

Christ Church Contact



Message from the Head Teacher

Dear Parents / Carers,

What a busy week we have just had.

On Wednesday the school had a visit from Harry, a guide puppy in training. The children listened to a short presentation from Sarah, Harry's trainer, explaining the details of training a guide puppy. Harry behaved immaculately during the whole assembly, so did the children who found the subject fascinating. Please remember to support *Glow for Guide Dogs* next week, it's such a worthy cause.

More excitement followed on Thursday with the steel drums workshop for FS and KS1 children, again the children enjoyed it thoroughly. Last week KS 2 children also took part in the same workshop. Judging by a few comments I've heard from the children, it was a very popular event. Many thanks to the Performing Arts Committee, PSA and the parents who supported us financially. Without this help we would not be able to run these kind of workshops, they are just too expensive for our measly school budget.

Finally, the week ended with another exciting event - Christ Church Chase. I would like to thank the members of the Sports Committee for organising the event. The children always enjoy it and it raises much needed funds to purchase

more sports equipment for the children to enjoy in their PE lessons or after school clubs. Also, thank you to all of you who always sponsor your children so generously. Your help is much appreciated.

Ania Vaughan - Head Teacher

Dates for the Week Ahead

Monday 6th Oct - Harvest Church Service - 9.30am, Christ Church.

Tuesday 7th Oct - Year 5 & 6 School Trip - Harlow Cinema.

Wednesday 8th Oct - My Maths Presentation - Years 5 & 6 - 3.20pm.

Friday 10th Oct - *Glow for Guide Dogs* - Dress in bright colours for a suggested donation of £1.

School Crossing Patrol

Please make use of our crossing school crossing patrols, they are here to help you and your children cross the roads safely. If people do not use them they will be placed somewhere else.



School Railings

It has been brought to our attention from some concerned parents that there are a number of children climbing onto the bins and railings outside near the main road after school. Please can you ensure children are kept safe in and around the premises before and after school.

Glow for Guide Dogs

This year we will be supporting *Glow for Guide Dogs*, a national dress in neon day on Friday 10th October. Children can come to school dressed in bright colours for the day for a suggested donation of £1. The children were lucky to have all met one of the guide dogs in training in an assembly earlier this week.

Golden Book

Congratulations to the children who have been entered into the *Golden Book* this week.

Eloise M - Lewis Class
 Fletcher H - Lewis Class
 Eddison B - Lewis Class
 Nathan A - Tolkien Class
 Tyler W - Hargreaves Class
 Esther H - Tolkien Class
 Alana C - Tolkien Class
 Rachel F - Tolkien Class
 Charlie S - Lewis Class
 Leane C - Horowitz Class
 Yianni S - Tolkien Class
 Jasmine S - Shakespeare Class
 Isobel F - Shakespeare Class

PSA Treasure Hunt

Thank you to everyone that came along and took part in our treasure hunt last week, the event was well supported and we raised a fantastic £110.

Box Deluxe

Box Deluxe, the local group who performed and raised money earlier this year for our school, are playing at The Old Bulls Head in Ware - raising money for Marie Curie Cancer. If you enjoy live music, please come along from 8.30pm, you will have a fantastic evening!

Changes to Parking Arrangements

East Herts Council have informed us that as of early September all motorists will be entitled to a FREE half hour stay in the majority of the East Herts car parks including Kibes Lane short stay.

So that Civil Enforcement Officers can ensure that vehicles are parked free for a maximum of 30 minutes ALL DRIVERS MUST DISPLAY A PAY AND DISPLAY TICKET in their vehicle which they obtain by pressing the green button on the machine. The ticket will show an expiry time of 30 minutes from the time of issue.

These new parking rules supersede the previous arrangements we had for Kibes Lane short stay car park.

