



Christ Church Hanham C of E VC Primary School

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CCH Weekly Bulletin #25

Whole School Information

It is hard to believe that we are heading into the final week of the spring term next week. It has been a hugely successful term at CCH with so many opportunities for our children to grow and flourish: English Week, Red Nose Day, Time Tables Rock Stars Day, many sporting opportunities and preparation for our Easter Service are just a few of the many extra-curricular events that we have experienced this term.

Please join us on Thursday 28th March for our Easter Service: 9.30am for EYFS and KS1 and 10.15am for KS2.

Attendance

Our goal is for attendance to be, at least, 97%. **This week's whole school attendance is 94.2%.**

Class	Weekly Attendance	Class	Weekly Attendance
EYFS	92.1%	Eva Ibbotson	97.6%
Jill Murphy	95.8%	Michael Morpurgo	93.8%
Oliver Jeffers	99.3%	Berlie Doherty	89.4%
Emily Gravett	93.3%	Malorie Blackman	91.8%
Cressida Cowell	96.1%	William Shakespeare	92.5%

Well done to the classes in green for exceeding our target of 97%. A HUGE well done to Oliver Jeffers Class for a whopping 99.3% attendance this week 😊

Governor Visit

On Monday, we were pleased to welcome our school governors into school for their Governor Growth afternoon. During their time in school, the governors carried out a range of monitoring activities in order to support their understanding and evaluation of our school. As usual, our children did us proud, showcasing the very best of themselves. The governors were hugely impressed with the behaviour and values demonstrated by our children with many going out of their way to shake hands and welcome our visitors. Our vision, values and pride in what we do at CCH really shone through- we are so proud of our amazing school family!

Lunchtime Expectations

This term, we have worked with our children to improve the atmosphere in the lunch hall. We have done this by revisiting our core school rules of **ready, respectful and responsible** and then thinking about what each of these would look like in the hall at lunchtime.



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Our children have risen, superbly, to this challenge, demonstrating that they can model these expectations daily. As a result, lunchtimes have been calmer and we are now seeing children take increasing responsibility for tidying their tables and supporting everyone in our school family to enjoy a fun, safe and respectful lunch at the best restaurant in town!

After some feedback from parents, I thought it would be helpful to share our expectations with families so that you can continue the conversation at home and see if your children can model these at family meal times too. Our new lunchtime expectations are:

What we expect to see



✓ Ready



Sat on bottom,
feet on floor

Reaching high, dreaming big, filled with the fullness of God's love



Knife and fork in
hand when
eating

What we expect to see



✓ Respectful



No talking with
food in our mouth

Reaching high, dreaming big, filled with the fullness of God's love



Staying seated until
we have finished
eating and tidied up

What we expect to see



✓ Responsible



Keeping our hall tidy,
putting rubbish in the
bin

Reaching high, dreaming big, filled with the fullness of God's love



Wonderful
walking at all
times

Anti-Bullying Ambassadors

Last week, our Anti-Bullying Ambassadors, supported by Miss Stone, attended a training event as part of The Diana Award. Named in honour of the late Princess of Wales, this award supports Anti-Bullying Ambassadors and peer mediators to better understand their role and equip them with the skills to create a safe and bully-free environment in school.

Our children were superb role models, demonstrating a strong understanding of how to resolve conflict as well as having the confidence to share their ideas with children from lots of different schools. We are so proud of them and cannot wait to see them grow and flourish further as this year progresses.



Red Nose Day

A huge thank you for supporting our CCH Changemakers with your donations to Comic Relief. We had a fantastic day wearing red and enjoying the final of our first-ever CCH Joker competition (winning jokers below) and managed to raise over £260! Thank you.



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Times Tables Rock Stars and Numbots

We have enjoyed a fantastic rock star day today as we celebrated our first Battle of the Bands Class Champions! The aim of today was to inspire every child at CCH to unleash their inner rock star and use this to see learning key number facts and multiplication tables as cool!



Our two platforms, Numbots and TT Rock Stars, are fantastic and easy to use. Please support your child to grow their rock star habit and practise, little and often, in order to develop their recall and fluency with key number facts. The more facts that we have stored and ready to use, the more challenges we can accomplish with trickier mathematics! Serious number rockin'!

Lunch Menus

Attached with this bulletin is the new menu for the summer term.

