



VE Day 80th Celebration

Communities across the UK have been holding a number of events to commemorate the 80th anniversary of VE Day. On Wednesday, the Digi Leaders visited the Tate Modern to explore the Electric Dreams exhibition. On the walk back they were fortunate to see the engaging tribute to some of the hidden heroes, those who served on the Home Front, of the Second World War. A long dinner table featured reserved places for WW2 veterans, each setting displaying the name, face, and a brief history of their wartime service. These accounts, often detailing remarkable bravery or profound selflessness from individuals of all ages and backgrounds, offered a powerful glimpse into wartime Britain.

On Thursday, Lambeth Council invited the community to come together to commemorate VE Day at Windrush Square. The event was attended by The Mayor of Lambeth, Councillor Adrain Garden, Councillor Claire Holland, Florence Eshalomi, MP for Vauxhall and Camberwell Green, Bell Ribeiro-Addy, MP for Clapham and Brixton Hill, and Lambeth Councillor Nanda Manley-Browne. The event was an opportunity to remember the end of the Second World War in Europe and to honour the bravery and sacrifice of all who served. Our school choir, led by Miss Brown, performed a few songs and were fortunate to hear inspiring speeches from some of the dignitaries in attendance as well as Deputy Lieutenant Christopher Wellbelove, Brigadier Karl Harris and Reverend Michael King. Many in attendance remarked on our children's performance and excellent behaviour. A few children were also asked to give an interview for the local press. We thank all those parents who were also able to support the children.

Year 6

We wish all children in Year 6 every success for their SATs next week. The children have worked exceptionally hard all year and we thank all the staff who have taught them and given so much time to provide additional tuition and booster classes.

Year 4

We wish Year 4 a great week on their residential school journey to The South London Scout Centre, Dulwich. We look forward to hearing about all their adventures.

Football

The girls played an amazing game of football last Saturday against Julian's School in the quarter final, at full time the match ended 1-1 with our goal scored by River. The match then went to penalties and Julian's won 5-1, but well done to our girls who were playing a team in the division above so to draw was a huge achievement!!

The boys won their match 5-1 against Telferscot School, 3 goals scored by Caden and 2 by Clement, well done to you all.



CHILD OF THE WEEK FOR THE WEEK ENDING 2ND MAY 2025

NURSERY	Sebastian U T
CLASS 1	Freddie W
CLASS 2	Ariana M V
CLASS 3	Ben C L
CLASS 4	Maria M
CLASS 5	Lucia R O
CLASS 6	Daisy W
CLASS 7	Aurelio S
CLASS 8	Martyna C W
CLASS 9	Alidi-Lilli P
CLASS 10	Eleanor Y
CLASS 11	Mia E
CLASS 12	Aaliyah T-L
CLASS 13	Masia M
CLASS 14	Cleo D'A

ATTENDANCE TUESDAY 6TH MAY - FRIDAY 9TH MAY 2025

CLASS	%
1	100
5	100
9	100
10	100
11	100
12	100
8	99.5
14	99.3
4	99.0
6	99.0
7	99.0
13	98.9
3	97.0
2	95.9
N	92.0

Congratulations to Classes 1, 5, 9, 10, 11 & 12 on their 100% attendance.
Whole school average 99%

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. If you would like further information or a chat just come along to our wellbeing Wednesday Open Morning 9:00am - 10:30am.

PARENTS' ASSOCIATION



Dates for your Diary

Bingo Evening - Friday 16th May

Entry tickets will need to be purchased in advance from [The School Uniform Shop, click here](#). You can also purchase in advance your bingo booklets, 5 games with 6 cards or 5 games with 3 cards.

Meal Deal Tickets can be bought in advance:

Sausage Roll or Pizza Slice with small chips £3.00 each

Large chips, sausage roll or pizza slice £2.00 each.

Food and drink can also be purchased during the evening along with more bingo books.

Numbers for the evening will be limited so please make your purchases soon and you can collect your orders from the school office.

