



## Message from the Headteacher

Newsletter Date: 9th September 2016

Dear Parents and Children,

Welcome back, I hope you all had a lovely break from school. You may have noticed our new sign with our new logo, 'Christ at the heart of all we do'. During last term, the school council, staff and governors all worked on our new vision and aims for the school.

We chose:

H - Have faith in God

E - Enjoy learning

A - Achieve your potential

R - Respect God's world

T - Treat people kindly

Our Artsmark club are currently working on a design to display these aims around school.

Year 6 children have enjoyed their Robinwood trip and we look forward to the next newsletter to hear all about it.

*Mrs Barnes*



Next Tuesday 13th September, we are celebrating 100 years of Roald Dahl, we will be planning lots of fun activities for the children to take part in and we are asking that the children dress up with something related to Roald Dahl or fetch in a prop which maybe part of a Roald Dahl Book.

More information can be found on...

<http://www.roalddahl.com/home>.

### HAVE YOU REGISTERED YET ??

#### ONLINE PAYMENTS

Letters have been sent out this week to all parents who have not yet registered for this service. It allows you to book Before and After School Club, choose your child's lunch options. Pay for trips, lunches, after school clubs, building fund and other ad-hoc charges throughout the school year.

It also gives you the option of booking parents evening slots at a time convenient to you. If you would like further information, please contact Mrs Clegg in the school office.

#### SCHOOL DINNERS

Please note that school dinners are ordered in advance. Should you wish to change from School Dinners to Packed Lunches or vice versa you **MUST** give **3 weeks notice**.

There is no facility to order school dinners on the day if you have forgotten a packed lunch due to pre-ordering.

#### Music Lessons

These will recommence from Monday 13th September.

**Monday** - Guitars - Year 4

**Tuesday** - Guitar lessons for Yr 5 & 6

**Wednesday** - Violins

**Thursday** - Recorder, Keyboard & Clarinet

Any child who returned an expression of interest form last term will be starting their music lessons next week.

Music is also available to pay online.

**Choir starts on Tuesday 4th October (3.30pm-4.15pm) letters will be sent to all KS2 children who want to join.**

#### Christ the King Stay & Play Club

#### \*\*IMPORTANT INFORMATION\*\*

Please can all parents ensure they book in advance for both Breakfast and After School Club. This is necessary for both staffing and insurance purposes. We also tend to be very busy on certain sessions throughout the week.

Please be mindful that should you ring to book in on the day we may not be able to accommodate your child at such short notice on these days. We only have 30 places in the morning and 45 places in the afternoon.

The annual £10.00 registration fee is now available to pay online. If your details have changed please pop in to the School Office and collect a new CTK Stay & Play Policy pack.

Thank you.

### Diary Dates

Sat 10th Sept - Matchday Experience (details on website under virtual office)  
Tues 13th Sept - Roald Dahl Day (See newsletter)  
Mon 19th Sept - Tri-Golf starts  
Wed 21st Sept - Tag Rugby at SJJ - 4pm - 5pm  
Tues 27th Sept - Yr 2 Fun Run at Townley Park - 4pm - 5pm  
- Blessed Trinity intake evening at CTK for Yr 6 Pupils (6pm - approx. 1 hr)  
Wed 28th Sept - Hameldon U11's Town Team Trials (Yr6 only)  
Tues 4th Oct - Choir starts (3.30-4.15pm)  
Tues 11th Oct - Open day for prospective parents (10am & 2pm)  
Mon 17th Oct - Last Tri-Golf after school.

## Friends of Christ the King

Welcome back!

Hope you have all had a lovely relaxing summer holiday. We are looking at getting straight down to business and would like to invite you all to attend our Annual General meeting. As per the poll on the Friends Facebook page the best time voted was after 6pm, therefore we have listened and we have sorted! So we have arranged to have the small room upstairs at the Inn on the Wharf at 6.30pm on Wednesday 28th September. If you are attending please could you let Mrs Clegg know via school office or drop her an email on

[l.clegg@king-pri.lancs.sch.uk](mailto:l.clegg@king-pri.lancs.sch.uk)

We would also like to take this opportunity to extend a warm welcome to our new Reception class parents and also new parents who have joined us in other year groups. Friends of Christ the King is a voluntary organisation who meet up and organise events throughout the school year to raise extra funding for our children. Everybody is welcome, all ideas are welcome and if you volunteer to help run an event you will be made VERY welcome! If you can help in any capacity throughout the year but struggle to attend meetings please let Mrs Clegg know and she will note your details down and get in touch with you when needed.

We look forward to meeting with you all in a few weeks. In the meanwhile, please feel free to join our Facebook group search for - **Friends of Christ the King**. Please also take a look at our weekly lottery draw (to the right) where you have the opportunity of winning up to £20 per week (this will increase the more who participate) and also you will be entered into a further draw to win £20,000 per week !! All for £1 per week.

Good Luck!



**WELCOME BACK**  
Join our lottery  
and help make  
this our best  
year EVER

JOIN TODAY AND YOU COULD WIN A PLAYSTATION 4  
Offer Ends 15th Oct 2016

**HURRY THERE'S NEVER BEEN A BETTER TIME TO JOIN**

- A GUARANTEED prize to one of our supporters every week!
- A further chance of winning £25,000 in a separate draw every week!
- Tickets only cost £1 per week!
- Support our school and win prizes - WIN WIN!

To Start Supporting Visit:  
[www.YourSchoolLottery.co.uk](http://www.YourSchoolLottery.co.uk)  
And Search For:  
Christ The King



Supporters must be 16 years of age or older

### STAFF NEWS

Firstly, we would like to congratulate Mr Little whose partner gave birth to a baby girl over the summer named Skylar. He is currently on paternity leave and will return on Monday 19th September.

We welcome Mrs Spencer-Madden back to school, she comes back after her maternity leave and joins our new Reception Class.

We also welcome a new teacher to Year 2, Mrs Luckhurst, who is covering until Mrs Kelly returns.

### School Yard

Please can parents stop their children run up the embankment at the start and at the end of the school day. Only Reception and Year 1 parents should be in the Reception yard. The equipment that is out in Reception/Year 1 yard will have been prepared for use during the school day and children should not touch/play on anything whilst waiting for the bell. Thank you

**WE HAVE SOME VERY EXCITING NEWS TO SHARE WITH YOU NEXT WEEK! WE WILL NEED PARENTS, GRANDPARENTS, FAMILY AND FRIENDS OF THE SCHOOLS HELP! WATCH THIS SPACE.....**