



# Corpus Christi Catholic Primary School

*We live our lives like Jesus*



Newsletter 6th December 2024

Dear Parents and Carers.

Thank you to all those who were involved in preparing and supporting Corpus Christi Christmas Fiesta - it was a super occasion where we came together to celebrate our diversity through the strength of our community. The fiesta raised about £400 which will be used to enhance the playground. Photos can be seen later in the newsletter.

We now enter the second week of Advent and continue with our expectant waiting, hopeful anticipation and joyful preparation as Christ enters the world. At the moment the classrooms and corridors are filled with the voice of angels as we prepare to welcome you to our nativities—please check the newsletter and calendar for times.

Thank you to those who have donated to the reverse Advent calendar—We are asking children to make a donation to our Advent Calendar with items such as scarves, socks, hats, gloves, biscuits, toiletries or chocolate. In the School Reception Area will be an Advent Calendar where children can leave their donations.

Happy Advent to all our families,

Miss Clark



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## Christmas Celebrations

Parents are invited to join us for our Christmas Celebrations.

Tuesday 10th December	YrR Nativity at 9.am
Thursday 12th December	Yr1-2 Nativity @ 2pm
Friday 20th December	Yr3-6 Carol Service at 2.15pm



The Nativities and Carol Service will be in the Church so we are able to accommodate the wider family community.

**Grandparents and the Parish Community are invited to join us**

**Tuesday 17th December**                      Community Tea Party @ 2pm—School Hall

**In school**

**Wednesday 18th December**

YrR-2 Christmas Jumper, Christmas Lunch and Party

**Thursday 19th December**

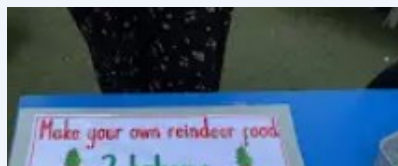
Yr3-6 Christmas Jumper & Christmas Lunch and Party



## PE Days – Autumn Term

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Dolphins yr3.4 (Mrs Kelly)	Orcas yr3.4 (Mr Clark)	Bumblebees yrR (Mrs Miles)	Kestrels yr5.6 (Mrs Precious)	Owls yr1.2 (Ms Martinez)
Starfish yr3.4 (Mrs Hassana)		Ladybirds yrR (Miss Longyear)	Starlings yr5.6 (Mrs Gosney)	Hedgehogs yr1.2 (Mrs Thiba)
		Owls yr1.2 (Ms Martinez)	Kingfishers yr5.6 (Miss Dawson)	Badgers yr1.2 (Miss Elsom)
		Hedgehogs yr2 (Mrs Thiba)	Dolphins yr3.4 (Mrs Kelly)	Kestrels yr5.6 (Mrs Precious)
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# Fiesta Memories



## Our City: Our Future

*"Staying safe together in a digital world"*



**This week's theme is:**

**"Online Reputation"**

I can identify ways  
that I can put  
information on the  
internet.

Questions to ask your child:

- ◆ What does the word information mean?
- ◆ What types of information do you know?
- ◆ Is it easier to share things in different ways? e.g. Show someone where you have been? Share your favourite song with someone? Show your friend your drawing? Show a picture of your brother/sister?
- ◆ Information helps us communicate. What does communicate mean?
- ◆ We use the word online? What does that mean?
- ◆ Do you go online?
- ◆ When do you go online?
- ◆ What do you like doing online?
- ◆ What's the opposite of online?
- ◆ What does it mean to be 'positive' online?

## Zoom in, Zoom out

Last weeks reveal:

It was A Praying Mantis!



This weeks zoom in:



## GOOD SHEPHERD

BUMBLEBEES — MIGUEL  
LADYBIRDS — MAKLIT  
OWLS — KAREN  
HEDGEHOGS — DESIRE  
BADGERS — ROSIE  
DOLPHINS — MOLLY  
ORCAS — RYAN  
STARFISH — ANTONINA  
KINGFISHERS — MCKENZIE  
KESTRELS — JESS  
STARLINGS — ARUN



BUMBLEBEES — SAMUEL TW  
LADYBIRDS — MARILYN  
OWLS — MADELINE  
HEDGEHOGS — VED  
BADGERS — IZA  
DOLPHINS — BLEN  
ORCAS — OLIVIA G  
STARFISH — ADRIANNA  
KINGFISHERS — ARIAM  
KESTRELS — LEVON  
STARLINGS — DAVID D

## GOLDEN BOOK

Nathaniel (Owls)

Super writing.

