

# The Christ Church NEWS DESK

Friendship – Thankfulness – Forgiveness – Hope

## Issue 4.3 Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March 2024

Dear Dads, Mums & Families,

We have had a wonderful week in school which finished with celebrating World Book Day. A huge thank you to Mrs Tickner and Mrs Carter for organising this as always – it was great to see the children dressed up in their costumes and participating in a love for books!

You will have noticed in the dates for your diary section, we have added sports days dates ready for July as I know families like to attend and book the time off work etc. Please add to your diaries ☺

Next Friday is Comic Relief – we will be having a TAG Day in school therefore. The buckets will be on the gates in the morning and we thank you in advance for anything you are able to contribute.

**School Dinners – Reception, Year 1 and Year 2:**  
Come on – give it a try! And it's free! Menus are at the bottom of the newsletter ☺

Have a lovely weekend!

Mr Flack

**'Where there is love, there is joy.'**

***Mother Theresa***

## Dates for your Diary

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March**

Comic Relief – TAG Day – 50p recommended donation

**Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March**

Last Day of Term

**Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April**

First Day of Term

**Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May**

Bank Holiday – School Closed

**Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May**

Year 6 SATs Week

**Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May**

Last Day of Term

**Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June**

First Day of Term

**Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July**

Year 6 @ Chessington

**Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July**

Year 6 London Trip: Matilda the Musical & The London Eye

**Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July-Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July**

Year 6 Residential

**Monday 15<sup>th</sup> July**

Year 1 & 2 Sports Day – 9:30am start

**Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> July**

Year 3 & 4 Sports Day – 9:30am start

**Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July**

Year R Sports Day – 9:30am start

**Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July**

Year 5 and 6 Sports day – 9:30am start

### A Prayer

Almighty God,  
May our school be welcoming,  
May our school be encouraging,  
Let friendship flourish here,  
Let learning fill our day.  
Give us the hope to carry on,  
Be our guide in all we do.  
Lord make this school your home too,  
We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

*"Most of the old moles  
I know wish they had  
listened less to their fears and  
more to their dreams."*



### Free School Meals

Although children in Year R, 1 and 2 receive Universal Free School Meals, the school receives additional funding to spend on the children if you sign up for Free School Meals and are eligible.

Your child may be able to get Free School Meals if you get any of the following:

- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support Under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- Child Tax Credit (provided you're not also entitled to Working Tax Credit and have an annual gross income of no more than £16,190).

You can apply here:

<https://www.gov.uk/apply-free-school-meals/kent>

Please do speak to the Office if you would like support with this or more information

### Term Dates 2023-2024

Our Term Dates can always be found on the Home Page of the Website for this academic year (please scroll to the bottom on the right).

The Term Dates for 2024-2025 are now on the Home Page of the School Website.

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# FREE SCHOOL DINNERS!

## YES, IT'S TRUE

SCHOOL MEALS ARE **FREE IN KEY STAGE 1** (RECEPTION TO YEAR 2)

DON'T LOSE OUT ON FOOD WORTH OVER **£430 PER YEAR**

FABULOUS, FRESHLY MADE FOOD - HEALTHY, HOT AND NUTRITIOUS

YOU WILL SEE YOUR CHILD TRYING NEW FOODS AND FRUIT AND  
VEGETABLES AT HOME AFTER HAVING A HOT SCHOOL LUNCH

PLEASE SUPPORT YOUR SCHOOL MEAL SERVICE AND ENJOY THE  
BENEFITS OF A HOT SCHOOL MEAL - WITHOUT IT COSTING A PENNY!

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FRESH MEAT



FRESH EGGS



MEAT



ORGANIC



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WHOLESALE

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MONDAY 11 MARCH	TUESDAY 12 MARCH	WEDNESDAY 13 MARCH	THURSDAY 14 MARCH	FRIDAY 15 MARCH
Mexican Style Chicken with Savoury Rice	Traditional Toad in the Hole with Gravy (1, 7, 9, 14)	Roast Turkey	Beef Lasagne with Herby Bread (1, 8, 9, 11)	100% Cod Fishfingers (1, 4)
Stir Fry Vegetables in a Pitta and New Potatoes (1, 8)	Vegetarian Toad in the Hole with Gravy (1, 7, 9)	Leek and Potato Pie with a Shortcrust Topping (1, 9, 11)	Mixed Bean and Vegetable Chilli with Rice	Falafel Kebab with a BBQ Sauce (7, 14)
Mac n' Cheese (1, 9, 11)	Chunky Tomato Spirals (1)	Mixed Vegetable Ragu Pasta (1)	Fresh Pesto Pasta (1)	Tomato and Basil Twirls (1)
Jacket Potato with Topping of the Day	Jacket Potato with Topping of the Day	Jacket Potato with Topping of the Day	Jacket Potato with Topping of the Day	Jacket Potato with Topping of the Day
Sweetcorn and Salad Bar	Mashed Potato, Fresh Broccoli and Salad Bar	Roast Potatoes, Fresh Carrots and Cabbage	Garden Peas and Salad Bar	Chips, Baked Beans and Salad Bar
Oatle Peach Crumble with Custard (1, 9)	Strawberry Jelly Mousse (9)	Pear Sponge with Chocolate Sauce (1, 7, 9)	Tutti Frutti Thursday	Melting Moment Cookie (1)