Please also save the date of the next Census Day Special Menu: Thursday 16th May

Dates for your diary

- Monday 25th March- Year 5 and 6 to Hanham Woods to watch Legally Blonde
- Monday 25th March- EYFS to Year 6 Parent-Teacher Consultations, 3.40-6.30pm
- Tuesday 26th March- CCH Choir singing at Abbeyfield Care Home
- Wednesday 27th March- EYFS to Year 6 Parent-Teacher Consultations, 3.40- 7.00pm
- Thursday 28th March- Easter Service: EYFS/KS1 @9.30am and KS2 @10.15am
- Thursday 28th March- last day of term 4
- Monday 15th April- INSET #4- school closed to pupils
- Tuesday 16th April- start of term 5
- Tuesday 23rd April- Year 1 trip to Chew Valley Farm
- Friday 26th April- Friends of CCH 'Break the Rules Day'
- w/b 13th May- Year SATs Week
- w/b 20th May- CCH Sports' Week
- Wednesday 22nd May- Sports' Day



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Friends of CCH



The Friends of
CCH present..

-BREAK THE RULES DAY-

On Friday 26th April

You can break the following rules
for 50p per rule or £2 for all five:

1. No uniform
2. Squash in your drink bottle (no fizzy drinks!)
3. Unhealthy break time snack (strictly no nuts!)
4. You can wear nail polish or tattoos
5. You can have messy/dyed hair/big hair accessories

All RULE BREAKERS will need to pay
in cash at the beginning of the school
day!

Happy rule breaking for one day only!!

All proceeds will go to the school (apart from
contributions from year 6 which will go
towards their leaving party)

THE GREAT BRISTOL 10K RUN

SUNDAY 19TH MAY

PARENTS/CARERS WE NEED YOU!

Will you take on the challenge & run to help
The Friends, Mr Turner, CC staff and Rev Steve
raise funds for our school?

SIMPLY ENTER THE RACE HERE
WWW.GREATRUN.ORG

Once you've signed up please let us know so you can
be added to fundraising What's App group.

LETS RUN 10K TO RAISE 2K!

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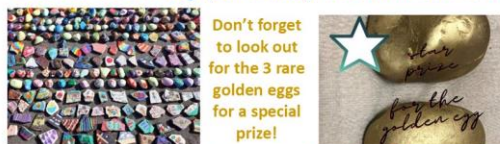


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THE HUNT IS ON...
Easter Saturday (30th March) 10:30am to 12:30



How to join in?
Just simply go out in Hanham on
Easter Saturday 30th (March)

Find a few Eggs (painted stones) and bring them along to Christ Church, Church Rd between 10:30am-12:30pm to claim an Easter prize.

Please don't bring a wheel barrow full ☺!
Just find 2 per child - **Lets share the fun!**



The 4 points of the Giant Hanham Easter Hunt are:

Maggie Bottom, the Blue Bowl Pub, Gover Rd Green space, Castle Rd Car park and the Top of Conham Hill.

Eggs (painted stones) can be found on pavements and public green spaces **but not** on private property.

Egg Hot spots are:

The High Street, the Gover Rd Park and green space, Hanham Common & Vicarage Rd Park and Viewpoint green space.

But you might be better.... looking in the less busy places!



Other letters/ communication sent home this week

Communication	Audience	Date sent

Community Information

SGPC- Demand Avoidance training



There are tickets still available for parents and school professionals at our online workshop with Claire Phillips: A 360° Approach to Demand Avoidance on 27th March.

The code to book is SNOWDROP. The session is relevant for primary and secondary school age.



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South Gloucestershire Holidays and Food Programme

The **Holiday activities and Food (HAF) programme** is running again during the Easter holidays for children and young people in South Glos.

Dates are generally between Tuesday 2 April and Friday 12 April but will vary by provider.

The HAF programme is for **children and young people aged 5 to 16 who receive benefits-related free school meals**. Before booking funded HAF places, you need to have successfully applied for free school meals at www.southglos.gov.uk/freeschoolmeals

Children receiving universal free school meals, automatically offered in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 without needing to apply, do not qualify for funded HAF place unless they have completed a successful application.

