



# Christ the King Catholic Academy

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Newsletter – 14th June 2024

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## Dates for your Diary

Wednesday 19th June

Year 4 Children's  
University

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Rec Stay & Play

Thursday 20th June

Children's University

Friday 28th June

Summer Fair

## Children's University



Year 4's Children's University assembly will now take place on Wednesday 19th June at 2.15pm. All other classes will be Thursday 20th June. If your child will be receiving an award you will receive a message next week inviting you to the assembly. If you are still yet to make the £3 payment, please go to the 'outstanding payments' section of the MCAS app. Any hours submitted now will go towards next years Children's University (June/July 2025)

## Farmer Parrs

Last Friday Reception class enjoyed a wonderful trip to Farmer Parrs. Mrs. Schofield and Miss Malone were so impressed with how well behaved the children were. The children showed such confidence and bravery when holding, feeding and stroking the animals.



## First Holy Communion

These beautiful children will be receiving their first Holy Communion at the 11:15am Sunday Mass this weekend. Please keep them in your prayers.

## Year 4 - Sandcastle

Just a reminder about Year 4's trip to the Sandcastle on Thursday 20th June. If you are still yet to make a payment, please go to the MCAS app to do so.





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## Golden Book Assembly

Congratulations to all those that received a certificate this week.

**Nursery** Grayson B for showing his teachers his amazing listening skills this week! And for creating beautiful pictures focusing on his fine motor skills.

**Reception** Harry G. Harry has been SO enthusiastic about his learning this week because it is all about pirates! Harry has been role playing, creating pirate ships and he has been so focused. We are so proud of him!

Adam H. Adam has been a sensible superstar this week. He reminds his friends about being safe and sensible, and he has been working hard to do this himself too. This is a tricky thing for Adam to do, and we are so proud of him for this. Keep it up and you'll be ready for Year 1 in no time!

**Year 1** Ethan H. Ethan has really impressed his teachers this week with his attitude to learning. He has been joining in with carpet sessions, working hard on the tables and helping others. Well done Ethan - Keep it up!

Hudson-Jay W. Hudson has settled into his Year One class so well. It is like he has always been here. We are so happy to welcome you into our CTK family Hudson. Well done for being such a super star!

**Year 2** Lucas V. Lucas has impressed us with his can do attitude. He has found going in different outdoor areas a bit challenging and scary, but has faced his fears and has made such good progress. We love that you have not given up Lucas, you should be proud of yourself!

Liliana C. Liliana always goes above and beyond in her writing and creativity, I have been so impressed with her writing and how well it is presented. Also Liliana you are an amazing artist, I love all the wonderful art work you produce. Well done and keep it up!

**Year 3** Freddie H for a complete change of attitude towards learning since the start of this half term.

This half term Freddie has come back listening well and much more confidence in himself. As a result, he has produced some fantastic work which has been amazing to see.

Joshua O for his amazing fractions work that he completed at home independently without even being asked! Well done Joshua!

**Year 4** Lola-Rae B for her confident retrieval of key facts and information in our Reading sessions

Henry B for persevering with your spellings. Well done Henry!

**Year 5** Daniel P for overcoming so many fears at Water Park. Initially Daniel was reluctant to climb high or take part in water sports. However by the afternoon, Daniel was pushing himself out of his comfort zone, taking the lead and excelling in so many challenges. He pushed through his nerves and really made us proud. Well done!

Daisy T-C for making good progress in math's. Daisy is now confidently converting between decimals, percentages and fractions after an initial struggle. When she puts her mind to it, she can work so well.

**Year 6** Alice D for showing excellent use of author's voice in her letter to St Mary's. Her unique style of writing is a joy to read.

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## Date Change

Change of date for the showcase dress rehearsal. Unfortunately, due to a clash at St Mary's we have had to change the date of the dress rehearsal to Wednesday 3rd July from 3pm– 5.45pm. This rehearsal is for CTK dance and CTK mini dance children. Sorry for any inconvenience with this change of date.





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## Spelling Awards

Well done to Daniel P, Dalton W, Lillie-Mae A, Nathaniel M, Brendan F, Inaya T-F and Zowie G for receiving their spelling awards certificates. Well done to you all and keep up the good work!



