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## **Christ Church CE Primary Newsletter 28: 4th May 2018**

### **Message from Mrs Jones:**

There was an impressive amount of certificates and achievements to celebrate in our assembly today. We are particularly focussing on our school values and it has really created a buzz of chatter amongst the children and this was reflected in the volume of values certificates presented today. Please do let us know if your child is talking about, or demonstrating our values at home.

*We all need human values rooted in trust and affection, Dalai Lama*

*We will be able to sort it out, as we have been thinking about respect and kindness, Reception pupil Christ Church Primary School*

*So whatever you wish that others would do to you, do to them...Matthew 7.12*

Mr Campbell has organised our teacher-led clubs and they have started this week; there is a great variety on offer and enthusiasm for these. We will share what the clubs have achieved as the weeks progress.

Congratulations to the children appointed as our new school librarians and thank you to all who applied. Mrs Richardson will meet with you next week and set you off on your first tasks.



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## Yr 5 trip to Beggar Bush Activity Centre

Year 5 had a great time at Beggar Bush yesterday, trying out lots of new activities. We learnt how to survive in the wild by making traps and snares, learning how to track, building shelters and cooking our own food. Our flat bread tasted amazing with jam and chocolate on!



## Yr 2 Beebotting

“This week, Year 2 have enjoyed learning about position and direction, moving Beebots around a grid. The children have been learning about  $1/2$ ,  $1/4$  and  $3/4$  turns, and applied their understanding of clockwise and anti-clockwise.”



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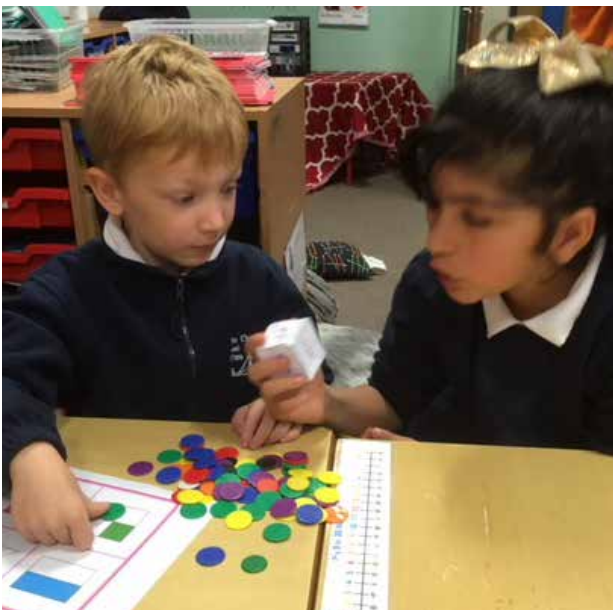
## Yr 4 Poetry

As part of our poetry topic this term, Year 4 went outside to plan some Shape poems. We explored the playground and found a range of subjects to base our poems on. From the towering green trees, to the beautiful blossom tree and Christ Church's resident greedy sea gull we were spoilt for choice on what to write! We let our imaginations flow and felt inspired by the colours and sounds of Spring. We used our poetry scrap books to record our ideas and did some quick shape sketches ready to take back to class.



## Yrs 1 & 4 Maths Collaboration

It was a hubbub of excitement down in 1AS this morning as 4AF trooped into the classroom laden with maths challenges and games to help consolidate and support the learning that year 1 has been doing this week in maths. The year 1 children impressed 4AF with their maths knowledge and skills whilst the year 4 children impressed their teachers with excellent teaching skills and encouragement. The collaborative work that occurred between all children extended learning on all sides and Mrs. S and Mrs. F have decided to take a break on a Friday morning and let the year 4s take over!



## Gardening Club



## Invitations

**PTA Campfest, weekend of Fri 13-Sun 15th July**  
**Summer Fair - Sunday 24th June**

Save the date & save your jars!

**Sunday 24th June** will be the day of the Christ Church Primary School summer fair, 2018.

The event is already in the planning; you can expect old favourites and exciting new stalls.

Start raiding your recycling for glass jars to make this the best lucky jar stall yet!

See you on the 24th June!



# Invitations



**Friday  
18th May  
7.30pm**

**Cost: £5 per person**

**INCLUDES WELCOME DRINK ON  
ARRIVAL AND CANAPES**

On-line payment to the PTA account:  
Sort code 30-99-08 Account number: 22086268  
Please put your name as the description.

