CLASS 5	Orla D	
CLASS 6	Juliana K	
CLASS 7	Ethan O	
CLASS 8	Ceianna L	
CLASS 9	Sofia R V	
CLASS 10	Teddy D	
CLASS 11	Alex Z	
CLASS 12	Marie-Lynn A	
CLASS 13	Lara C	
CLASS 14	Emily C-G	

#### ATTENDANCE MON 24TH MARCH - FRI 28TH MARCH 2025

CLASS	%	1	98.5
4	100	3	98.5
5	100	9	98.3
12	99.5	6	97.7
11	99.1	10	97.1
14	99.0	13	96.0
2	98.9	7	95.2
8	98.9	N	94.2

#### Congratulations to Classes 4 & 5 on their 100% attendance. Whole school average 98%

#### Punctuality

We had 31 incidences of children arriving late to school this week, an increase on last week. Please make every effort to be on time, set a routine to leave home 5 minutes earlier. We are now referring children who are persistently late to school each week to Lambeth's Education Welfare Officer.

Remember children can go into class at 08:40am when the gates open, the gates will close promptly at 08:50am. Good punctuality is an important life skill.

#### <u>British Summer Time</u>

A reminder that the clocks go forward this Sunday 30th March by one hour at 1am for British Summer Time.



# WELLBEING NEWS



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#### Wellbeing Award

We are delighted to announce that Corpus Christi School has been awarded our Wellbeing Award from Optimus Education.

Thank you to all the parents, children and staff for your contributions towards this award.

#### Wednesday Open Mornings

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

## PARENTS'ASSOCIATION

### Pre-loved School Uniform Sale

Monday 31st March 2.45pm - 3pm Corpus Christi Church Hall Volunteers needed from 1pm, please email Mrs Hingston if you are able to help. vaehingston@gmail.com

#### Date for your Diary

Bingo Evening - Friday 16<sup>th</sup> May Children welcome and more details will be published after the holiday.









Thank you to everyone who donated a present for the our Mother's Day/Loved One Gifting afternoon. The children were very exciting choosing their gift and we hope you all have a lovely Mothering Sunday.





# PARENTS' ZONE



#### **After School Activity Clubs**

#### Spring Term Clubs Ending

Spring Term activity clubs have now finished with the exception of:

Tuesday Nature Club last session Tuesday 1st April, Wednesday Steel Pans & Wednesday Football last session Wednesday 2nd April.

#### Communications

If you have moved recently, changed your mobile number or email address, please ensure you keep the school updated with the new information.

If you are going to be away for any period of time and another adult will be looking after your child, please also make sure the school has full contact details, this is very important if we have to contact a responsible adult in an emergency.

#### **Outstanding Balances**

We ask that you check regularly your ParentPay account to ensure your balances on any service your child accesses at school is up to date, breakfast club, after school care club and music lessons.
Payments for residential trips for Years 4, 5 & 6 should be up to date with deposits paid. The next interim payment was due on 31st January 2025. If you have any queries or concerns regarding the trip please speak directly to your child's class teacher. Any concerns regarding payment please contact Ms Ruiz or the school office.

#### **Dominoes at Brixton Library**

#### Year 6 Partnership with Brixton Immortals

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 12th April and Saturday 26th April Saturday 10th May and Saturday 31st May 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!!



#### Coach Ciarán

As a FA qualified football coach, Ciarán develops boys and girls to become the best version of themselves in a fun, engaging and hardworking environment. For more information about the sessions he runs at local parks please <u>click here</u>.

**Brighton Marathon** 

Helen Grimes (Grandmother of Lila C5 and Sadie C4) is running the Brighton Marathon on 6th of April for MIND. Helen would appreciate your sponsorship.

https://www.justgiving.com/page/helen-grimes-2brighton?utm\_medium=FR&utm\_source=CL



#### **Easter Sports Camp**

<u>Mr Brady's Easter Sports Camp</u> Monday 7th April - Friday 11th April

and

Monday 14th April - Thursday 17th April Booking forms are available from the school office and the school website.

#### **Easy Funding Raising**

Did you know that you can support our school MIDAS fund without any additional cost to yourself when you shop online by creating a supporter account and following the instructions to set up a reminder button, this takes 2 minutes <u>click here</u>.

If you would like to contribute to CC MIDAS fund please <u>click here</u> for more information about the fund and how your donations are used at school to enhance your children's learning.

> After School Care Club Contact Numbers: 07727 658527 or 020 7274 4744 Option 2 Corpus Christi Trent Road

## **EYFS Planting Morning**













Thank you to all the parents who were able to come along, the children are excited to see their little seeds appear.

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## SUMMER UNIFORM

From Wednesday 23rd April 2025 the children return to school wearing their summer uniform.

Nursery children wear blue P.E shorts with their polo shirt and sweater.

Girls from Reception to Year 4 wear the Corpus Christi summer dress & straw boater.

Girls in Year 5 & 6 wear the Corpus Christi school blouse available from school or a plain blue blouse, with either skirt or culottes.

All boys from Reception to Year 6 wear grey shorts (no combat patch pockets) available from High Street stores & Corpus Christi socks which are available from school.

With the exception of the girls plain blue blouses & boy's shorts, all these items are available to purchase from the school uniform shop.

## **BY CLICKING HERE**

REMEMBER TO PLACE YOUR ORDERS AND COLLECT FORM SCHOOL BEFORE THE EASTER BREAK

## 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.