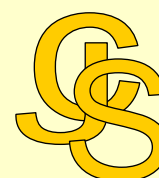


## CJS NEWS

Weekly news from Christchurch Junior School

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**THE BEST FOR ALL—THE BEST FROM ALL**

### ATTENDANCE RACE

The winners of the attendance race for last week are:

Year 3	3GB	96.8%
Year 4	4SC & 4DH	99.4%
Year 5	5AT	99.0%
Year 6	6VD	98.1%

### SCHOOL DISCOS—FRIDAY 7 DECEMBER (FANCY DRESS OPTIONAL)

**Years 3 & 4 from 530-7:00pm Years 5 & 6 7:30—9:00pm**

Tickets (£3) will be on sale in school next week and can be purchased from your child's year group. You can also pay on the door (£3). Refreshments (drinks, crisps, hot dogs ect) will be on sale (we suggest no more than £2.00 will be needed). Please bring your child to the main reception where he/she can be registered before entering the hall. Children should be collected from the rear hall doors promptly at the end of each disco and will not be allowed to leave the hall unaccompanied. A reminder that the discos are for CJS children (no infant brothers, sisters or friends, please). We do not allow children to bring mobile phones. If you are able to help, please give school a call on 01202 485579 and leave your name and number.

### YEAR 3 PERFORMANCE- CHRISTMAS AROUND THE WORLD

Parents of children in Year 3 will have received a letter giving details of this year's Christmas performance which will take place on Tuesday 11 and Wednesday 12 December 2018. To book tickets, please return the reply slip to school, as soon as possible, indicating on which date you would like to come and how many tickets you would like. In the first instance, we will be allocating two tickets per family. This will be on a first-come-first-served basis.

### DORSET SCHOOL ADMISSION ARRANGEMENTS CONSULTATION 2020 - 2021

Dorset will be consulting on School Admission Arrangements for 2020/2021 from now until Friday 21 December 2018. Details of the consultation are available to view at <https://www.dorsetforyou.gov.uk/education-and-training/education-and-training.aspx?folderids=5377,43802>. All comments should be sent to [schoolorganisation@dorset.gov.uk](mailto:schoolorganisation@dorset.gov.uk)

### GOING HOME ARRANGEMENTS

Please can we ask that parents inform their children of going home arrangements before dropping them off to school, wherever possible. In the event that there is a last minute change of arrangements we will endeavour to get the message to your child, however we cannot guarantee it at the end of the day as this is a very busy time. Also, please can we ask that you inform the class teacher and the school office should you need to collect your child before the end of the school day for any reason. Thank you for your cooperation.

### FAMILY PHOTOS

Family photo proofs have been distributed, please could you ensure your order is given back in to the school office by Thursday 6 December. Thank you.

### CELEBRATIONS & ACHIEVEMENTS

- Molly Lord got silver in the L8yr old Kumite (sparring) at the ISMAA karate Championships on Sunday 25 November. Molly has qualified for the Karate World Games in New Delhi next year. Well done Molly!
- Freya Lord got bronze in the L8yr old Kumite (sparring) at the ISMAA karate Championships on Sunday 25 November. Well done Freya!

### CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY—14 DECEMBER 2018

Friday 15 December is Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day. Children will be able to wear their Christmas jumpers with their school uniform skirts / trousers. Staff will be making a £2 donation to Save the Children to wear their jumpers and I will be paying £4 not to wear one! Children can make a donation if they wish although they do not have to do so. Years 3 & 5 have their Christmas parties on Friday and will be able to wear mufti on that day.

### TAG RUGBY CLUB—CANCELLED MONDAY 3 DECEMBER 2018

There will be no TAG Rugby on Monday 3 December 2018. The club will resume next week as normal.

## CHRISTMAS FOOD BANK

A letter went out to parents this week with information about the collection for the Christmas Food Bank. The deadline will be Monday 17 December so please ensure all food has been given to Mrs Thomas (5AT) by this date.

## LANTERN MAKING WORKSHOP

A huge thank you to all who joined in on the Lantern Making Workshops. Thanks to you all, we had a fabulous turn out and created a real impact at the Christchurch Christmas Festival - the parade wouldn't have been the same without you. The organisers were so impressed with the impact and beauty! You all took on a huge undertaking and turned out in some very adverse conditions!

The photographs on the Echo website look spectacular. Please pride yourself on doing a wonderful job! Thank you! -Miss Foster

## ABSENCE FROM SCHOOL

Please can we remind parents and carers that if your child is unwell or off school for any reason, a phone call into the school office is required for each and every day that your child is absent from school. The office is open from 8am. Thank you.

## COLD WEATHER

As the weather is getting colder, please could parents ensure that their children are wearing the appropriate clothing and bring in coats, gloves, hats etc. Thank you.

## GIFTS 4 GIVING

The PTFA will be running the Gifts 4 Giving stall between 3rd and 7th December at Lunchtimes in Bluewater. Children can come and choose a gift to buy for family and friends (gifts suitable for adults only). The gifts cost £2 each, they come wrapped and with a gift tag.

Year 3 and 5 come along on Monday and Wednesday. Years 4 and 6 can come along on Tuesday and Thursday.

All year groups can come on Friday, as long as we haven't sold out!

## YEAR 4—MONDAY 3 DECEMBER 2018

Can all year 4 children please wear black clothing for Roman Day on Monday 3 December 2018.

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES (correct at time of going to print)

Monday 3 December	Gifts for Giving (PTFA)
Tuesday 4 December	Year 3, 4 & 5 Flu Vaccinations
Wednesday 5 December	CJS Gym Club Christmas performance
Friday 7 December	School Disco
Monday 10 December	PTFA Second hand uniform sale
Tuesday 11 December	Year 3 Christmas performances to parents—6pm Travelling Book fair
Wednesday 12 December	Year 3 Christmas performances to parents—2:20pm & 6pm
Thursday 13 December	Chartwell Christmas
Friday 14 December	Christmas Jumper Day Year 4 Christmas Party
Monday 17 December	Carol Service at The Priory - 6:30pm
Thursday 20 December	Year 5 Christmas Party
Friday 21 December	Year 3 Christmas Party Year 6 Christmas Party

### WHAT'S ON NEXT WEEK

Mon 3 December	3EB & 3GF Swimming Lesson Tag Rugby—Cancelled this week only
Tues 4 December	
Wed 5 December	
Thurs 6 December	
Fri 7 December	

### USEFUL TELEPHONE NUMBERS

CJS PTFA email [ptfa@cjsdorset.org](mailto:ptfa@cjsdorset.org)  
School Nursing Team 01425 891157  
Twyham School 01202 486237  
Christchurch Infant School 01202 485851  
Chartwell Catering (Customer Services) 01202 691038 (8am-2pm)  
Ray Burningham (Southbourne Tennis Club coach) 07880 910 907  
Stella Mavis (Dance for All) 07881 468 967  
Taylor Green (Basketball) 07807 203 453  
Regine Natchoo (Funtastic after school care) 07791 379 792  
AFC Bournemouth email [steve.cuss@afcb.co.uk](mailto:steve.cuss@afcb.co.uk)  
Susannah Moody (STAMP Drama) 07957 215965 or [infostampschools@gmail.com](mailto:infostampschools@gmail.com)  
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