Poppy (Hedgehogs)

Super learning behaviour.



BRONZE:

Shaun, Hanna and Ramana  
(Owls)

Nikola and Adrianna (Starfish)

Attendance : Week commencing 25th November 2024

Well done to Hedgehogs 99.6%

**Great News!**



**National School Attendance Award**

2023/24 Academic Year



*Corpus Christi Catholic Primary School*

*Top 25% of similar FFT Primary Schools in England*



**National School Attendance Award**

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### Early Bird and Late Owl Club pricing review:

The school has looked into the costing for our wraparound care and we are letting you know that the following increase will take place from 1st January 2025:

Standard Early Bird from £3.25 to £4, which increases by £0.75 ( for siblings from £3 to £3.60 which increases by £0.60)

Full Late Owl from £7.70 to £8.90 which increases by £1.20 (for siblings from £7.40 to £8.50 which increases by £1.10 and Friday Late Owl from £2.75 to £3.30 which increases by £0.55.

### Dates for your Diary

Tuesday 10th December	YrR Nativity @ 9.15am (Doors open from 9am)
Thursday 12th December	Yr1-2 Nativity @ 2pm-3pm (Doors open from 1.45pm)
Tuesday 17th December	Grandparents Tea Party @ 2pm
Wednesday 18th December	YrR-2 Christmas Jumper & Christmas Lunch Day KS1 Christmas Party
Thursday 19th December	Yr3-6 Christmas Jumper & Christmas Lunch Day
Friday 20th December	Yr3-6 Carol Service at 2.15pm
Monday 23rd December - Friday 3rd January	SCHOOL HOLIDAYS - school closed for all children
Tuesday 11th February - Friday 14th February	Yr 6 Runways End Residential
Monday 17th February - Friday 21st February	HALF TERM - school closed for all children
Monday 24th February	INSET Day - school closed for all children
Monday 7th April - Monday 21st April	SCHOOL HOLIDAYS - school closed for all children
Monday 5th May	BANK HOLIDAY - school closed for all children
Friday 23rd May	INSET Day - school closed for all children
Monday 26th May - Friday 30th May	HALF TERM - school closed for all children
Friday 4th July	INSET Day - school closed for all children
Wednesday 23rd July - Tuesday 2nd September	SUMMER HOLIDAYS - school closed for all children

# Christmas Lunch Menu

**Roast Turkey with Sausage,  
Roast Potatoes and  
Stuffing**

**Christmas Vegetable  
Wellington with Roast  
Potatoes**

**Peas**

**Sliced Carrots**

**Frosted Chocolate Cake**

**Or**

**Gingerbread Biscuits**



Small changes,  
big differences.



## **Triple P Discussion Group**

**For parents of Children from 2 Years old.**

Learn how to set boundaries and create routines that work for your family.  
All sessions will offer basic strategies and ideas for anyone who wants to help their child  
to be the best they can be.

## **Developing a Bedtime Routine**

**Friday 13th December 2024**

**10 - 12-30**

**Paulsgrove Family Hub, Cheltenham Road,  
Paulsgrove, Portsmouth, PO6 3PL**

**T: 02392 88 25 88**

TO BOOK YOUR PLACE, PLEASE CALL THE FAMILY HUB NUMBER AND  
SELECT THE RELEVANT FAMILY HUB FROM THE OPTIONS LIST



[www.triplep.net](http://www.triplep.net)

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## Triple P Primary Parenting Course

Suitable for children aged 4 - 8 yrs



### WHO IS IT FOR?

Parents or caregivers interested in promoting their child's development and potential or they may have concerns about their child's behavioural problems or simply wish to prevent behaviour problems from developing

**Tuesday 14th January to 25th February 9:30—12:00**

**At**

**Paulsgrove Family Hub, Cheltenham Road,  
Portsmouth PO6 3PL**

**To book a place please send an e-mail to the Parenting in box at  
[ParentingService@portsmouthcc.gov.uk](mailto:ParentingService@portsmouthcc.gov.uk)**

**With your contact details and your child's name and DOB.**

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