## Breakfast Club

This week Den building was high on the priority list for the team. Mrs Smith saw a video of the excitement and it made her day! We also welcome back Mrs Sladkiewicz to her role, we have missed her.



## Seagull Safety

This week we had an opportunity to help an injured bird during Thursday lunchtime. A young seagull had somehow got stuck in one of the lights of our external lamp posts earlier this week. Despite its best efforts (and the encouraging calls of a large group of neighboring birds!) the creature could not break free. Mrs Smith called our site team who skillfully managed to secure its release with care, despite the lamppost being very high! Once on the ground it was clear it had an injury to its leg. We took the bird to a local vets to be cared for. A big thank you to the children and staff who dealt with the situation.



## Tap Once More

A big thanks to the group of children who joined Mrs Smith to begin work on a tap routine for the Showcase. The routine is being choreographed by JC Dance's Joanna Crawford, a local dance teacher. The children worked incredibly hard during their hour long session and are already looking forward to next week!



## After School Club

Just a reminder for any children being booked onto after school club, please make sure you have booked your child on by 2pm of the day you require them to be in, we can no longer do this over the phone except for exceptional circumstances. If your child has not been booked on and not collected at the end of the school day then a call home will be made and your child will wait with a senior leader, they will not be put into after school club and a late collection charge will then be applied. Because we are full on most days any sessions you have booked for and no longer require please cancel the session via the app or by calling the office, this will allow another family to book their child on. Failure to cancel a session the charge will not be removed. If the office is closed when you come to collect your child, please call the after school club phone on

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This week is the start of our school's journey to achieve the School of Sanctuary Award. All schools in the BEBCMAT trust are working toward earning this award over the next 12 months. What is a School of Sanctuary? A place that fosters a culture of welcome belonging and solidarity for those seeking safety. A school that educates the whole school community about the experiences and realities of people who have been forced to flee to foster empathy and understanding. A school that plays an active role in building a culture of welcome by connecting with and supporting local refugee organisations, collaborating with other institutions to raise awareness and advocate for a kinder approach towards those seeking safety. This award will just celebrate and highlight the good work we are already doing in school, alongside our cultural calendar. Next week is World Refugee week. On Thursday 20th June, the whole school will be entering a nationwide assembly and doing some activities in their class. If you would like to know more, please watch this short video.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1vbS3ES-IPE&t=2s>

We are keen that parents and carers and the wider community are engaged with the process. You will be kept updated regularly via class dojo and newsletters and parents will be invited into special events over the coming months.

## Upcoming Events

|                                       |                                     |                       |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>June 19th, 26th &amp; 3rd July</b> | <b>Reception Stay &amp; Play</b>    | <b>3.30 - 4.15pm</b>  |
| <b>June 19th</b>                      | <b>Year 4 Children's University</b> | <b>2.15pm</b>         |
| <b>June 20th</b>                      | <b>Children's University</b>        | <b>TBC</b>            |
| <b>June 28th</b>                      | <b>Summer Fair</b>                  | <b>1.30 - 3pm</b>     |
| <b>June 24th</b>                      | <b>EYFS Sports Day</b>              | <b>9.15 - 10.15am</b> |
| <b>June 24th</b>                      | <b>KS2 Sports Day</b>               | <b>1:15pm</b>         |
| <b>June 25th</b>                      | <b>KS1 Sports Day</b>               | <b>9 - 11am</b>       |
| <b>July 3rd</b>                       | <b>Showcase Dress Rehearsal</b>     | <b>3 - 5.45pm</b>     |
| <b>July 4th &amp; 5th</b>             | <b>Moving Up Day</b>                | <b>All Day</b>        |
| <b>July 4th</b>                       | <b>End Of Year Reports</b>          |                       |
| <b>July 10th</b>                      | <b>Showcase Tech Rehearsal</b>      | <b>3 - 5.45pm</b>     |
| <b>July 11th</b>                      | <b>SHOWCASE</b>                     | <b>6 - 8.30pm</b>     |
| <b>July 15th</b>                      | <b>Year 6 Ball</b>                  | <b>TBC</b>            |