



# CHURCH DRIVE BULLETIN



Spring Term 1 Week Commencing 9th January 2023



## Attendance

Target 97%



Foxes	96.8%
Hedgehogs	95.8%
Chestnuts	97.1% - Hit the target
Willow	93.0%
Maple	99.3% - Hit the target
Juniper	93.8%
Aspen	94.8%
Rowan	97.3% - Hit the target
Hazel	95.3%
Hawthorn	95.8%
Cedar	93.3%
Blossom	90.0%
Whole School	95.65%

Winners of the Attendance Cup this week is **MAPLE** Class—additional ten minutes play next week



A massive thank you to all of our parents and children for raising a huge £3825.50!

This is a significant amount of money and you will have made as a school community a huge difference to many families.

## Headteacher Message

Mrs J Jones

Welcome back after the Christmas break and best wishes for the New Year ahead, to all of our families !

It is exciting to be back and looking forward to the events planned for the Spring term.

### Notification for Parents:

School has put in an application for a Disabled Bay, at the front of school to support our families with pupils who have physical impairments. Thank you to the parents who wrote a supporting statement and we will keep our fingers crossed that we will receive a response shortly.

Road Safety lessons have been booked in for Years 5 and 6 on 7th March and in addition, Year 5 will be starting Bikeability training week commencing 30th January.

Before Christmas, a serious accident nearly occurred at the rear of the school involving a Foundation Stage child. Thanks to a parent being vigilant, a serious accident was prevented. Please can we emphasise the importance of parking in the side roads close to school and asking you to walk in with your child to reduce the congestion around the perimeter of school.

Thank you !!

Mrs Joanna Jones



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STAR OF THE WEEK AT CHURCH DRIVE  
PRIMARY SCHOOL



**Foxes** – Jacob W– Being a role model by showing excellent effort and being a fantastic friend.

**Hedgehogs**– Thomas W– For working hard to follow our three school rules.

**Chestnuts** - Kacey SJ– Always being enthusiastic about her learning and also some lovely handwriting this week.

**Willow** - Tilly-May P– For showing exemplary behaviour, always so respectful and ready to learn.

**Maple** – Jasmine D– For being resilient during all new tasks and always trying her best.

**Juniper** – Ben F– For always being ready to learn.

**Aspen**– Callum H– For making such a huge effort with his handwriting and presentation recently.

**Rowan**– Darcy H– For being really brave and settling back into school well after Christmas.

**Blossom**– Ethan K– Outstanding work in multiplication and division and lovely work in Geography with Miss Callis.

**Cedar**– Bodhi S– Has been working extremely hard in all of his lessons and has worked well next to each of his partners during the first week back in school.

**Hawthorn**– Dylan-WW– Always displaying excellent behaviour.

**Hazel**– Polina H– For always giving her all in everything and continuing to show good resilience.

REMINDER - KEY DATES FOR PUPILS IN SCHOOL, SO PLEASE DO NOT TAKE THEM OUT OF SCHOOL ON HOLIDAY !!

Year 6—9th May –12th May National SAT examinations

Year 4— 5th June—16th June National Multiplication Check Test.

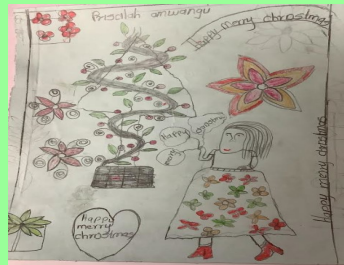
Year 2—15th May—26th May National SAT examinations

Year 1—12th June—16th June Phonics National Screening Test



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**Global School Network**—At Church Drive we are happy to be linked with a school in Kenya to support our children as global citizens. We are communicating with our link school every term and participating in joint projects. The children in Kenya wanted to send their thoughts and prayers to us during our Christmas celebration time and have created some lovely leaflets for our children, we have sent doves of peace to Kenya and will be looking forward to hearing back from them in the Spring term.



**ECO AWARD**—School is working in conjunction with Parents to look at obtaining our ECO Award this academic year. If there are any parents who would be interested in supporting us with this, please contact the School Office. We are looking to purchase a polytunnel and set up vegetable beds for each Phase in school. So if you have hidden wood-work skills or links that could support us we would greatly appreciate your support.

### Church Drive Budding Author

Ella T in Year 5, has had her first book published before Christmas 'Killed by the Sun'. Ella has dedicated her first novel, to her grandad who passed recently.