Friday Lolly Sales during the summer term after school in the playgrounds.

6th, 13th and 27th June



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BINGO NIGHT

**BINGO BOOKS CAN BE PURCHASED IN ADVANCE
ALONG WITH YOUR ENTRY TICKETS & MEAL
TOKENS FROM THE SCHOOL UNIFORM SHOP &
COLLECTED FROM THE SCHOOL OFFICE.**

[FOLLOW THIS LINK TO BUY](#)

**ADDITIONAL BOOKS CAN BE BOUGHT DURING THE
EVENING, CASH OR CONTACTLESS**

REFRESHMENTS AND FOOD ALSO AVAILABLE

FRIDAY, 16 MAY 2025 | DOORS OPEN AT 6:30PM

EYES OPEN AT 7.00PM | ADULT £3.00 & CHILD 50P

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CATHOLIC SCHOOL
PARENTS' ASSOCIATION



PARENTS' ZONE

Dulwich Festival 2025

Artists' Open House

Looking for something to do this weekend or next, why not pop along to the Dulwich Festival Artists' Open House

Saturday 10th & Sunday 11th May
Saturday 17th & Sunday 18th May

Some of the art work has been created by parents at Corpus Christi School.

Please follow this link
for more information and other events happening in and around Dulwich.

Dulwich Hill
Festival

A feast of local food,
music, stories and art!



Free School Meals - New Rules

Free School Meal eligibility will be changing from 1st April 2025

Pupils who are eligible for free school meals with eligibility between 1st April 2018 and 31st March 2025 will be eligible until the end of their school phase, year 6, your status will then need to be rechecked.

Pupils with eligibility from 1st April 2025, we are now required to carry out termly checks. Parents will need to inform schools of changes in circumstances.

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 17th May & 31st May
Windrush Event
Saturday 21st 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!!

SVP Clothes Bank

Corpus Christi Parish Saint Vincent De Paul Society (SVP) will be hold a free clothes bank on Monday 12th May 11am - 1pm at St Vincent Centre, Talma Road, SW2 1AS.

Free second-hand clothes for adults and children. For more information call 07949 603368.

Violin Lessons

We have places available for violin lessons in school. Mr Mario teaches children from Year 2 - Year 6. If you would like your child to start lessons next half term please email office@corpus-christi.org.uk

LegoLand

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



Our Year 5 children preformed amazingly this week singing at the VE commemoration at Windrush Square, Brixton. We hope you had a chance to see them on last night's ITV evening news.



Following the Digi Leaders trip this week to Tate Modern the children had the opportunity to walk along the Embankment and see the lovely tables laid with plates featuring WW2 veterans, displaying the name, face and a brief history of their wartime service

Important dates for your diary for this coming half term.



Monday 12th May	Year 6 SAT's Week Year 4 Residential Trip to The Fort, Dulwich Scouts Centre (return Wed 14th May) Year 2 Trip to Brockwell Greenhouses
Monday 19th May	Year 5 School Journey - YHA New Forest Marian Procession
Friday 16th May	9am Year 1, Classes 3 & 4 Assembly 6pm Bingo Evening
Mon 19th May - Friday 23rd May	Year 5 Residential Trip - New Forest YHA
Thursday 22nd May	Reading Ambassador's Trip to Brixton Library
Friday 23rd May	9am Reception Classes 1 & 2 Assembly
Tuesday 27th May - Friday 30th May	HALF TERM Mr Brady's Sports Camp
Mon 2nd June	Year 6 PGL Residential Trip
Thursday 5th June	Reception Classes Trip to Bocketts Farm
Friday 6th June	9am Year 4, Classes 9 & 10 Assembly Year 6 Return from PGL Parents' Association Lolly Sale after school
Friday 13th June	Mufti Day 9am Year 5, Classes 11 & 12 Assembly Parents' Association Lolly Sale after school
Saturday 14th June	Corpus Christi Parish Summer Fair
Wednesday 18th June	Years 3 & 4 Trip to Legoland

School Term Dates

2024-2025



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