

CHRIST CHURCH PRIMARY SCHOOL CHRONICLE

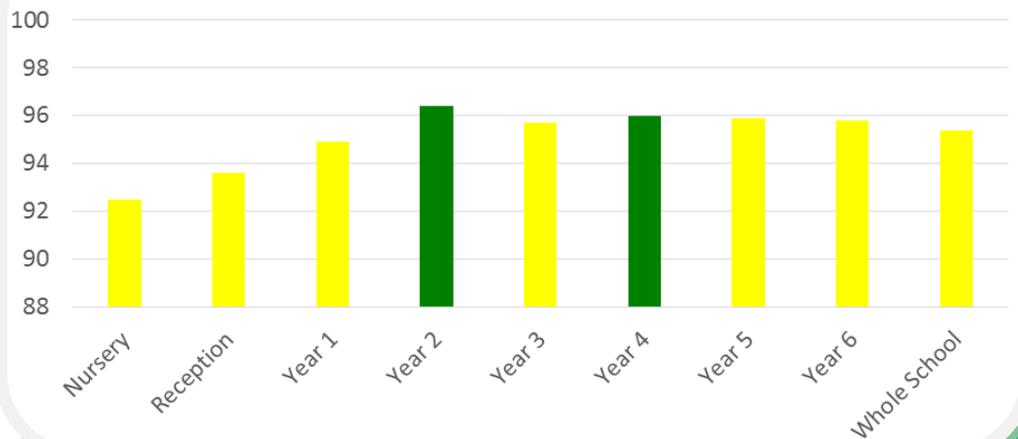
14 June 2018

Learning with God and Each Other to Be the Best We Can Be
Respect: Endurance: Friendship

Attendance

After some disappointing results during the spring term, our attendance improved considerably during the first half of the summer term with most classes achieving above 96% on a number of occasions. We hope that this continues throughout the second half of the summer term. The attendance for each class since September can be seen below. I wonder if anybody will overtake year 2 and will year 3, year 5 and year 6 reach 96% by the end of the year?

Whole School Attendance - September to May Half Term



Diary Dates

- **Friday 15th June:** SCHOOL CLOSED for all pupils
- **Friday 29th June:** Summer Bingo, after school
- **Thursday 12th July:** Year 6 Come and Play with the Halle (during school time)
- **Monday 16th July:** Leavers' Eucharist at Christ Church, 9.30am
- **Wednesday 18th July:** Year 6 Prom, time to be confirmed
- **Friday 20th July:** Year 6 Leavers' Assembly, 2pm
- **Monday 23rd July – Tuesday 4th September:** School Closed for the Summer Holiday
- **Monday 3rd September:** SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS, Teacher Training Day
- **Tuesday 4th September:** First day of the new academic year for pupils in Reception – Year 6



Sun Safety

Now that summer has arrived it's important to make sure that our children are protected from the sun. To keep your child sunsafe at breaktime and lunchtime could you please encourage them to wear a hat outside during these times. Applying once a day suntan lotion before the children leave for school each morning would also mean that they are protected against the sun. This is particularly important for our nursery and reception pupils who spend more time each day outside than our older pupils.

Training Day – SCHOOL CLOSED
A reminder that school is closed to all pupils
on Friday 15th June.



Collecting Children

Could all parents/carers of children in nursery please be ready to collect the children at 3.00pm when the nursery day finishes and collect them before any older siblings. The children are very tired at the end of the day and it is unfair to keep them waiting. Reception, year 1 and year 2 children need collecting at 3.10pm with Year 3 – year 6 at 3.15pm.

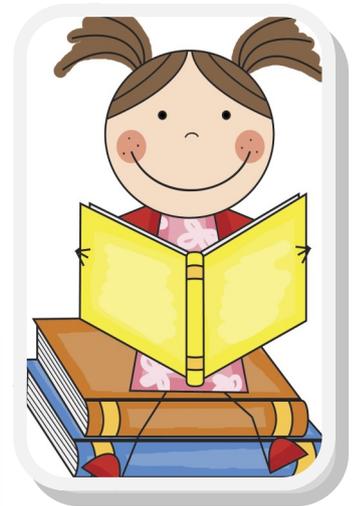
Royal Wedding Tea Party Thank-You

Our wedding tea party was a great success due to your extremely generous donations. We had more than enough cakes for the event. Thank you again for your generosity.