Please follow these steps:

- Visit www.southglos.gov.uk/HAF for full information on the HAF programme and further support available to families.
- Click on **'book a space for your child now'** – this will take you directly to our booking platform with full listings of all the available activities and clubs.
- You will need to **register your child on this system** unless they attended a HAF programme over the summer holidays – in which case you will already have an account, so you will simply need to book the dates.
- The system will run an eligibility check to ensure that your child is registered on our benefits-related free school meals list. The list is kept up to date on a weekly basis, so it's best to build in time to apply for benefits-related free school meals ahead of booking HAF places.
- The booking system is mobile friendly so should be accessible to most families.

If you do not have online access, you will need to contact the HAF club provider directly to book places for you.



FREE FUNDED SPACES FOR FSM CHILDREN IN OUR SOUTH GLOUCESTERSHIRE HOLIDAY CLUBS THIS EASTER!

Venues:

[Bradley Stoke Lifestyle Centre](#) - BS32 9BS – 8th-11th April



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Kingswood Active Lifestyle Centre – BS16 4HR – 8th-11th April

Thornbury Active Lifestyle Centre – BS35 3JB - 8th-11th April

Junior Adventures Group (JAG) are delighted to be working in partnership with the local authority in your area to support the Holiday Activities and Food programme (HAF) which is designed to provide children on Free School Meals with the opportunity to access a minimum of 4 hours of holiday activities and for FREE. For more information please visit: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/holiday-activities-and-food-programme/holiday-activities-and-food-programme-2021>.

This April, JAG are delighted to have secured funding for children on Free School Meals and would like to offer places at our **Easter Holiday Club** provision at **multiple venues in South Gloucestershire**. This will help support these families with equal opportunities to access engaging activities and healthy food.

We also have a dedicated webpage available for families to access via our Parent Support page here: <https://www.junioradventuresgroup.co.uk/parent-support/haf>.

Fun. Active. Affordable.

EASTER HOLIDAY CAMP
TUESDAY 2ND TO FRIDAY 5TH APRIL
& MONDAY 8TH TO FRIDAY 12TH APRIL

OPEN 8:30/10:00 TO 3:30
@MANGOTSFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL, BS16 7EY
FOR CHILDREN IN RECEPTION TO YEAR 6

Early bird 10% discount code: **EBDEASTER24**

Code expires Sunday 10th March - book now!

Scan QR code to book or visit: <https://www.sportingchance-csp.co.uk/events/2024/04/02/easter-holiday-camp>

ALL BOOKINGS INCLUDE OUR CREATE AND EXPLORE AFTERNOON ALTERNATIVE. CHILDREN SIMPLY DECIDE ON THE DAY WHETHER TO CONTINUE WITH AN AFTERNOON OF SPORT OR EXPLORE THEIR CREATIVE SIDE!

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AGE 4-11 YEARS (RECEPTION - Y6)

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EASTER HOLIDAYS

MULTI-SPORTS CLUB

at KEYNSHAM CRICKET CLUB
BS311HU

Tue 2nd, Wed 3rd, Thu 4th
Tue 9th, Wed 10th, Thu 11th April
9.00am-3.30pm

£20 A DAY

- Reception to Year 7
- Diverse Range of Sports & Activities
- Inclusive & Nurturing Environment
- Low Child to Coach Ratios

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Contact - tombryan@live.co.uk - 07891918722



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Bikeability

Cycling Training for the 21st Century

SCHOOL HOLIDAY CYCLE TRAINING COURSES
All courses are Subject to a £5 Booking Fee which is Non-Refundable, places are limited, booked on a first come basis, so please do not delay - PLEASE NOTE AGE RESTRICTIONS DO APPLY

ANY CHILD ATTENDING BIKEABILITY TRAINING CAN ONLY ATTEND ONE COURSE DURING THE SPECIFIC HOLIDAY COURSE DURATION

Bikeability Learn to Ride

This session is for children who are unable to cycle, including older children who have never mastered the skill. Session 1 ½ hours. This course is for School Year 3 and above.

Level 2

Consists of two morning sessions, there is an initial assessment in the playground covering level 1 skills to ensure they are ready for on road training. Once out on the road they will learn about road position, which road user has priority and when, how to recognise typical hazards as well as manoeuvring through junctions. This course is for School years 6 and above.

Level 3

Aims to equip riders with skills for more challenging roads and traffic situations such as passing queuing traffic, road narrowing, understanding blind spots and perceive and deal with hazards. Level 2 must be undertaken prior to Level 3. This course is for school years 6 and above.