Ella is a talented young writer, whose passion is to be an author when she grows up. Ella has had over twenty copies published and she should feel immensely proud of her achievements.





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### Dates for your diary

PE days beginning week commencing Monday, 9th January:

Y1, Y2, Y3 & Y4 —MONDAY

FS2, Y5 & Y6 **BLOSSOM** Class—TUESDAY

Please ensure your child wears their PE kit on this day

Class Assemblies - held @ 9:15, parents/carers welcome

20th January 2023: Rowan

2nd February 2023: Aspen

10th February 2023: Juniper

9th March 2023: Maple

31st March 2023: Willow

28th April 2023: Chestnuts

23rd June 2023: Foxes

30th June 2023: Hedgehogs

Monday 30th January—Year 5 Bikeability Training.— **Please can all consent forms be filled in and returned to school office asap.**

Thursday 16th February —School Valentine Disco

School Closes for February half-term on Friday 17th February

Monday 27th February—INSET DAY

School re-opens on Tuesday 28th February.

Thursday 2nd March—World Book Day—author or Poet visiting the school

Tuesday 7th March - Road Safety lessons for Years 5 and 6.

Week commencing 13th March—Assessment Week in school

Friday 17th March—Comic Relief

Monday 20th March—Commando Joe's Resilience Training for Year 1-Year 6

Week commencing 20th March—KS2 Easter Service. (date to be confirmed)

Monday 20th March—Tag Rugby Competition—Great Meols Years 5 and 6 (selected pupils only)

Thursday 23rd March—Rocksteady Concert for Parents whose children attend private lessons.

Thursday 23rd March—World Maths Day.

**Thursday 23rd March—Face to Face Parent's Evening - AMENDED**

Thursday 30th March—Face to Face Parent's Evening

Friday 31st March—Close for Easter (two weeks)

Please check, as items in red have been amended and additional information can be added on a weekly basis.



## CHURCH DRIVE BISTRO

Week beginning Monday 16th January 2023

Week 3	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
<b>Main meal</b>	Cheese & tomato pizza & half jacket potato	Chicken Korma with mixed rice	Roast of the day, roast potatoes and gravy	Sausage with mashed potato & gravy	Fish fingers & chips
<b>Veggie meal</b>	Loaded wedges with cheese or beans	Vegetable Korma with mixed rice	Quorn roast or roast veggie meatballs, roast potato & gravy	Veggie mince pasta Bolognese & garlic bread	Crispy bean & vegetable bake & chips
<b>Pasta</b>		Pasta with cheese or tomato sauce	Pasta with cheese or tomato sauce	Pasta with cheese or tomato sauce	Pasta with cheese or tomato sauce
<b>Deli bar</b>	Freshly made cheese sandwich	Cheese/Tuna Mayo/Ham Sandwich Jacket potato with tuna mayo, cheese or beans	Cheese/Tuna Mayo/Ham Sandwich Jacket potato with tuna mayo, cheese or beans	Cheese/Tuna Mayo/Ham Sandwich Jacket potato with tuna mayo, cheese or beans	Cheese/Tuna Mayo/Ham Sandwich Jacket potato with tuna mayo, cheese or beans
<b>Veggies</b>	Mixed vegetables Garden salad	Carrots Sweetcorn	Winter greens Cauliflower	Green beans Baked beans Carrots	Baked beans Garden peas
<b>Dessert</b>	Hobnob cookie Apple smiles	Jelly & mandarin	Flapjack finger & custard	Lemon drizzle cake	Frozen Toffee Yogurt

## CHURCH DRIVE EXTRA—CURRICULAR CLUBS

### Spring Term1

	Club	Year Group
Monday	Gymnastics Progressive Sports 3:30-4:15pm	FS2-Yr2
Tuesday	Archery Progressive Sports 3:30-4:15pm  Healthy Me Club– Miss Tyson, Mrs Bellis & Mrs Goodacre (continuing for 4 sessions from last term to children who have previously signed up)  Chess Club– Mrs Taylor Lunchtime Choir Club– Mrs Cranny & Mrs Percy 3:30-4:15pm	Yrs3-Yr6  Yr2-Yr4  Yrs3-Yrs6 Yrs2-Yrs6
Wednesday		
Thursday	Rocksteady Music Lessons Tag Rugby– Mr Thomason & Miss O' Callaghan 3:30pm-4:15pm	Whole School Yrs5&6
Friday		