

# The Christ Church NEWS DESK

Friendship – Thankfulness – Forgiveness – Hope

## Issue 5.1 Friday 19<sup>th</sup> April 2024

Dear Dads, Mums & Families,

Welcome back – I hope you had a lovely break! It was really wonderful to see you all back for the new term this week. And what a fantastic week it has been!

Year 1, Year 4 and Year 6 have some quite important assessments coming up at the end of this term/beginning of next term so attendance is going to be vital for them at this time so they can learn and practice as much as possible. Year 1 have their phonics screening – please do ensure you are reading regularly with your child and do not hesitate to speak to Mrs Carter if you have any concerns about your child’s reading or would like some further support. Year 4 have their multiplication test – please ensure they continue to practice lots and lots at home! Finally, Year 6 SATs week is the week beginning Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May – they are working very hard at the moment reviewing their learnt content but attendance is very important at this time so they can do their very best.

Thank you to everyone who is making such a big effort to help with attendance this week – keep being on time. It makes the world of difference to your child’s mental health.

Finally, Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May will be the date of our usual Summer Fair! The fish and chip van and the ice-cream van are all booked! We are looking for some volunteers to come and help run stalls too. Gates will open from 12pm and you will be able to collect your child as normal to enjoy the festivities (and hopefully the good weather!) I will send details nearer the time.

Have a lovely weekend!

Mr Flack

**‘Don’t wait until you know who you are to get started.’**

***Austin Kleon***

### Dates for your Diary

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

Bank Holiday – School Closed

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

Year 6 SATs Week

**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> May**

Year 5 Kent Test Meeting @ 4:30pm

**Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May**

Spirituality Day in School

**Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May**

Year 4 @ The Marlowe, Canterbury (Boy at the Back of the Class)

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

Last Day of Term – Summer Fayre from 12pm

**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

Lord of all life and power,  
Who through the mighty resurrection of your  
Son  
Overcame the old order of sin and death  
To make all things new in him:  
Grant that we, being dead to sin  
And alive to you in Jesus Christ,  
May reign with him in glory;  
To whom with you and the Holy Spirit  
Be praise and honour, glory and might,  
Now and in all eternity.

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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**DUE TO CURRENT SUPPLY RISKS, ALLERGENS MAY BE SUBJECT TO CHANGE**

MONDAY 22 APRIL	TUESDAY 23 APRIL	WEDNESDAY 24 APRIL	THURSDAY 25 APRIL	FRIDAY 26 APRIL
Chicken in a Wrap (1)	 <b>ST. GEORGE'S DAY</b> Traditional Cumberland Sausages with Gravy (1, 7, 9, 14) Vegetarian Sausages with Gravy (1) Roasted Vegetable Spirals (1) Jacket Potato with Topping of the Day Mashed Potato, Fresh Carrots and Salad Bar Jam Roly Poly with Custard (1, 7, 9)	Slow Cooked Roast Beef with Yorkshire Pudding (1, 7, 9)	Chicken Pie with New Potatoes (1)	Beefburger in a Bun (1, 8, 10, 11, 14)
Mixed Bean Wrap (1)		Mixed Vegetable Casserole with a Herby Scone (1, 9)	Vegetable Biryani	Vegetarian Burger in a Bun (1, 8)
Macaroni Cheese (1, 9, 11)		Arabiata Pasta (1)	Tomato Pasta (1)	Red Pesto Linguine (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
Savoury Rice, Garden Peas and Salad Bar		Roast Potatoes, Fresh Broccoli and Mashed Swede	Green Beans and Salad Bar	Chips, Baked Beans and Salad Bar
Pineapple Upside Down Cake with Custard (1, 7, 9)		Chocolate Sponge with Chocolate Sauce (1, 7, 9)	Tutti Frutti Thursday	Lemon Shortbread Finger (1)

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

**ALLERGEN KEY**  
 1 CEREALS CONTAINING GLUTEN 3 MOLLUSCS 5 PEANUTS 7 EGGS 9 MILK 11 MUSTARD 13 SESAME  
 2 CRUSTACEANS 4 FISH 6 NUTS 8 SOYBEANS 10 CELERY 12 LUPIN 14 SULPHUR DIOXIDE

