

# **CJS NEWS**

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# Belonging - Achieving - Growing

Dear Parents / Carers

Next week we look forward to welcoming you to CJS to watch the children take part in their Sports Days (which last for the morning only!). Please see the information below which has been provided by our PE Leader, Mr Foley. These events are always a highlight of the term and I look forward to seeing you.

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# **GOODBYE MRS WEBB**

We would like to say goodbye and thank you to Mrs Webb who is leaving CJS after 7 years as a member of our midday supervising team. We wish her well in her new job.

# **SPORTS DAYS**

We are looking forward to welcoming you to our Sports Days next week!

Please ensure your children bring their water bottles and have sun cream and sun hats on as they will be outside all morning.

We are aiming for all the children to be out on the field by 9:00am. If you are coming to watch, please enter by the large gates directly onto the playing field.

The children will be rotating around the different events in their classes between approximately 9:15—10.55am, when they will go inside for a break and come back out again at 11.10am for the finals. Events taking place are as follows:

- long run (400m) we may make this event slightly shorter on the day for the heats depending on the weather
- short run (60m sprint)
- throwing competition
- standing long jump competition

We will then hold finals in the short run and long run with a separate boys and girls event taking place from 11:10—11:50am. The top 2 boys and girls from each class will go into their final. Pupils that didn't make the final but finished as the 4 next fastest, will compete in relay races. Presentations will take place at the end of the races and we aim to finish the tournament by 12.00pm. In the event that we are unable to hold the finals, we will move these to an alternative date.

Our **PTFA** will be selling refreshments, for spectators only. Please bring along some cash to purchase a drink, but do not buy anything for the children who are participating please.

Tuesday 11 June Year 5 Sports Day 9.15am—12.00pm

Wednesday 12 June Year 4 Sports Day 9.15am—12.00pm

Thursday 13 June Year 6 Sports Day 9.15am—12.00pm

Friday 14 June Year 3 Sports Day 9.15am—12.00pm

# **SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS**

This week your child should was given their class photograph and proof to take home. Please be aware that the cut off date for ordering these with Fraser Portraits is **Friday 14 June.** 

# **CELEBRATIONS AND ACHIEVEMENTS**

# **GOLD CERTIFICATE**

Congratulations to Isobel in 5SF who received her gold house point certificate this week. A fantastic achievement; well done Isobel.



# **5KM RUN**

Last weekend, George in 4NJ and Joshua in 5CH took part in the Race for Life—Pretty Muddy at Poole Park.

Both boys ran 5KM in order to raise funds for Race for Life Cancer Research. Well done boys!



# **TRI GOLF**

On Wednesday, we took eight Year 4 children to The Grange School to take part in the Tri Golf tournament. The team had a fantastic afternoon, and put in an amazing effort, coming in second place. Well done team!



# **TOWN SPORTS**

On Thursday, we took teams of Year 5 and Year 6 pupils to attend the prestigious Town Sports Athletics event at King's Park Athletics Stadium. Both teams did really well, and displayed great sportsmanship, supporting their team mates throughout. Special mentions to our Year 5 girls' team for making the relay final, Caleb (6VD) for making the 75 m sprint final and Jemima (5CH) for winning gold in the Year 5 girls' 75m race. Well done everyone, we are so proud of you.

# "SPRING INTO READING"

What a success 'Spring into Reading' has been. We have seen so many of our children engaging with the various challenges and completing 10 minutes of daily reading. An impressive total of 157 certificates across the school have been achieved. A huge well done to those children who will be receiving certificates and a massive thank you for supporting them to get involved with this challenge.

# **YOUNG CARERS**

Before the half term, CJS young carers welcomed Clary from MYTIME Young Carers into school for a fun afternoon of activities.

Year 3 and 4 worked hard to produce spagnetti towers which were strong enough to hold a large marshmallow, whilst Year 5 and 6 were given the added task of making their tower the tallest one which could still hold a marshmallow.

The children were fully engaged in the session, and enjoyed spending time with others, from different year groups. The cakes and fruit snacks were a big hit too!

This term we are looking forward to offering the young carers weekly yoga sessions. Information about this has been emailed to parents.

If you feel that your child qualifies as a Young Carer, please contact Mrs Gibson at the school.