Reading Books and Reading Volunteers

As we provide opportunities throughout the week to listen to children read, can you please make sure that your child's reading book is returned to school each day. This means we can keep a check on your child's reading level and change the books when necessary. If you have some time and would like to volunteer in school listening to children read, please speak to either Mrs Birks or Mr Hields.



NO SMOKING



NO VAPING

No Smoking

As a no smoking building, smoking and vaping are not allowed anywhere on the school premises. Thank you for your cooperation in ensuring a healthy school environment for our children, staff and visitors.

Staffing Update

I'm pleased to say that Miss Bradbury has returned to school after her absence and is enjoying being back with her year 4 class. We are also looking forward to Miss Hill returning from her maternity leave soon, although she, and her son Ted, have been regular visitors.

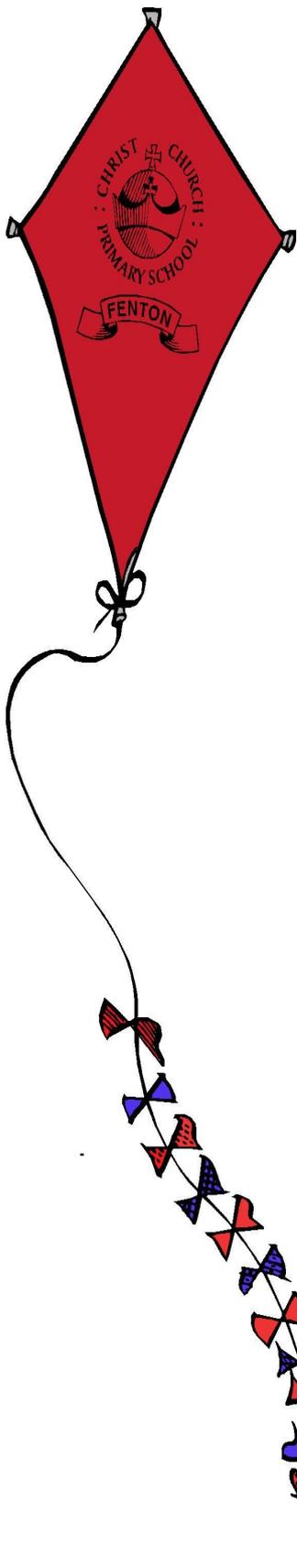


Non-Uniform Days to Support Summer Fayre/Bingo 29th June 2018

There will be another non-uniform day in preparation for our Summer Bingo/Fayre. The non uniform day is:

Friday 22nd June – Chocolates and sweets

Thank you for supporting us yet again.



Class Dojo GDPR Update

Following the introduction of the GDPR (General Data Protection Regulations) across Europe many organisations are having to update their mailing lists and ask for consent to send emails.

You may have received a notification from Class Dojo asking you to update your email address with them. Please open your notifications within the Class Dojo app and then click on the GDPR message. It will then take you to a request for an email address. Please complete this and you will continue to receive Class Dojo updates.

If you need any help or have any further questions, please speak to Mr Hields.



Vandalism and Trespass

Sadly, our recently created early years play area and early years storage has been vandalised on a number of occasions since Easter. Parents have reported to us seeing past and present pupils on the school grounds after school hours and during the weekend. The police have been contacted and they have assured us that they will be stepping up patrols during the weekend and after school. We are also paying for security patrols to take place out of school hours and will be having external CCTV cameras fitted before the end of term. We are extremely disappointed that the damage has happened and will continue to work with the local police and security services to ensure that our school premises are protected.



Northwood Track and Field Competitions

Our children were great ambassadors for our school at the Annual Athletics Competitions. All children who participated gave 100% and showed amazing sportsmanship cheering on their fellow athletes. Their behaviour was again exemplary and we are extremely proud of all children who participated.

End of Year Awards Assembly

Our end of year awards assembly programme will be the same as last year. Rather than having the traditional Year 6 Leavers' and then a Whole School Awards Assembly we will be splitting the whole school assembly into two smaller assemblies.

- **Thursday 19th July: Nursery – Year 2 Awards Assembly, 9.00am**
- **Wednesday 18th July: Year 3, Year 4 and Year 5 Awards Assembly, 9.00am**
- **Friday 20th July: Year 6 Leavers' Assembly, 2.00pm**

Invitations for these assemblies will be handed out closer to the end of term. Parents/carers of our year 6 class are invited to the Leavers' Assembly.

