



Weekly News

"St Christopher's – nurturing independent, highly-motivated and engaged children."

Friday 11th July 2025

Dear Parents,

Achievement Award Assembly

A huge congratulations to Marth (Year 1) for an outstanding personal achievement! Martha has shown incredible commitment by consistently attending Park Run and has gone above and beyond by running the distance of a half marathon spread over several weeks – and came very close to completing the equivalent of a full marathon. What an extraordinary accomplishment!

In recognition of this amazing effort, Martha was awarded the Achievement Award. Martha also shared some great top tips with peers, including the importance of eating a light breakfast, stretching, and warming up your legs before running.

Well done, Martha – your determination, perseverance, and positive attitude are an inspiration to us all!

Summer Concert Celebration

On Monday, there was an incredible showcase of talent at our Summer Concert! From Reception to Year 2, our young musicians amazed us with their performances — from recorders and orchestra pieces to stunning solo performances on the cello, violin, and piano, finishing with a beautiful violin duet. We are so proud of our wonderfully talented children.

A heartfelt thank you to Mrs Colchester for arranging, organising, and inspiring such a magical event.

A Wonderful St Christopher's Day

What a joyous Wednesday it was as we celebrated St Christopher's Day in true style! The children arrived in their own clothes, ready for a fun-filled day of sunshine and smiles. We started things off with a delicious ice-cream treat, followed by a relaxed picnic lunch on the lawn.

The whole school came alive with music, dancing, and games as laughter echoed across the grounds. In the afternoon, our much-anticipated Year 2 Talent Show took centre stage — and what a show it was! From sensational singing and dazzling dance routines to hoverboard tricks, magical illusions, football freestyle, stand-up comedy, and even some beautiful cello performances — the variety and talent on display were truly inspiring.

A heartfelt thank you to all our talented performers and to everyone who made the day such a memorable celebration of community, creativity, and fun!

Goodbye Year 2

As we come to the end of the school year, we bid a fond farewell to our wonderful Year 2 pupils. What a fantastic journey it has been!

You have amazed us with your **creativity, enthusiasm, and determination**. From your **incredible productions** and **joyful singing**, to your **beautiful artwork** and **enthusiastic learning**, you have brought so much energy and joy to St Christopher's. Your achievements this year have been truly outstanding.

We are so proud of everything you've accomplished, and while we'll miss you dearly, we know you'll continue to shine in your new schools.

Goodbye to Staff

Ms. Huggett will be moving on to a new school, and while we're sad to see her go, we are excited for the new opportunities that lie ahead for her. We thank her for her hard work, dedication, and the positive impact she has had on our students. Wishing you all the very best in your new adventure, Ms. Huggett!

Miss Kay is retiring after 17 wonderful years at St Christopher's. Her warmth, wisdom, and unwavering commitment have left a lasting mark on our school community. We will miss her dearly, but we celebrate with her as she enters this new and well-deserved chapter of life. Thank you, Miss Kay, for everything — you truly shall be missed.

Maths Superstars

Congratulations to the following children who achieved their maths times tables stars this week – Leo, Grace and Jamie for achieving their Bronze Star, to Sunny, William, Farzan and Thomas Mc for achieving your Silver Star and to Kian, Charlie, Estrella and Farzan for achieving your Gold Star. Well done everyone!

This week's lunch time superstar is Hattie in Reception for using such polite manners during lunch time. Well done Hattie!

Top of the leader board for the final week of term is **Ahlberg** House with a superb total of **6,224** House points. Congratulations to **Ahlberg** house.

Thank you, Parents!

We would like to extend our heartfelt thanks to all the parents who generously gave gifts to our staff. Your thoughtful gestures were truly appreciated and brought joy to our team. From kind notes to beautifully wrapped surprises, each expression of gratitude reminded us of the strong partnership we share with our families.

Your support means so much and reinforces the sense of community that makes our school so special. Thank you for your kindness and for helping us feel valued and celebrated!

As we come to the end of another successful year, we would like to take this opportunity to thank all our families for their continued support and partnership throughout the year. It has been a pleasure to witness the growth, achievements, and resilience of our children, and we are incredibly proud of all they have accomplished.