Courses are being held at Bradley Stoke Community Secondary School, Fiddlerswood Lane, BS32 9BS

To book on one of the above courses please log onto

<https://southglos.cyclescity.co.uk/publicbooking>

Please note the age restrictions for each course.

- All elements of the course must be achieved to a competent, confident and consistent standard to gain the Bikeability standard.
- Trainees must have and be able to ride a roadworthy bicycle.
- Trainees must have a properly fitted cycle helmet.

All Instructors are DBS checked and work for the Council's Road Safety Team. Bikeability certificates are awarded to all trainees who successfully complete the course.

Please note courses are subject to a minimum number of children attending on the date. Locations of training may vary according to availability. All courses are Subject to a £5 Booking Fee which is Non-Refundable



Delivering for you



RE: FREE PLACES for families Easter 2024

Dear parents / carers,

We have a fantastic opportunity for you this coming Easter Holidays as part of the HAF programme Sporting Chance are running Holiday Sports Camps from Kings Forest Primary School (BS15 4PQ).

The HAF programme was designed and implemented on a national scale to help support families over the school holidays with the cost of meals and to provide a healthy, happy, and active place for children to enjoy the school holidays. Sporting Chance have teamed up with South Gloucestershire Council to offer this to those local families most in need.

- ★ Children aged 5-11 years (School Years 1 - 6)
- ★ Open each day 930am - 330pm
- ★ Themed Sports Days
- ★ Healthy snacks and lunches available upon request
- ★ Book online - [Easter HAF Camp with Sporting Chance](#)

*Benefits related FSMs, SEND, looked after children, PP cases considered.

Kindest regards,
Spencer Davies

Sporting Chance PE & Sports Provision
01172 440007 / 07825 155954
Email: info@sportingchance-csp.co.uk

HANHAM HIGH ST. EASTER TRAIL

WED 3 APR - SAT 6 APR, 10 AM - 1 PM

JOIN THE FUN!

Explore Hanham High Street to discover Easter drawings. Solve a question for each picture, then claim your **EASTER EGG** and **CERTIFICATE!**

PLUS...

- Free arts & crafts at The Beacon Cafe
- Face painting at Glam Squad

OUR YOUNG ARTISTS

The children at Baker Street Nursery have been busy creating lots of Easter pictures, and they can't wait for everyone to see them!



Trail packs available from Goldings
£3 per pack / 2 for £5

With thanks to the Co-op, Goldings, Fleurations, DW Smith, Pzazz, Travel Buddy, Tollgate Hire, Jemima's Beauty, Ninos, Glam Squad, Vibe, Hanham Florist, Sassy, Baker Street Nursery, The Beacon Cafe and John Woods Cycle Repair for sponsoring the trail.

Find us on Facebook @thisishanhamhighstreet

Easter Dog Competition

Kids Fancy Dress Competition

And Market

Easter Monday 1st April 2024

North Common Village Hall, Warmley, Bristol

HAPPY
Easter

DOG ENTRY FORMS NOW AVAILABLE

SUPPORTING the PDSA at this event

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Dog Competition
Registration is between
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CCA Creative Arts Workshop

Wednesday 10th April 2024

Book your place now on this Creative Arts Workshop led by Olivia Brown, Performing Arts Student, supported by Eley Dyson & Katie Gingell

Enjoy crafts & games, as well as learning a dance, song and performance piece from your favourite musicals

Showcase for families at 2.45pm

Places are limited - please book by the 24th March

9.30am-3.00pm

£3 (to cover running costs)

Christ Church Church Hall, Church Road, Hanham, Bristol, BS15 3AE



Bring a packed lunch and water bottle

Age 8yrs +

Adults present are all DBS checked and Safe Guarding trained

You will need to complete a form on arrival with contact & medical information

Please message 07787784069 to book your place



Yours faithfully,

Neil McKellar-Turner
Headteacher

Christ Church 'Pop-Up Community Choir presents...



Sat 30th March, 12-1pm

@ Christ Church, Church Rd, Hanham BS15 3AE

Simply turn up and learn some **Easter songs**
from **'Lord of the dance'** to **Stormzy**
'Blinded by your grace'.

This can be a one off sing for all but we'd love for this to
be a warm up for you to come and sing them at our
Easter Sunday Celebration at 10:30am

All Ages welcome from 7+

(but children need to be accompanied by an adult)

Any queries contact Eley: 07753 383063