



**Christ Church**  
CE Primary School

Growing and Learning Together in Christ

Head Teacher: Mrs S. Howard

# CHRIST CHURCH NEWSLETTER

Friday 19th April 2024, Issue 27

## Weekly News & Updates

We have had a wonderful day for our Eid celebrations. Thank you to all the parents and family members for their contributions and support.

We are looking for parent quotes to be shared on a leaflet we are putting together to promote our school to prospective parents.

Please send your quotes in via the school email address:  
christchurch@thesycamoretrust.co.uk

Please click on the [link](#) to see the new school menu which started this week.

Please see the [link](#) for School Crossing Patrol permanent vacancies.

Further to the Government's announcement to provide Wrap-around care for school aged children.

Please click on the [link](#) for a Wrap-around Care Survey for parents to complete.

## Week commencing 22nd April:

Monday:

Tuesday:

- Y3&4 Cricket Club until 4.30pm

Wednesday:

- Y4,5&6 Karate Club until 4.30pm

Thursday:

- Y1&2 Olympic Games Club until 4.30pm

Friday:

## Pictures from the week



## Class attendance this week:

Reception	96%
Hazel	97%
Holly	95%
Elm	91%
Larch	96%
Maple	96%
Oak	98%

House Points

**Howarth - 1873**

**Wood - 1949**

**Peel - 1887**

**Kay - 1547**

## Cabin Crew

You are now able to book before & after school club sessions via School Money for the weeks commencing the 22nd & 29th of April 2024.



# Class Reminders

## Seedlings Class:

- Forest school session Wednesday 24th April.
- If your child has an all-in-one water-proof please can your child bring it in.

## Saplings Class:

- Forest school session Wednesday 24th April.
- PE day Tuesday. Please ensure your child has a fully named PE kit in school.
- Sharing books will be changed on a Wednesday.
- Reading books changed on a Friday.
- Any more mystery readers out there then please sign up!

## Hazel Class:

- Spelling letters came home on Monday and are on the class page of the website and Seesaw. Let Mrs Hudson or Mrs Holt know if you need another copy.
- We will be visiting the library again on Thursday 25th April. We go fortnightly.
- Please return our Townley Hall slips as soon as possible.

## Holly Class:

- New reading books are being sent home today.
- Please make sure reading records are signed and returned every Friday.
- Holly Class PE days are Thursday and Friday.
- We will be visiting the library on Thursday 2nd May. Please return library books for this date.

## Elm Class:

- Home readers and records are to be brought back in on a Friday latest.
- Forest school dates 24th April, 1st May, 8th May. Please see letter [here](#).

## Larch Class:

- Class assembly on May 1st at 9am.
- Please ensure reading books are brought in with a signed reading record on Tuesdays.
- PE days are Monday and Thursday.
- The times tables check is scheduled for w/c 03/06. Any extra practise at home would be greatly appreciated.

## Maple Class:

- PE days are Tuesdays and Fridays, please remember PE kits on these days
- Reading books to be brought in each Thursday please.
- Spelling tests are on Thursday afternoons.
- Woodhey open evening for Year 5 prospective students on Thursday, 4th July 2024 from 5.00pm to 8.00pm

## Oak Class:

- Robinwood and SAT's Zoom - 25<sup>th</sup> April - 17:30pm-18:00pm
- Meeting ID: 769 9704 3643
- Passcode: Oak
- PE Mondays and Thursdays, please remember PE kits.
- Homework to be handed in on the first Monday.
- Woodhey Year 6 transition evening on Monday 1st July 2024, 5.30pm. Transition days on Tuesday 2nd and Wednesday 3rd July 8.30am-3pm.



# Golden Book Stars of the Week

Hazel

*Isabelle, Eva, Jacob S, Lotheg*

Holly

*Alice, Abbas, Luke T*

Elm

*Mylee, Pavlos*

Larch

*Max, Ruby*

Maple

*Alana, Mila*

Oak

*Sofia, Jack, Hashim*



# FRIENDS NEWSLETTER 19th April 2024



## Friends AGM

Mon 22nd April 7pm

School Staff Room

All Welcome

We firmly believe that more voices from across the school year groups make the best Friends Committee for our school.

Whether you can spare 1 hour per week or 1 hour per term we'd love to hear from you!

Come along & find out what we've been upto over the past year, share your ideas & find out how you could help over the coming year.

Please refer to the Friends Page of the school website for previous meeting minutes

Email [friendsccw1862@gmail.com](mailto:friendsccw1862@gmail.com) for more info

## Loose Change Challenge 2024

Now - Tues 30th April

Donations are still being made & an update on the winners so far will be given next week!

Don't forget there's a class treat up for grabs for the winning class who raise the most money!

Any donation is gratefully received

## Thank you!

Our Easter Bingo event raised  
**£602.80**

Whether you attended, donated, bought raffle tickets or helped out we're grateful of the support.