We extend our warmest wishes to all families and children for a restful, enjoyable, and safe summer holiday. May this break provide the time to relax, recharge, and create lasting memories with loved ones. We say farewell to those children who are leaving us for pastures new and we look forward to welcoming everyone else back in September, refreshed and ready for the new year ahead.

Best wishes

Mrs Grehan

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Nursery and Pre-Reception News

As we wrap up a fantastic summer term, we want to take a moment to reflect on all the fun and exciting experiences we've shared together in Nursery. It's been a joyful and busy time filled with smiles, laughter, and lots of memorable moments. This last week has truly been magical, we celebrated St Christopher's Day and had lots of fun activities. We had a fantastic Disco in Nursery, and it was a big hit! Everyone was dancing their hearts out under the twinkling lights and taking turns to wear Hawaiian Lei necklaces. It was wonderful to see the children showing off their moves and having so much fun with their friends. We mixed up some fruity mocktails, giving the children a chance to feel extra fancy at the Disco! We also had the pleasure of watching the Year 2 Talent Show and Nursery were captivated by the performances and clapped along with great enthusiasm. The Nursery children loved the whole school picnic; especially when they got to enjoy their lunchtime play with all the 'Big children' afterwards. The biggest highlight for Nursery during St Christopher's day was the surprise visit from the ice cream van! The children were thrilled to enjoy a delicious treat in the sunshine — the perfect way to cool down on a warm day. We continued our week with talking about summertime and the children have been excitedly sharing their summer holiday plans they have in-store. As we come to the end of the school year, it has been wonderful to look back on how far all the children have come and we are all so proud of how much the children have grown and we know that they will all continue to flourish into Reception, new schools or any journey they embark on! Wishing you all a restful and sunny summer holiday!



Reception News

We can't believe our lovely Reception children will soon be leaving us for their new teachers in Year 1, and other children for schools further afield. We wish them all every success as they move on and are so proud of all their hard work, personal progress and wonderful achievements.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for all their support throughout the year and their kind gifts and cards to finish the term. All the teachers and assistants are over run with drawings, shells, special leaves, posters, bubbles, pinecones and homemade books from the children and will need extra bags to get it all home!

All the Reception team wish you all a fabulous summer break. Stay safe and have plenty of fun!



The Foundation Team

Dates for the Diary

Wednesday 3rd September - Term starts

Children to wear summer uniform until the half term

As a reminder Headstart have a Multi-activity Course at St Christopher's next week please click on the link to apply. <https://headstartsports.classforkids.io/camps>



Art Award from Mrs Degg

Julius S - For your beautifully painted dinosaur models. Very well done.

Ashwin S - For your wonderful play foam creative sculptures. I love your use of colour and shapes. Great work!

Jack S - For your extraordinary collection of hand made foam clay ocean creatures. So clever!



Mathletics: Congratulations to Arvid M, Aaron E and Alisa S for your Legend Certificates.

Congratulations to Mateo B for your Cool Legend Certificate.

Congratulations to Leonardo D for your Gold Certificate.

Congratulations to Henry W for your Diamond and Emerald Certificates.



Spotty Box: Awards for success outside school:

Estrella W - Has been helping the environment with her family by switching from plastic milk bottles to glass. Well done, Estrella.

Tristan T - Awarded a star of the week certificate from Miss Kay and a certificate from Head Start football for attendance and contribution.

Oscar M - Certificate of achievement for tactician from Little Kickers and awarded a certificate and a medal for swimming 5 metres.

Faith H - Awarded a certificate and a medal for swimming 50 metres.

Polly S - Awarded a certificate and a medal for swimming 10 metres.

Alisa S - Awarded a certificate and a medal for achieving explore core skills 3 at gymnastics.

Sylvie A - Awarded star of the week at stagecoach for paying attention in class and enthusiasm.

Daniel G - Received a wristband for completing 21 park runs at Nonsuch park.

Chloe L - StarTastic certificate for great listening skills and super badgework and a certificate for participating at the virtuosi concerto series for young musicians.

Isabella D - Awarded Top Gym award 5 certificate from Leatherhead & Dorking Gymnastics club.

Sunny Z - Awarded LTA Red Team Smashed it certificate.

