

### **CHRIST CHURCH (CHURCH OF ENGLAND) INFANT SCHOOL & NURSERY**

# Newsletter 10 – 26th January 2024



Honesty

Friendship

Kindness

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Perseverance

Respect

'Grow and Learn together in the presence of God'

### Fabulous Finale Day - Friday 9th February 2024

Reception – The children will be visiting the Junior School to complete their Forest Friday session. Please ensure your child is **dressed in warm clothing, has a waterproof jacket and brings a pair of wellington boots** in a labelled carrier bag. Thank you.

Year 1 — Children are invited to come **dressed** as **superheroes**. During the day, the children will be creating their own Supertato and will make their healthy yoghurt pot. Please can all children **bring a potato**, a **small yoghurt** and 2 pieces of fruit. Thank you

Year 2 — Children are invited to **wear fire colours -red, yellow and orange**. During the day, the children will engage in a range of activities including: bread making and constructing their own fire engines. Please can all children **bring in a shoe/cereal box** for the body of their vehicle. Thank you.

### MMR Vaccination Information

Vaccination UK have been instructed by NHSE to administer the MMR vaccination to all school aged children who are outstanding one or both doses. The MMR would have been given at the age of 1 year and the second dose at 3 years and 4 months. There has been an outbreak of Measles in the West Midlands which have been on the rise within the last few weeks.

If your child is outstanding one or both doses of the MMR, please contact their office on 01902 200077 to make an appointment. This will be at an alternative venue and NOT at the school. Alternatively, pop-up vaccine clinics are offering the MMR vaccine for children aged 5 years and over and adults who have missed a dose.

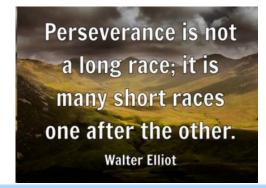
The clinics will be staffed by trained healthcare professionals from the NHS and Vaccination UK who specialise in childhood vaccinations and follow all necessary safety protocols. Children will need to be accompanied by a parent or guardian at the clinics.

The next set of clinics are:

- Saturday 27 January, 10:00am-4:00pm, Park Village Education Centre, Cannock Road, **Wolverhampton**, WV10 0RA. Walk in, no appointment needed.
- Saturday 27 January, 9:00am-3:00pm, vaccination van located at Bilston Market, Pinfold Street, **Wolverhampton**, WV14 0DN. Walk in, no appointment needed.
- Saturday 3 February, 9:00am-3:00pm, vaccination van located outside Poundland/Pep&Co in Walsall Town Centre, Lower Hall Lane, St Matthews Quarter, WS1 1PU. Walk in, no appointment needed.

### Thought for the fortnight

**Worship Theme - Perseverance** 



### Wolverhampton HAF Programme - February Half Term Activities

The Holiday Activities and Food (HAF) Programme provides eligible children and young people with free holiday activities and food in the long school holidays. The City of Wolverhampton Council has been awarded funding from the Department for Education to deliver a Holiday Activities and Food (HAF) Programme, as part of a national scheme. The council will be delivering HAF through a network of providers at a wide variety of venues across the city. **To view the activities available please use the QR code below.** 

#### Who can take part?

The programme will offer free holiday activities to school-aged children, who are in Reception –Year 11 (inclusive), and who are in receipt of benefits-related free school meals.

#### This programme is also open to:

- Those receiving free school meals from households with NoRecourse to Public Funds (NRPF).
- Children and young people aged5 25 with an Education, Health and Care Plan (EHCP) and/or children and young people aged 5– 25 with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) or additional needs.
- Children aged 5 − 18 known to local social services within the last three months.

#### Eligible children and young people are entitled to:

- at least four hours each day
- four days over the spring and winter holidays and sixteen days over the summer holidays
- a nutritious meal each day they attend the camp



Letters confirming HAF eligibility including a child's unique HAF code number are mailed out shortly before each big school holiday. If you have lost or mislaid your letter or if your child has become eligible within the past few months, you can obtain code numbers from the dedicated HAF helpline <u>01902 916994</u> which goes live shortly before each main school holiday.

### Soccer 2000 Holiday Camp - February Half Term at Christ Church Juniors

During February half term we are trialling a holiday camp which will be led by Soccer 2000. The camp is free for any Christ Church Infant or Junior children and will run from Monday 12<sup>th</sup> – Friday 16th February.

The day starts at 9.00am and finishes at 3.00pm and will be held in the **Junior school hall**. Lunch will be provided free of charge unless you wish your child to take a packed lunch. Any free lunches must be pre-ordered on the form via the link below. The children will take part in multi– sports activities throughout the day so will need suitable sportswear and a water bottle.

The holiday club will have 32 places which will be allocated on a first come first serve basis. If your child is allocated a place on the camp, you will receive a full consent form from Soccer 2000. If your child is not allocated a place as all places are taken, you will be notified via text message.

If you would like to sign your child up for this free opportunity, please complete the form below: <a href="https://forms.office.com/e/CNZYsuhTdE">https://forms.office.com/e/CNZYsuhTdE</a>

### School Crossing Patrol Wardens Required



# <u>Diary Dates — Please not any additions/revisions are highlighted in green</u>

Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> January	2LP visit to Tettenhall Fire Station
Wednesday 31st January	2CM visit to Tettenhall Fire Station
Wednesday 7th February	PSHE & RHE Parent Information Session at Infants' 1:45-2:45pm
·	Please complete the form below to book a place:
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Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> February	Fabulous Finale Day  Children hands we for helf town @ 2.05 are
	Children break up for half term @ 3:05pm
Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> February - Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> February: February Half Term	
Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> February	Children return to school and Nursery
Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> February	World Thinking Day – Rainbows, Brownies, Beavers, Squirrels etc. are welcome
	to come in their uniforms
Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> March	Y2 trip to Cadbury World
Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> March	World Book Day 2024 – further information to follow
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> March	Red Nose Day – Children are invited to come to school and Nursery wearing
	<mark>red</mark>
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> March	Easter Service in church @ 10:30am led by Reception – all parents are invited
	to attend
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> March	Fabulous Finale Day – further information to follow
	Children break up for the Easter holiday @ 3:05pm
Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> March – Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> April: Easter Holiday	
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> April	Children return to school and Nursery
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> April	Spring term reports sent home via MarvellousME
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> April	Parents Evening 3:30pm-6:00pm (further information to follow)
Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> April	Parents Evening 3:30pm-6:00pm (further information to follow)
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> May	INSET Day School and Nursery closed to all pupils
Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> May – Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> May: May Half Term	

# **ABM Special Menus**