Cheque or cash in a named envelope and put in the  
box outside the school main reception (cheques made  
payable to 'Christ Church School Association')



The **Race & Auction** night will consist of 8 races; after race 4 there will be an auction and we have a lot of fabulous prizes (more details of these will be announced nearer the time).

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# Spire



## Christ Church Cafe

C O F F E E H O U S E

Christ Church Spire Coffee House, which is located inside the church and run for the whole Clifton community, is extending its opening hours from the beginning of May. It will be open from 9am to 4:30pm (every weekday except Wednesday). Please see [www.spirecoffeeshop.org.uk](http://www.spirecoffeeshop.org.uk) for more details.

*We want to be a place of sanctuary and refreshment. We serve lovely Lavazza coffee, a wide range of Fairtrade teas, and delicious cakes.*

*The corner of the cafe is dedicated to play; full to the brim with games and toys, which you can explore with your little one.*

*There are also several different groups who meet at the Spire, and events happening around the place - pop in to find out more!*

## Reminders

Parents/carers **MUST** prebook lunches via ParentPay

It is not the responsibility of the school office to book children's lunches.

## Letters home

Teacher Led Clubs

Year 5 Netball Club

Year 2 Beggar Bush

## Contact details:

If your contact details have changed, please ensure that you let the school office know as soon as possible. Please ensure that we have up to date **email addresses** for you so that we can communicate efficiently with you.

## Contacting the school:

If you would like to raise issues or ideas with the school, you can do this through emailing the school office ([christ.church.p@bristol-schools.uk](mailto:christ.church.p@bristol-schools.uk)) or emailing the school governors ([gcp@bristol-schools.uk](mailto:gcp@bristol-schools.uk)).

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# Term 5 & 6, 2018 Dates



## Term 5:

### May:

Mon 7th	Bank holiday - school closed
Thurs 10th	Yr 2 Beggar Bush Activity Centre Trip RRP Tea Afternoon
Mon 14th-Fri 18th	Y6 SATS week
Thurs 17th	Yr 3 Beggar Bush Activity Centre Trip Yr 4 RWA trip 1ZH Tea Afternoon
Fri 18th	PTA Race Night
Tues 22nd	Yr 6 Beggar Bush Activity Centre Trip
Weds 23rd	Yr 5 Ancient Greek Day
Thurs 24th	Yr 1 Beggar Bush Activity Centre Trip Y6 Police workshop RVG Assembly, 9.10am 2KF Tea Afternoon
Fri 25th	<b>Last day of term 5</b> INSET - children not in school

## Term 6:

### June:

Mon 4th	Term 6 starts
Tues 5th	KS2 Choir to Colston Hall (during school day)
Thurs 7th	Yr 4 Beggar Bush Activity Centre Trip Yr 6 to Cathedral Yr 6 camp meeting, 3.30pm 6CE Tea Afternoon
Fri 8th	Yr 6 sewing workshop
Tues 12th	EYFS learning diary visit, 8.45am
Thurs 14th	Reception to Beggar Bush Activity Centre Trip Yr 6 Boat Building trip 4AF Tea Afternoon
Fri 15th	World Cup Launch event EYFS Father's day, 2.30pm
Tues 19th	Yr 4 Tyntesfield trip
Weds 20th	Yr 6 RNLI workshop New reception intake meeting, 6pm
Thurs 21st	Yr 6 to Beggar Bush Activity Centre Trip 5RR Tea Afternoon
Mon 25th	Last week teacher led clubs at school
Thurs 24th	Reception class assembly
Tues 26th	Class photos
Thurs 28th	Yr 1 to Beggar Bush Activity Centre Trip 3TC Tea Afternoon
<b>July:</b>	
Mon 2nd	Yr 6 camp all week
Thurs 5th	Yr 2 to Beggar Bush Activity Centre Trip
Mon 9th	EYFS Grandparent visits, 2-3pm
Tues 10th	Yr 5 to Beggar Bush Activity Centre Trip
Weds 11th	'Shuffle up' morning
Fri 13th	Sports morning, Clifton College New Fields
Thurs 19th	Yr 6 Leavers Assembly
Fri 20th	<b>Last day of Term 6</b>