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## **School Values**

As you may know we have 6 school values, which become a focus of our assemblies and learning in school. This week we have had them displayed in our hall for all to see, in addition to the butterfly display in the entrance. This term the value is humility.



## **Parents Evenings**

There will be two parents evenings in Term 4, these will be held on **Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> March** and **Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> March**. For the first time we will be using an online booking system for the slots. More information about this will follow. Please ensure that if you can't make either of these dates you try to catch the class teacher at another time.

# Road safety

Road Safety continues to be an issue of concern – please ensure that you remind children of how to cross roads and use the crossing patrol safely.

## Medication

Please ensure that all medication is handed in at the office and not given to children to bring in or teachers at the classroom door. The new term is also a good opportunity for you to check that inhalers are still full and in date.

#### **Car Parking**

All drivers MUST be extra careful and vigilant when driving on the premises. Under NO CIRCUMSTANCES can the pavements be parked on and all pedestrian walking zones must be kept clear. Only **disabled badge holders** may park their car on site. Please follow these rules to help protect your children.

## Inter-house Cross Country

This week the children participated in an Inter-house Cross Country in year groups. It was a runaway success and we were impressed to see so many children giving their best. We certainly saw the benefits that the daily mile is having upon the children's fitness. Congratulations to Phoenix House for winning the event and collecting 100 house points! The first 3 children in each house have also had certificates to recognise their individual speedy efforts.



## **Governors Wanted**

# Are you interested in becoming a CCJ Governor?

What is the time commitment?

- > Full Meetings x 6 each year
- > Committee Meetings x 6 each year
- > Meetings are normally in the evening
- > Preparation for meetings by reading relevant papers is vital
- > Where possible, help in school

If you, or a member of the community that you know, are interested in knowing more about the role of Governor, then please get in touch with our clerk, Frances McMillan by emailing christchurchjunior@sgmail.org.uk (we will forward it to her).

This is the last paper copy of the newsletter. See the office if you have not been receiving this by email.

# \*\*TELL ME AND I FORGET. TEACH ME AND I REMEMBER. INVOLVE ME AND I LEARN.\*\* BENJAMIN FRANKLIN

# **Diary Dates**

## **February**

Mon 13<sup>th</sup> – Fri 17th - Half Term

Mon 20<sup>th</sup> – Inset Day

Tues 21<sup>st</sup> – First Day of Term 4

Weds 22<sup>nd</sup> – 6pm PGL parents meeting for year 6 in School Hall

**Thurs 23<sup>rd</sup>-** 3.25 – 4.25 Fizz Pop

After School Club

Fri 24<sup>th</sup> – Fairtrade Visitor Day

#### March

Thurs 2<sup>nd</sup>-World Book Day Weds 8<sup>th</sup>-4LW Class Assembly Weds 22<sup>nd</sup> -4GE Class Assembly Thurs 23<sup>rd</sup>-Parents Evening 1 Tues 28<sup>th</sup>-Parents Evening 2

Dates correct at time of publication – dates will be updated even week on the newsletter.



## **House Cup**



This week Team Phoenix won the house cup!



A child from each class was also awarded a certificate for their effort in maths.



We are collecting Sainsbury's Active Kids vouchers so please put them in the collection box situated on the reception desk in the foyer. Please donate your vouchers by 30<sup>th</sup> June 2017.

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#### **Smart rules**

As mentioned last week, Tuesday was Safer Internet Day. Throughout the week pupils at CCJ have been learning all about how wonderful the internet is but also how they need to ensure that they keep themselves safe and be positive digital citizens. A part of our learning has included the SMART rules. You may wish to discuss these with your children at home. More information can be found at <a href="http://www.kidsmart.org.uk/beingsmart/">http://www.kidsmart.org.uk/beingsmart/</a>. If you have any questions or concerns about esafety please see Miss Friend.

