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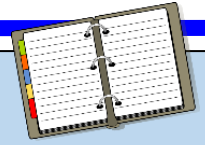
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## End of Term

This week of school has seen an incredible array of performances, events, matches and activities. Thank you to everyone who has supported, attended or been involved with any of these events. I want to especially thank my brilliant staff team who, as always, have worked tirelessly behind the scenes to ensure that all our children have the skills and resources to succeed whether it is in a play, academically, musically or through sport.

We are very proud of our Y6 SATs results which will be shared with parents on Monday with the school reports. I was blown away reading the reports and seeing first hand how much every child in our school has grown this year.

*Mrs Osborne*

## Attendance

As we lead up to the end of term we are seeing a mix of attendance throughout the school due to Year 6 transition days and holidays. Last week we had a fab five classes achieving above 97% and four classes obtaining below 92%. A big well done to 3/4AD who gained a brilliant 98.3%. Thank you for your continued support.

Red = Below 92%

Amber = 92-96%

Green = 97+%



## Last Week of Term!

As we enter the last week of the school year, please can we remind you that children must take their PE kits home with them by Thursday next week. We also ask that they bring in a plastic bag to enable them to take all of their books and work from this year home.

On Friday 20<sup>th</sup> July, children are allowed to bring in a toy. However we request that they do not bring in any wheels or electronics! Thank you.

## Diary Dates

### July

Monday 16<sup>th</sup> - Reports out + Y6 SATs results for Y6  
Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> – Y6 Leavers Service 1.30pm  
Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> – Y6 Leavers Picnic Evening  
Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> - The Wrong Trousers £1 for Grand Appeal  
Friday 20<sup>th</sup> - End of Year! Dress Down

### September

Monday/Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> - Inset Days  
Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> - Start of Term 1

### Inset Days 2018/2019

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> November  
Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February

## Year 6 Dates

17<sup>th</sup> July – 1:30-3:00 (approx) Leavers Service @ Sanctuary Church (Parents Welcome)  
18<sup>th</sup> July – 5pm Year 6 Leavers Picnic with family

## Outstanding Debts

**Unfortunately there are still outstanding amounts owed for school lunches, trips, camps and music lessons. All outstanding amounts will be chased next week, with a phone call by School Business Manager or Headteacher.**

If you require a payment plan, please contact the school office.

## CCJ Hero Service

On Thursday we welcomed parents/carers and local community to celebrate all they do for us over the year. By raising funds, reading with children, helping with daily classroom preparation etc. **Just remember that not all heroes wear capes!** Thank you to everyone who has helped us this year. Your support is appreciated by us all!

## Year 2 Parents Information/Welcome

We are looking forward to welcoming our new Year 3's in September, and hope that they are getting excited too! The first bell rings at 8.45am followed by the second bell at 8.55am when lessons formally begin. Next week we will tell you where to bring your child for the first day of term.

Just a reminder that if you have not completed a data collection sheet or require a medical care plan for your child, this needs to be handed in to the school office by the end of term.

Prior to your child starting in Sept, we will send a link of how to sign up to online payment. This will be emailed in Sept once Y3 records are transferred to us. You will have time to register ahead of the first day, however, we will also accept cash or cheque for the first few weeks as well.

Tuck can be purchased daily from the hall. Toast, croissants, juice and fruit can all be purchased with cash. (There is no free fruit provision at the Juniors). No items are more than 50p.



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## Wrong Trousers Day

On Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> July, we will be having our Wrong Trousers day. Please can children come to school in their normal top half of school uniform but then wearing 'The Wrong Trousers'. There is a suggested contribution of £1 which will go directly to the Grand Appeal for the Bristol Children's hospital.



## Quick Cricket Match

Earlier this week Year 4 played against Longwell Green in a Quick Cricket competition. They all played really well and really did themselves and CCJ Proud.

Despite us only having seven players and Longwell Green having eleven, we still won with 66 runs to their 16! Fabulous result! Well done to all who took part.



## Year 6 Leavers Service

1:30pm on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> July at Sanctuary Church, there will be a special Leavers Service. This is a service to celebrate Year 6's time at CCJ and to wish them luck with their future. All are welcome, however priority seating will be given to parents/carers of Year 6.



## Dinner Money

Please note that as of Term 1 the cost of school dinners will go up to **£2.20**. Please ensure that you are paying the correct amount if your child has school dinners. Many thanks

## Premier Sports Term 1 after School & Summer Holiday Clubs

After school clubs for Term 1 have now been agreed and will run as follows:

**Monday – Sports Academy Years 5 & 6**

**Tuesday – Gymnastics Years 3 & 4**

**Wednesday - Football Years 3 & 4**

**Thursday - Football Years 5 & 6**

**Friday – Nerf Years 3 to 6**

Details of the Summer Holiday Clubs are attached to this newsletter. To book any Summer Premier Sports clubs or after school clubs, you can book online at <https://www.premier-education.com/>



## House Cup

The winners of the House Cup this week were Phoenix House! Congratulations! We wonder which house will win the end of the year?!

## Nation Book Tokens

Please vote for Christ Church Junior on the website below. This is a national competition to enable a school to win £5000 of book tokens. The more votes we receive, the better our chances of winning. The closing date is 31st July. Thank you for your support. <https://www.nationalbooktokens.com/schools>

## That Monday Thing

We made special boxes and decorated them with 6 of the Bible verses we have learnt this year. We had great fun. This week we had a picnic & a party for our year 6 Bible Club leavers.

Helen, Michelle & Louise



## Lost Property!

As the end of term is fast approaching we still have an incredible amount of lost property! We would like to see the items reunited with their owners so On Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> July all items will be displayed on the playground, so please take time to come and check if any of it is your child's. Anything left at the end of the term will go into the clothes bank.



## Ukulele Concert

This morning the Year 4 children performed in their Ukulele Concert in the School Hall. They have been practising very hard since April and were really looking forward to showing off their musical talent! It was so lovely to see how much they have learnt this term, and was wonderful to see so many parents attend.

## Did you know...

...that 21% of children in the Lower Band and 45% of children in the Upper Band said that they had been bullied online?





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## Enterprise Project

This term Year 5 and 6 have been testing their business minds in our enterprise project. They asked for a loan from their parents and carers in order to create their own healthy snacks. They worked in teams to survey, budget, advertise, create and sell their own products. The children sold their products to the rest of the school at playtimes in order to make a profit. Products were thoroughly enjoyed by the children and ranged from ice lollies, to snack boxes, flap jacks to smoothies. We were very impressed with their sales patter and the children were very enthusiastic about what they learnt through the project.



## Year 6 Production

Wow! This week Year 6 really impressed us with their acting and singing skills! They performed in their production of Joseph and the Technicoloured Dreamcoat and were tremendous! Despite the heat they managed to sing their hearts out beautifully. It was so lovely to see everyone up on stage enjoying themselves! A huge well done to all who took part, spending time learning lines and all the wonderful songs. A big thank you to the Year 6 team for all their hard work leading up to and during the performance and especially a thank you to the parent helpers who volunteered their time.

