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Newsletter 21

14th February 2020



Term 3 Value: Generosity

THIS WEEK AT CCJ!

CCJ Needs you!!

Falcon Class Service!

BAKE SALE!

Inter-house Cross Country!!

Science week at CCJ...

What a term!

A superb end to a busy term at CCJ. Interest group day has once again brought joy and new experiences to the school and it is a delight to watch them experience such a range of activities in different groups to usual. A massive thank you to all the staff who have arranged the Y3/4 Caerleon trip, the book fair, the class assemblies, the Roman and Greek museum, the French day, the K'nex challenge, Stomp lessons, Viking day, visits to William Court, the boat challenge and of course all the exciting activities during science week this term. It has been a great term and we look forward to seeing you all again on Monday 24th when we will have a Fairtrade visitor from Nicaragua visiting us. *Mrs Osborne*

ARE YOU....

.... able to ask questions, and be confidential?

.... available to meet with others like you twice a half term?

..... wanting Christ Church Junior to become an even better school?

.... A member of a local C of E church?

..... If so, then Christ Church Juniors **NEEDS YOU!**

We are looking for a Foundation Governor, who can be part of our team. It does not have to be a parent, so if you know someone in the community who may be interested, then please encourage them to get in touch. In return, you will gain great satisfaction knowing that you are contributing to the school life, development of the children and helping to make our school be the best it can be.

If this is of interest to you, please email our clerk, Frances on fmcmmillan@hotmail.com

LOVE IS MY RELIGION.
IT DOES NOT CONDEMN.
IT DOES NOT JUDGE.
IT DOES NOT BETRAY.
IT DOES NOT BEGRUDGE.
IT DOES NOT WAR.
-DR. STEVE MARABOLI
PINTEREST.COM/STEVENARABOLI

Falcon Class Service

Falcon class held a brilliant informative and entertaining class service this week livin' it up in Greece! We met the Ancient Greek gods and goddesses, and listened to some myths! Thank you to the parents/carers for coming to watch!



SOUTH GLOS YEAR 5/6 SPORTSHALL ATHLETICS REPRESENTATIVE GAMES

This week was the South Glos. Year 5/6 Sportshall Athletics Representative Games. Antony B, Sam G and Eben M not only represented CCJ but also the area. They did this with distinction and we were so proud to have them in our CSET South Glos Team. The Athletics Event on the night was highly competitive with our Team coming out on top, winning by over 20 points. The parents who brought children to the event were also a credit to the school; creating a friendly, supportive environment for the athletes to perform in.... very noisy! We hope that more of your children will attend our Summer Representative Games in June where they will have the opportunity to trial and represent the area in 1 of 5 sports. Hope you have a lovely half term. *Wendy & The CSET Team*

Inter-house Cross Country

Inter-house Cross Country is being held on Tuesday 25th February. Can all children please have their PE kit in school so they can score points for their house!!





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Where in the world?

Drop in for fun crafts and activities from countries far and wide.

Downend library

Monday 17 February

10.30-11.30am

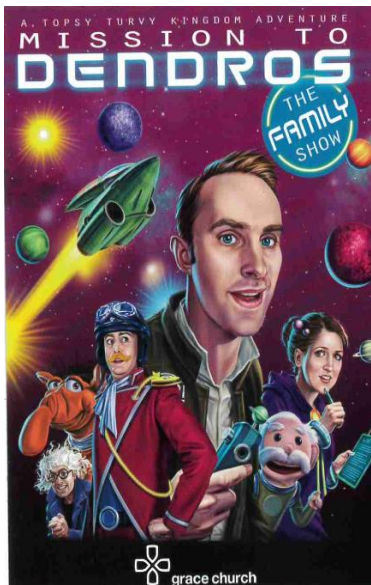
This is a free activity, no need to book!



BAKE SALE

On Wednesday 12th February we held a bake sale to raise money for the homeless. We were hoping to raise £20 but in total we raised an amazing £80.24! This will enable us to buy care packages. Thank you for all the cake donations and buying the yummy cakes! We will let you know how the money is spent.

Thank you for your support,
Lottie and Flo



Dress Down Day

Thank you for all the dress down day donations! A fantastic £186.45 has been raised which will go towards our interest groups and ensuring that we can continue to offer the more costly activities such as cooking, woodwork, visiting musicians and magic!

Well Done! ATTENDANCE To date...

CLASS	ATTENDANCE
Woodpecker	97.60%
Jay	97.40%
Kingfisher	97.10%
Puffin	97.10%
Starling	96.90%
Kestrel	96.50%
Wagtail	96.20%
Robin	95.90%
Falcon	95.60%
Swallow	94.60%
WHOLE SCHOOL	96.50%

We thank you for your continued support, as good attendance is very important at CCJ.

Below 92%
92-96%
97=%

PANCAKE DAY

On Tuesday 25th Feb the Kitchen will be doing a special pancake desert! There will be various delicious toppings! As always, please book online, in advance via ParentPay.



CCJ Dates...

February

Fri 14th – End of Term 3
Mon 24th - Start of Term 4
Mon 24th – Fair Trade Visit
Tues 25th – Cross-country
Tues 25th – Jigsaw

March

Mon 16th – Fri 20th – Y6 PGL
Mon 23rd – 2pm Easter Service at Christ Church

CCJ Water Bottles

£1.50

If you wish to purchase one, please do this via ParentPay and then collect from Reception after school. Please try to stop using single use bottles from now on.

CCJ EVENTS

Mowtown Dance Event

Friday 28th Feb

7.30pm until 10.00pm

Tickets are £8.50 available on parent pay

Mothers Day Wrap

20th March – Info has been sent

Family Scarecrow Hunt

Weekend 24th – 26th April
More info to follow





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