



Christchurch Primary School

NEWSLETTER JUNE 2026



Summer Term Updates

The sun is shining and we have lots to celebrate. I would like to say a huge thank you to the PTA and to all of you for supporting us with our whole school sponsored walk. We have been overwhelmed by its success, as a lovely community event joined by parents, governors and Mr John Meredith, the Diocesan Director of Education, and by the money we have raised. I am so proud to announce that the funds raised are currently £1950!!!! This money will be used to develop our outdoor areas, and provide resources for the children.

I would like to remind all of you the importance of monitoring your child when they are accessing online platforms on mobile devices. Your child needs to be monitored at all times to ensure they are not accessing inappropriate content.

The next few weeks are very busy with lots going on. Please keep an eye on the communication we send out. Key dates are below, as well as on the school website. It is important that children wear suncream, have a hat and a drink during this hot weather spell, as they will be out and about.

Diolch Mrs. Adkins

New Website

We are excited to be launching a new school website very soon. This will be easier to navigate, and is designed to suit mobile phones. We have had some limited use on our existing website, during the merge. We will host an event in school to show you the new site (date to follow). The website will include:

- Key information about the school
- Photo gallery
- School newsletters
- Community links page
- School calendar

Upcoming Events

- **23.06.26** Summer Service Christchurch Church 10am
ALL WELCOME
- **25.06.26** Y1 - Library
- **26.06.26** Y5/6 Beach Rugby
- **29.06.26** Y6 Leavers Concert - Salvation Army 1.30pm
Parents Welcome
- **1.07.26** Noyes Fludde Swansea Minster
- **7.07.26** Parent Reading Workshop
- **8.07.26** PTA Summer Fete
- **09.07.26** N/R Superbowl trip
- **13.07.26** Y4,5,6 Visit Knelston
- **14.07.26** PTA Summer discos Christchurch Church Hall
- **14.07.26** Year 6 Leavers Meal
- **17.07.26** Last day of term
- **20.07.26** INSET Day School Closed

Transition September plans

With 4 weeks to go we are starting our transition activities in school to prepare the children for their move to the next year group. There are a few changes next year with staff moving year groups. This is the plan for September.

N/R Mrs Sears-Neale

Y1 Miss Herbert

Y2 Mrs Tyrrell-Howell

Y3 Mr Weston

Y4 Miss Brake

Y5 Mrs Williams

Y6 Miss Tregembo



Values and positive attitudes in Christchurch

Our school Faith Group went to visit Matthew's House as part of their Refugee Week learning. This is what Matthew's House had to say about the visit:

Christchurch Primary has been a fantastic supporter of the project for many years. Through donation drives, fundraising activities, collections and community support, the school has consistently shown a heart for helping others and making a difference in Swansea.

The Faith Group went to Matthew's House to learn more about the people we support, the projects we run and how we do our best to make sure nobody is forgotten. During their visit, the group toured Matthew's House, explored Greenhill Gardens and learned about the many ways hospitality and hope are shared across the project. They met members of the team, asked brilliant questions and discovered how a community can come together to support people facing difficult circumstances. Kindness, generosity and looking out for others are not things you have to wait until adulthood to start doing. The pupils returned to school full of ideas and enthusiasm, and with plans for a special bean collection drive. Their aim is to collect as many tins of beans as possible to support Matthew's House and the people who use our services. Whether it's baked beans or other varieties, every tin will help provide meals and support to people across Swansea. Visits like this remind us that hope grows when people work together. Today's pupils are tomorrow's volunteers, community leaders, teachers, supporters and change-makers. Creating opportunities for young people to see kindness in action is one of the most important investments we can make.

Thank you, Christchurch Primary School, for spending time with us.

Details of the 'bean collection' to follow.



Value



READ ME

This half term we will be focussing on the value **PEACE**, including peace that comes when it is quiet, the things that make for peace of mind and the qualities of a peacemaker.

David Tries To Make Peace With King Saul

King Saul knew that he needed to keep an eye on young David. He had killed the giant, Goliath, and now people were saying that David should be king. David was a gifted musician and so Saul asked him to come and live in his palace and play soothing music to him when he was in a rage. David became more and more popular and a good friend of Saul's own son Jonathan. Saul became more and more angry and jealous.

Finally one day, as he watched David peacefully playing his harp Saul's fury erupted and he threw a spear at David narrowly missing him. David knew he must escape from Saul's palace and with Jonathan's help, he fled into the desert. Before long, hundreds of followers joined David. Saul was furious and, with 3000 of his finest soldiers, set out to hunt David down and kill him.

One day Saul and his men stopped by a huge cave. Saul went into the cave alone or so he thought! In fact, David and his friends had been resting in another part of the cave and when they saw Saul, David's men whispered, "This is your chance David. God has delivered Saul into your hands to deal with as you please. Let's kill him at once."

David ordered his men to stay back while he crept forward and taking his knife from his belt, instead of killing Saul he simply cut off a corner of the king's cloak.

As Saul left the cave, David called after him, "My King, why do you think that I want to harm you and cause a rebellion? Look, here is a piece of your cloak! I could have killed you but I wish for only peace between us." Saul was overcome with sadness for what he had done. "May the Lord reward you richly for the way you have treated me today. I know now that one day David you will indeed be king."

Bible Story 1 Samuel 24



BIG QUESTIONS

All families have disagreements and arguments from time to time.

*What are the things that cause members of your family to fall out?

*Are there particular times of the day that arguments happen?

*How do each of you feel inside at these times?