# Who are young carers?



A young carer is a child, under the age of 18, who provides care for or intends to provide care for another person in their family.

Young carers could provide care for their parents, siblings or grandparents, or anyone in the home.









# **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

Friday 14 June Deadline for ordering school photos

Monday 1– Wednesday 3 July Fairthorne Manor residential trip 6DB and 6CO

Wednesday 3—Friday 5 July Fairthorne Manor residential trip 6CC and 6VD

Tuesday 9—Wednesday 10 July Harry's Island Camp 4NJ and 4AL

Thursday 11— Friday 12 July Harry's Island Camp 4NS and 4PG

Monday 15 & Tuesday 16 July Y6 Production (evening)

Friday 19 July Leavers' Assembly (morning)

Tuesday 23 July Last day of term

# ATTENDANCE RACE WINNERS

The winners of the attendance race for w/c 03 June

 Year 3
 3LY
 98.6%

 Year 4
 4NS
 99.5%

 Year 5
 5AM
 99.5%

Year 6 6CC 96.4%

# **CURRENT VACANCIES AT TWYNHAM LEARNING**

https://www.twynhamlearning.com/187/staff-vacancies

We are an excellent multi-academy trust to work for and have Twynham Learning employee values that underpin our work together:

Twynham Learning Employee Values	Attributes that support living this value	
Aim high	Ambition for excellence Professionalism	
Keep improving	Humility Championing change	
Don't leave anyone behind	Inclusiveness Positivity Community-mindedness Being collaborative	
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VACANCY	SCHOOL	CLOSING DATE
Cleaner	Twynham Primary School	21/06/2024
Midday Supervisor	Christchurch junior School	21/06/2024
Science Technician	Twynham School	07/06/2024
Teacher of Music	Twynham TGS	07/06/2024
Teaching Assistant	Twynham TGS	20/06/2024

# A MESSAGE FROM THE PTFA-LOCAL BUSINESS STALL HOLDERS WANTED

This year, instead of holding the annual CJS Summer Fair, the PTFA will be taking part in the Twynham Learning Festival of Education on 29 June. We are currently looking for local businesses (non food related) to hold stalls at the event. We would also welcome donations of raffle prizes from local business for our grand prize draw at the event.

If you would like to hold a stall, or donate a raffle prize, please email us at cis.ptfaevents@gmail.com















**Facebook: Christchurch Junior School** 



# A MESSAGE FROM CHRISTCHURCH MUSIC AND ARTS FESTIVAL

Several students from CJS will be singing in the exciting Christchurch Priory Music & Arts Festival from 15 - 22 June 2024. The choristers have been busy rehearsing as part of the Christchurch Priory Choir for two big free services on Sunday 16 June. The Choir will also perform in a spectacular Festival finale (Saturday 22 June), joined by a full professional Orchestra for some "Last Night of the Proms" favourites. We wish the students well in their preparations. Please see poster for further details of the line-up which includes both free and ticketed events throughout the week. Half price tickets are on offer for under 18's accompanied by an adult for any ticketed events.



# A MESSAGE FROM EDUCAMPS

We are EDUCAMPS! A holiday activity provider based locally at Thorney Hill Community Centre in Bransgore!

We are excited to announce our **Summer Camp for 2024**, running between **July 24th – 30th August** for children **aged between 4-14!** 

100+ Activities: Our camps offer a unique 'Back to Basics' style activity camp, distinct from typical holiday activity providers. Children will take part in fun and skill building activities such as campfires, den building, baking, pizza making, and forest scavenger hunts. We'll also have loads of exciting summer activities including giant inflatables, water fights, and visits from special guests such as Em's Friendly Farm, Falconry UK, and more!

**Incredible Value:** For just £35 per day, your child will enjoy a full day of fun from 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM including a hot lunch and snacks throughout the day with all activities included!

We also offer optional extended hours from 8:00 AM to 5:30 PM for just £5 per 30 minutes.

**Inclusive & Supportive:** We are proud to cater to SEND children, with a designated trained DSL and staff members that are trained in Special Educational Needs.

**Free Places For Eligible Families:** Families eligible for benefit-related free school meals can receive up to 16 FREE days at our summer camp through the Holiday Activity & Food programme.

Booking:Booking is super easy and is all done through our website at www.educamps.co.uk

