



St Christopher's School

Weekly News

Thursday 29th March 2018

Dear Parents

And so we come to the last week of term and what a busy term it has been. Every child has learnt and performed a poem, run a House Pancake Race and then run a mile to raise money for Sports Relief. In addition to this Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 have all been out and about on a range of exciting school trips and Pre Reception have their coach trip organised and set up for the summer term.

Year 2 have absolutely dazzled leading all of these events as well as excelling in their 7+ tests and enjoying a 'Career Study' featuring a trip to Kidzania, leading in our annual Music Festival and again in our Spring Music Concert. Well done children, we are all very proud of you.

On Wednesday we celebrated the hard work and effort across the school with our annual Cup Assembly. Although we were extremely proud of all of our cup winners, the pride and joy and the audience's faces as they enthusiastically applauded the success of their friend was a particular thrill for all staff. Do see pages 2 and 3 for details.

Congratulations to the last Times Tables Champions of this term. Bronze stars were awarded this week to Noah B, Lily C, Baylen B and Amelia C.

As you know, we are celebrating our 80th birthday next term and we have a range of exciting events to make this extra special. The theme of the term will be 'Being healthy at 80' with an aim to learn about all the healthy choices that we can make to enjoy old age ourselves!

We are absolutely delighted to be welcoming famous TV doctor and star of Cebeebies Dr Ranj who will be starting the term off with a sparkle. Dr Ranj an engaging practising doctor will be arriving at 1.30pm on Wednesday 18th April and will be part of a giant 'Wake and Shake' moves fitness activity. If any parents would like to join us on the lawn for this activity you will be welcome to do so. Please aim to arrive at 1.20pm through the back gate which will be unlocked for Nursery. You may then join your child on the field for this special event which will last about 20 minutes. The children will then come inside for an assembly presented by Dr Ranj and you will be free to go!

May I close by thanking the PTA for all their hard work and marvellous support. Bad weather will have undoubtedly affected their wonderful Easter Egg hunt but not their spirit and determination.

*Congratulations to **KEMP House** for winning this term with an impressive **3995 Housepoints**. Happy Easter everyone!*

Annie Thackray, Headteacher

Event of the Week

This week we celebrated the magnificent work and effort by children at St Christopher's. It is always a difficult decision to highlight a few when so many children have a marvellous and industrious attitude every day but this is an old tradition and across the years all children feel the congratulation and celebration that they richly deserve.

Special congratulations to our Cup Winners 2018

MARS: Jisoo P, Sam S, Oliver N and Matilda G

NEPTUNE: Alexander L, Alistair H, Isabella G and Eliza M

SATURN: Artie B, Nathan H, Satvika R and Morgan W

JUPITER: Arabella B, Annabel V, Catriona O, and James W

VENUS: Seth J, Iman O, Frederick K and Eliza B

MERCURY: Niamh H, Rafferty O, Dylan F, Kai K, Esme T and Rafael I.

GYMNASTICS CUP: Kaila K

ALL ROUND SPORTSWOMAN: Sienna S

ALL ROUND SPORTSMAN: Henry M

FOOTBALL CUP : Noah B

LANGUAGES CUP: Mia P

MUSIC CUP: Jasmine C

DRAMA AND ENTERTAINMENT: Sophia M

ART CUP: Yin- Lily T

PHILOSOPHY CUP: Jack B

BAILEY CUP FOR ATTENTION TO DETAIL: Henrietta L

DELIGHTFUL DINER: John D

CLARK ALL ROUNDER CUP: Iman O

ROSE BOWL FOR UNSELFISHNESS: Daisy M

PARMEE CUP: (Perseverance, Attitude, Reliability, Motivation, Effort, Enthusiasm)
Lottie R





SUMMER TERM STARTS ON WEDNESDAY 18TH APRIL AT 8.30AM



Just a reminder that we will be returning after Easter in our smart summer uniform. Please see the website 'Uniform Section' for any queries.

Remember to bring your House t-shirt and PE Kit on the first day back for Wake and Shake with Dr Ranj.



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Reception Children will leave school via the back door under the porch during the Summer Term to help prepare them for their move to the upper school in September.

WE WOULD LIKE TO SAY A BIG 'THANK YOU' TO OUR WONDERFUL PTA WHO HAVE WORKED HARD TO PROVIDE SO MANY ENJOYABLE EVENTS THIS TERM AND RAISE MONEY FOR THE SCHOOL. ENDING THE TERM WITH THE PTA EASTER EGG HUNT AND FAMILY PICNIC.

PLEASE SUPPORT ALL THE FORTHCOMING PTA EVENTS NEXT TERM.

**HAPPY
EASTER**