

26th January 2024

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A Loving Place, Where we CARE, Learn and Grow Together

Dear Parents

Thank you so much, for all of your support over the last few weeks, whilst we have had the swimming pool on site. It has been a fantastic experience, and one that has enriched the whole curriculum enormously. The children have really enjoyed their lessons, and more importantly, we have given all year groups an advantage in learning to swim confidently and safely. A huge thank you to Mr Froud for organising such a great opportunity for our children and to all the team for getting behind the initiative and making it into such a success.

We held our first PTA meeting of 2024 last week, and we are very excited to announce that we have plans for an Easter raffle and an early spring disco.

The disco is taking place on Friday 16th February – for more information, please see the attached poster.



Mel Nugent
Headteacher

In school this week...

On Thursday, 1st February we will be holding our second (annual) 'Women in History Day' This is a curriculum enrichment day linked to our CARE value of Aspiration.

All classes will spend the day, learning about the impact that an individual has had on all of our lives. We have included the list of women below; in case you would like to spend time researching their life and legacy with your child.



EYFS	Amelia Earhart	First woman to fly across the Atlantic Ocean.
Pumpkin	Emmeline Pankhurst	Political activist who helped women win the right to vote.
Acorn	Ada Lovelace	Wrote the first computer program
Mustard	Rosalind Franklin	Her work was central to our understanding of DNA, RNA and viruses.
Rosehip	Elizabeth Fry	English prison reformer, social reformer, philanthropist and Quaker.
Catkin	Jane Addams	Pioneer for social change.
Barley	Chien Shiung-Wu	Worked as senior scientist on the Manhattan Project and helped to separate uranium.
Wheat	<u>Madam CJ Walker</u>	Entrepreneur, philanthropist, and political and social activist. First self-made female millionaire in the U.S, massive donations to the arts, inspiring millions of African Americans to open their own businesses.

Our School Rewards

The Golden Book

We are very proud of all our children at CtS, a special well done to those that received Golden Book certificates this week!

This Week's KS2 Winners

 Mustard	Fathima
 Rosehip	Munawwar
 Catkin	Martina
 Barley	Adrian
 Wheat	Ayo

This Week's KS1 Winners

 Daisy	Abigail
 Poppy	Thomas
 Pumpkin	River
 Acorn	Ohene

This week the theme was:
__Good Questions__
The **CARE** Value Achieved was:
__Engagement__

Attendance Bears

KS1— Pumpkin 97%
KS2— Mustard 99%
Well done!!

TT Rockstars

TT Rockstars Year 3 – Jeremiah
Year 4 - Abigail Year 5 – Andrew
Year 6 – Jayden and Chrsitos



The House Cup

The team that have earned the most points this week is the **RED** Team
WELL DONE **Red** TEAM!



Spring Term 2024

January	February	March
	<p>Friday 2 February NSPCC Numbers Day</p> <p>Thursday 15 February Little City – EYFS / KS1</p> <p>Friday 16 February Friendship Disco</p> <p>Thursday 29 February Year 4 Caldecotte Information Evening at 6pm</p>	<p>Monday 25 / 26 March Year 4 Caldecotte Residential</p> <p>Tuesday 26 March Rocksteady Concert at 9.30</p>

Photo Booth

Tattoos

Sweets

Drinks

Glow Sticks

(extra costs apply)

Friday 16th February

EYFS/KS1: 3.30 - 4.30

KS2: 5.00 - 6.30

£3 per person
includes a drink
of squash and
a biscuit

Friendship Disco