## Friends CLUB 100

Join NOW for your chance to scoop a cash prize each month & support Friends

Prize each month draw with cash prize each month

You must be over the age of 16 to enter  
Email

[Friendsccw1862@gmail.com](mailto:Friendsccw1862@gmail.com) or pop into the school office for a joining pack

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- Mon 22nd April 2024  
Friends AGM - 7pm - School Staff Room
- Thurs 23rd May 2024  
Friends Forest Evening
- Fri 28th June 2024  
Summer Fair



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## Diary Dates

Wednesday 1st May 2024 - Larch Class Assembly at 9am

Thursday 2nd May 2024 - Closed due to polling station for Local Elections

Monday 6th May 2024 - Closed for the Bank Holiday

Monday 13th March until Thursday 16th March - Year 6 SATs

Wednesday 22nd May 2024 - Key Stage 2 Sports Day

Thursday 23rd May 2024 - Maple Class Assembly at 9am

Thursday 23rd May 2024 - Key Stage 1 Sports Day

Friday 24th May 2024 - Last day of term

Monday 3rd June 2024 - School re-opens

Thursday 20th June 2024 - Class Photographs

Thursday 20th June - Y6 Leavers Service at Manchester Cathedral 1.30pm

[Term Dates Website Link](#)

## Upcoming School Visits

[Tuesday 21st May 2024 - Year 6 Fire Safety Centre](#)

Monday 17th June until Wednesday 19th June 2024 - Year 6 Robinwood

## CHILDHOOD RASHES

The information below aims to help parents/guardians tell different rashes apart. Click on name of illness below to go to nhs.uk website with more information about each illness and pictures of the rash.

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Illness	Common Features
<b><u>Measles</u></b>	Usually starts with cold-like symptoms, often with a high temperature above 38.0 and may have red, watery and crusty eyes, followed by a rash a few days later. Some people may also get small spots in their mouth. A few days later a rash appears. It usually starts on the face and behind the ears before spreading to the rest of the body. The spots are sometimes raised and join together to form blotchy patches, and not usually itchy. The rash looks brown or red on white skin. It may be harder to see on brown and black skin.
<b><u>Roseola</u></b>	Generally mild illness, often no symptoms but may be 3 to 5 days of fever, which can be followed by a rash with a mixture of flat discoloured areas of skin and small pinkish red spots, although most children have a viral illness with no rash. It may be harder to see the rash on brown or black skin. Unlike measles, the rash appears when the child is feeling better and the fever has passed.
<b><u>Scarlet fever</u></b>	Sore throat with pus/yellow patches, high fever. Usually no cough. About 12 to 48 hours later a pink or red rash with a mixture of flat discoloured areas and small raised bumps tends to start on the tummy, spreading to neck, back and limbs. On brown and black skin it might be harder to see a change in colour, but you can still feel the rash and see the raised bumps. A white coating of the tongue may be present ('strawberry tongue').
<b><u>Slapped cheek syndrome</u></b>	Also known as 'fifth disease'. Child has very red cheeks followed by a red rash which is more noticeable on arms and legs. The rash can be raised and itchy. It may be harder to see on brown and black skin. Before the rash appears the child may have cold-like symptoms with a fever or headache.
<b><u>Rubella (german measles)</u></b>	Usually mild and up to 50% of cases may have no symptoms. 1-5 days before a red or pink rash appears the child may be generally unwell and have cold-like symptoms and may have a fever. May have swollen glands behind the ears and neck. The spotty rash is usually mild, starts on the face and behind the ears and then spreads to other parts of the body. It can be harder to see on brown or black skin, but might feel rough or bumpy.
<b><u>Glandular fever</u></b>	More common in teenagers. Mainly starts with a sore throat and often feeling generally unwell with a fever. Glands (armpit, groin, neck, head or elbow) swell. About 1 in 10 people with the infection have a red blotchy rash, which may be harder to see on brown or black skin.

For pictures of rashes, including some not listed above see [rashes-babies-and-children](#)



**Would you like to:**

- ☐ Practise some **mindful activities**?
- ☐ Pick up some strategies to support **positive mental health and wellbeing**?
- ☐ Look at ways to **de-stress** as a family?
- ☐ Learn how **mindful eating** can help your mood?
- ☐ Practise some **basic meditations**?

Come along to our **free** 5-week course  
**HEALTHY MINDS – HEALTHY FAMILIES**  
for parents, grandparents and carers

**Starting on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April, 9.30-11.30am**



Call **0161 253 5772** to book your place

**East Bury Family Hub**

**25 Dorset Drive, Bury, BL9 9DN**

# Global Policing Summer School Cadets

## Availability

Week 1. 29/07/24 - 02/08/24


Week 2. 05/08/24 - 09/08/24

Week 3. 12/08/24 - 16/08/24

- Museum Visits
- Park visits
- Farm visits
- Activity days
- Personal development
- Lunch provided



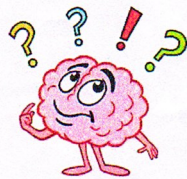
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# Fun Quiz Night



**Saturday 27th April**

**@ 7.30 pm**

**In the Library**

**£5 includes pasty & peas**

Tickets available from the Tottington  
Centre



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