

INSPIRE ACHIEVE AND GROW TOGETHER AS ONE FAMILY



CHRIST CHURCH PENNINGTON CE SCHOOL
WEEKLY NEWSLETTER
DIARY FOR THE WEEK COMMENCING:
May 9th, 2022



AUTISM AWARENESS MONTH

During Autism Awareness month, Y4 have been reading 'It's Raining Cats and Dogs' by Michael Barton. It made them laugh, as well as help them understand literal thinking. They enjoyed it so much, that they thought of phrases and drew their own literal thinking pictures.

Autism Awareness



UNIFORM

We feel that school uniform is very desirable for a number of reasons and it is our expectation that all children will wear it.

The uniform consists of:

- Deep royal blue jumper/cardigan or school sweatshirt
- Light blue polo shirt
- Black skirt/pinafore/trousers/shorts or official tartan kilt/pinafore. Blue gingham dress (Summer)
- Black school shoes- no trainers, pumps or heels
- Black/white socks or Black tights

Jewellery

Jewellery (apart from one pair of small stud earrings) should not be worn in school because of the risk of injury, particularly during P.E.

No body piercing is allowed and earrings are not allowed to be worn by children who are going swimming with school.

Nail polish and false nails are not allowed either.

Hair

Hair should be neat and tidy and pupils with long hair should have it tied back off the face. Hair styles should at all times be appropriate for school. Extreme hairstyles are not permitted.

LOST PROPERTY

We have a large amount of jumpers, PE hoodies and fleeces that have been left lying around school with no names in. If you are missing any, please call into the school office. Could we remind you that all clothing should be labelled with your child's name. Thank you.

ATTENDANCE MATTERS

I have two things to note. Firstly our Attendance Senior Officer, Karen, is visiting us 2 weeks today. More notices and notifications letters will follow I'm sure.

Secondly, a request that all absences are either phoned through or notified by Seesaw to the main office.

Thanks, have a good weekend. *Mr Southern*

PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT

Please do not allow your child to climb on the outdoor playground equipment when waiting to drop off or pick up. Children may only use the equipment when supervised by school staff, this is in line with our risk assessments – thank you.

SENDING MONEY INTO SCHOOL

Reminder: When sending money into school, please put each payment in a separate envelope, clearly labelled with your child's name, class, amount enclosed and details of what it is for. The envelopes need to be handed in to the class teaching assistant – not to the school office. If you have more than one child in school please send the money in separately. Thank you.

STARS OF THE WEEK

Reception – **Scarlett, Esmae**

Year 1 – **Phoebe, Lucy**

Year 2 – **Archie, Max**

Year 3 – **Dominic, Daniel**

Year 4 – **Noah, Ava**

Year 5 – **Brody, Lacei, Heidi W, Blake**

Year 6 – **ALL OF YEAR 6**

Ping Pong Raffle Winners

**Katie – Year 1
(w/c 25/4)**

**Yusla – Y 4
(w/c 3/5)**



And the child grew and became strong. (Luke 2:40)

Dear Parents/Carers

We have been contacted by Sonya Grove, a community programme worker for Wigan Council specializing in educating people about Domestic Abuse. She would like to offer a training/awareness course to parents and carers of the children who attend Christ Church. The adults who wish to attend do not have to be in an abusive relationship, they may just wish to learn more about abuse to educate themselves or to support family/friends. The session will be looking at how abuse affects children and parenting styles.

She has arranged some zoom sessions on:
Tuesday 17th May 12:30 - 2:30pm
Thursday 26th May 6:30 - 8:30pm

These sessions can be booked through Eventbrite, via the link below:
<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/311808907837>

If you have any questions or would like to discuss domestic abuse training, feel free to email sonya@diasdvc.org or phone 01942 311365



WBDAS Domestic Abuse Awareness E- Learning

www.diasdvc.org/training

In this introductory course you are going to find out about Domestic Abuse and how it can affect individuals and families living with abuse.

By the end of the course you will have increased your knowledge of:

- the signs of abuse
- the types of behaviours that are abusive
- the effect of domestic abuse on adults and children
- some of the reasons people find it difficult to leave abusive relationships
- some tools and techniques to have conversations about domestic abuse
- where to get help and support for people living with Domestic Abuse

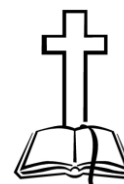
We hope you find it interesting and informative.

Wigan Borough Domestic Abuse Service

A partnership with DIAS DVC and Well Women Centre



CHURCH LINKS



BRIDGE WATERS
community cafe

Until Easter Holidays
Year 5&6 - Tuesdays
3:15-4:30 pm
parents and carers welcome
limited to 15 guests
Run by volunteers

crafts
tea & coffee
table games
**FREE milkshakes
hot chocolate**

 **Christ Church Pennington**
41 St Helen's Road, WN74HA (opposite The Britannia)

 **Bridgewaters Cafe**

Whizz Kids
CLUB AT CHRIST CHURCH PENNINGTON
FOR AGES 8 TO 11
TUESDAYS 7:00-8:30PM
ONLY £1
Games, crafts, challenges, and loads of fun!



If you would like any further information, then please email us at
info@christchurchpennington.com