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MONDAY 29 APRIL	TUESDAY 30 APRIL	WEDNESDAY 1 MAY	THURSDAY 2 MAY	FRIDAY 3 MAY
Bolognese Pasta Bake (1, 9)	Pulled Pork Taco	Roast Turkey	 <b>Pokémon Dini</b> Pikachu Chicken Nuggets (1, 10) Charmander Quorn Nuggets (1) Squirtle Fresh Pesto and Pea Linguine (1) Bulbasaur Jacket Potato with Topping of the Day Wartortle Herby Potatoes, Weedle Spaghetti Hoops and Salad Bar Sandshrew Chocolate Cookie (1)	Breaded Fish (1, 4)
Spinach and Chickpea Curry (1)	Cheese and Tomato Baked Pitta (1, 9)	Butternut Squash and Cherry Tomato Crumble (1)		Mixed Bean and Rice Burrito (1)
Mediterranean Vegetable Pasta Bows (1)	Chunky Tomato Pasta (1)	Pea and Salmon Twirls (1, 4)		Spinach and Feta Pasta (1, 9)
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
Fresh Broccoli and Salad Bar	Cubed Potatoes, Sweetcorn and Salad Bar	Roast Potatoes, Fresh Carrots and Green Beans		Chips, Baked Beans and Salad Bar
Lemon Drizzle Cake with a Lemon Sauce (1, 7)	Tutti Frutti Tuesday	Banana Loaf and Custard (1, 7, 8, 9)		Blueberry Cupcake (1, 7)

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MONDAY 6 MAY	TUESDAY 7 MAY	WEDNESDAY 8 MAY	THURSDAY 9 MAY	FRIDAY 10 MAY
BANK HOLIDAY	Traditional Toad in the Hole with Gravy (1, 7, 9, 14)	Slow Cooked Roast Beef with Yorkshire Pudding (1, 7, 9)	Beef Lasagne with Herby Bread (1, 8, 9, 11)	100% Cod Fishfingers (1, 4)
	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)
	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
	Mashed Potato, Fresh Broccoli and Salad Bar	Roast Potatoes, Fresh Carrots and Cabbage	Garden Peas and Salad Bar	Chips, Baked Beans and Salad Bar
	Strawberry Jelly Mousse (9)	Pear Sponge with Chocolate Sauce (1, 7, 9)	Tutti Frutti Thursday	Melting Moment Cookie (1)

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Beef Enchiladas with Rice (1, 9)	Chicken Pitta Pocket (1)	Roast Gammon with Pineapple	<b>EUROPEAN DAY</b>  Traditional British Cottage Pie Italian Mozzarella and Tomato Pizza (1, 8, 9) Bulgarian Vegetable Ragu with Tagliatelle (1) Jacket Potato with Topping of the Day Mixed Garden Peas and Sweetcorn Austrian Cherry Strudel (1)	Chicken Nuggets with Katsu Sauce (1, 10)
Mixed Vegetable Enchilada with Rice (1, 9)	Cheese and Onion Pinwheel (1, 9)	Spring Vegetable Casserole with a Herby Crust (1)		Quorn Nuggets (1)
Roasted Pepper Twirls (1)	Macaroni Cheese (1, 9, 11)	Vegetable Ragu Tagliatelle (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
Fresh Broccoli and Salad Bar	Herby Potatoes, Garden Peas and Salad Bar	Roast Potatoes, Fresh Carrots and Green Beans		Chips, Baked Beans and Salad Bar
Mixed Berry Cheesecake (1, 8, 9)	Raspberry Ripple Cupcake (1, 7)	Marble Sponge with Custard (1, 7, 9)		Chocolate Krispie Cake (1, 9)

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MONDAY 20 MAY	TUESDAY 21 MAY	WEDNESDAY 22 MAY	THURSDAY 23 MAY	FRIDAY 24 MAY
Chicken Curry with Rice and Poppadum (1)	Beefburger in a Bun (1, 8, 10, 11, 14)	Roast Turkey	Beef Meatballs in a Tomato Sauce with Spaghetti (1)	Breaded Fish (1, 4)
Bean and Vegetable Goulash with Cous Cous (1)	Hand Made Vegetarian Burger in a Bun (1, 8)	Courgette, Potato and Feta Slice (1, 9)	Spinach, Sweet Potato and Lentil Curry with Rice (1)	Homemade Vegetable Spring Roll (1, 8)
Chunky Tomato Pasta (1)	Pea and Pesto Twirls (1)	Tomato and Basil Pasta (1)	Chunky Tomato Pasta (1)	Sweet Red Pepper Pasta (1)
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Fresh Broccoli and Salad Bar	Herby Potatoes, Stack a Burger from the Salad Bar	Roast Potatoes Fresh Carrots and Green Beans	Sweetcorn and Salad Bar	Chips, Baked Beans and Salad Bar
Tutti Frutti Monday	Apricot Cupcake (1, 7)	Apple Cake with a Crunchie Topping with Custard (1, 7, 9)	Tutti Frutti Thursday	Chef's Delight

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