





Well done to all the children in the Golden Book this week and a huge thank you to the parents who came along to celebrate their children with us today in assembly.

On Monday we had a visit from Toby Long who is our Diocesan Advisor. He was in school to look at how we organise Collective Worship. He held meetings with me and Mrs Edwards (our school RE leader.) He also observed collective worship, reviewed our policies, and spoke to children from Key stages one and two.

He had a lot of positive things to say about our school and he was particularly impressed by our children – they spoke so eloquently about collective worship and their knowledge of Christianity and other World Views. He has suggested that one area that we can improve on, is to set up a collective worship pupil committee so that they can support with the organisation of worship, including helping with the opening and closing prayers. Mrs Edwards is going to lead on this exciting initiative next year.

Unfortunately, our PTA have had to cancel the upcoming Quiz night, as we have sold no tickets. They are planning to reorganise the event for later in the term, so please look out for the flyers and come along to support us if you can. Our PTA committee would also gladly welcome new members. We do have a few wonderful parents who have made a regular commitment to the cause – which is fantastic – but last night, as some parents were unable to attend, we only had one parent at the meeting. We really want to raise funds to make a difference to all our children's school experience – and a minibus would enhance our curriculum, sport, music and enrichment offer beyond measure. Please do offer to help if you are able to, no commitment is too small!

I hope you all have a lovely bank holiday weekend and see you all on Tuesday 2 May.

Warmest regards

Mel Nugent

Each week we will be announcing the Dojo winning team who have earned most points over a week

The team that have earned the most points in the week ending 28 April is the YELLOW Team

#### WELL DONE Yellow TEAM







### **TT Rockstars**

- Year 3 Kayden and Christopher
- Year 4 Livia
- Year 5 Christos and Robert
- Year 6 Sarayu and Ifrah

Rosehip



#### 28 April 2023

#### **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

Monday 1 May School Closed / Bank Holiday

Monday 8 May School Closed / Bank Holiday

Wednesday 17 May Coffee & Chat at 08.50

#### Golden Book

We are very proud of all our children at CtS, a special well done to Ranelle for receiving the headteacher Golden Book Certificate this week!

Golden Book Winners		
Ν	Kwabena	
R	lvy	
1	Darius	
2	Daniella	
3	Ryan B	Maliyah
4	Alyssa	
5	Robert	Peter
6	Yan	Noor

#### Attendance Bears

KS1- Poppy 99% KS2— Mustard 96%

Well done!!



Catkin

Sycamore



Daisy



















Chess club had a very exciting finale to its' school tournament as a close battle commenced for first place between four contestants. It came down to two, and Sarayu emerged as the new Christ the Sower chess champion, with Zeal a close runner up! Congratulations to all the children who took part, for their sportsmanship and skill. Those who chose not to take part in the tournament enjoyed continuing to play against children of their choosing, developing their social and thinking skills amongst other skills. Some children also did a presentation for the chess assembly, showing how chess is for everybody and impacts on all aspects of life. Chess was taken to the playground at lunchtime- with Mr Froud and Mrs Shamuyarira taking on the winner and runner up, and the chess champion continuing her winning streak against Mrs Shamuyarira! Other children enjoyed playing their friends or watching the battle commence! For any child who can play chess, there is a further opportunity to take part in a regional chess tournament between four nations! The biggest chess tournament in the UK, the Delancey Chess tournament. If your child is interested, please email the office, for the attention of Mrs Shamuyarira, to ask for further details.



























You are all warmly invited to our next

# **Coffee and Chat**

on

## Wednesday morning 17<sup>th</sup> May

### 8.50am – 9.30am

Our focus will be

### **KEEPING YOUR CHILD SAFE ONLINE**

There will be a short presentation with hints and tips and the opportunity to ask questions and seek advice.

Hope to see you there!

Mandy and Alison

To book a place please contact the school office.

school@cts.odbst.org 01908 867356

It is not essential to book but helpful for us to have an idea of numbers.





















Catkin

Therapy Dog Diesel that visits the school will be at Rickley park on 13 May and at the Big Doggie Do at Willen Lake.on 20 May.



#### Big Doggie Do returns for 2023!

This 2-day pooch party is back at Willen Lake on Saturday 20th and Sunday 21st May with dog shows, specialist stalls and entertainment throughout.

Taking place from 12pm to 5pm each day, this year's line-up includes;

- . The chance to earn a 'round of a-paws' in the dog shows
- Talented dog displays
- Delicious range of food and drink
- Dog paw-trait artists
- Advice from MK Vet Group, our Dog Show sponsors
- · Dock-diving from K9 Aqua-sport
- · Flyball and hoopers with Keynes Kanines
- · Vendors selling dog treats and accessories
- Animal charity stalls

Car parking is available at Willen Lake, charges apply. What3words location: *IIImajors.maps.bins*.

This event is free to attend and no booking is required. We hope to see you and your canine friends there!

All of our vendor spaces are now full for this year. A full list of this years vendors will be available soon.























We were delighted to welcome Mrs Feil back to CtS to lead assembly this week. She told us about her work with MAF in South Sudan, bringing help, healing and hope and she inspired us to help one another. We even had our own paper aeroplane challenge!



