AVAILABLE DAILY - HOMEMADE WHOLEMEAL BREAD • FRUITY YOGHURT • JELLY • FRESH FRUIT • CHEESE AND BISCUITS • FRESH SALAD BAR

### ALLERGEN KEY

1 CEREALS CONTAINING GLUTEN  
2 CRUSTACEANS

3 MOLLUSCS  
4 FISH

5 PEANUTS  
6 NUTS

7 EGGS  
8 SOYBEANS

9 MILK  
10 CELERY

11 MUSTARD  
12 LUPIN

13 SESAME  
14 SULPHUR DIOXIDE

**\*ALL OUR MENUS ARE TREE NUT AND PEANUT FREE**

INGREDIENTS CONTAINING GLUTEN (INDICATED BY THE NUMBER 1 ON THE MENU) WILL CONTAIN WHEAT, OATS, BARLEY, SPELT, RYE OR KAMUT, OR A COMBINATION THEREOF. IF YOU HAVE ANY ALLERGEN CONCERNS PLEASE SPEAK TO THE CATERING MANAGER. WHILST WE DO NOT BRING WHOLE NUTS OR INGREDIENTS WITH NUTS INTO OUR KITCHENS, SOME PRODUCTS ARE SUBJECT TO 'MAY CONTAIN' STATUS IN MANUFACTURING

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MONDAY 18 MARCH	TUESDAY 19 MARCH	WEDNESDAY 20 MARCH	THURSDAY 21 MARCH	FRIDAY 22 MARCH
Cumberland Sausages with Gravy (1, 14)	Chicken Pitta Pocket (1)	Roast Gammon with Pineapple	Beef Meatballs in a Tomato Sauce with Spaghetti (1)	Chicken Nuggets with Katsu (1, 10)
Vegetarian Sausages with Gravy (1)	Cheese and Onion Pinwheel (1, 9)	Spring Vegetable Casserole with a Herby Crust (1)	Spinach, Sweet Potato and Lentil Curry with Rice (1)	Quorn Nuggets (1)
Roasted Pepper Twirls (1)	Macaroni Cheese (1, 9, 11)	Vegetable Ragu Tagliatelle (1)	Chunky Tomato Pasta (1)	Fajita Style Pasta (1)
Jacket Potato with Topping of the Day	Jacket Potato with Topping of the Day	Jacket Potato with Topping of the Day	Jacket Potato with Topping of the Day	Jacket Potato with Topping of the Day
Mashed Potato, Fresh Broccoli and Salad Bar	Herby Potatoes, Garden Peas and Salad Bar	Roast Potatoes, Fresh Carrots and Green Beans	Sweetcorn and Salad Bar	Chips, Baked Beans and Salad Bar
Mixed Berry Cheesecake (1, 8, 9)	Raspberry Ripple Cupcake (1, 7)	Marble Sponge with Custard (1, 7, 9)	Tutti Frutti Thursday	Chocolate Krispie Cake (1, 9)

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MONDAY 25 MARCH	TUESDAY 26 MARCH	WEDNESDAY 27 MARCH	THURSDAY 28 MARCH	FRIDAY 29 MARCH
Chicken Enchiladas with Savoury Rice (1, 9)	 <b>EASTER LUNCH</b>  Easter Bunny Beefburger in a Bun (1, 8, 10, 11, 14) Celebration Hand Made Vegetarian Burger in a Bun (1, 8) Easter Bonnet Pea and Pesto Twirls (1) Easter Parade Jacket Potato with a Choice of Fillings Easter Egg Herby Potatoes, Stack a Burger from the Salad Bar Easter Surprise Cupcake (1, 7)	Slow Roast Beef with a Yorkshire Pudding (1, 7, 9)	Breaded Fish (1, 4)	GOOD FRIDAY
Bean and Vegetable Goulash with Cous Cous (1)		Courgette, Potato and Feta Slice (1, 9)	Homemade Vegetable Spring Roll (1, 8)	
Chunky Tomato Pasta (1)		Tomato and Basil Pasta (1)	Sweet Red Pepper Pasta (1)	
Jacket Potato with Topping of the Day		Jacket Potato with Topping of the Day	Jacket Potato with Topping of the Day	
Fresh Broccoli and Salad Bar		Roast Potatoes Fresh Carrots and Green Beans	Chips, Baked Beans and Salad Bar	
Tutti Frutti Monday		Apple Cake with a Crunchie Topping with Custard (1, 7, 9)	Chef's Delight	

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