



Next Week

Mon 27th Jan - 1.00-3.30pm

Year 5 African Drumming Workshops

Tues 28th – 1.00-3.30pm

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Wed 29th – 12.30pm

Y4 Parents' Lunch

Looking Ahead

Wed 5th Feb 12.30pm

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U11 Kids Cup

On Thursday 16th January, we entered the annual EFL Kids Cup held at Powerleague opposite Pride Park. Due to the talent at CJS, we entered 2 teams with 16 boys from Y5 and Y6 representing the school in the hope to represent Derby County at local, regional and possibly even national level.



Our red and green team did amazingly, both qualifying from their respective leagues with some impressive score lines.

Our green team won comfortably in their quarter finals match while our red team had to fight back from 2-0 down to beat a strong Oakwood team 4-3. Unfortunately our success meant we had to meet one

another to decide who would qualify for the Finals held at Derby County's training ground this week.

In a close-fought affair with chances for both teams, it was our red team who narrowly won 1-0. Although disappointed, our green team showed great sportsmanship in congratulating the winners on the day. Our red team look forward to their trip to Moor Farm on Friday 24th. Good luck!

Y6 Girls Football

Following on from Miss McGinty's team who attended the football session in the morning, 15 girls from Y6 took part in DCCT's Football Festival on Tuesday afternoon. Both teams played fantastically - only losing and drawing one match each from the 14 games they played in! We were fortunate to have a coach from AFC Chellaston join us too! If your daughter (or son!) is interested in playing football outside of school then please contact a coach via their Facebook

page https://m.facebook.com/afcchellaston/?locale2=en_GB



Year 5 Drumming Workshops

Please see the link to the letter regarding our Year 5 Drumming Workshops next week http://cjs.derby.sch.uk/serve_file/410542

Mental Health Skills & Expertise Wanted

As a school we feel strongly about promoting positive mental health among our pupils, staff and parents. In order to assist our on-going training, we are interested in hearing from parents with a particular skill or expertise with regards to mental health. Anyone who could deliver training/workshops/small group sessions/assemblies to staff, parents or pupils please get in touch with us via the school office.

Missing/misplaced Kit

As a school we are fortunate enough to enter lots of sports competitions. To allow the children to have a sense of team spirit and pride in representing the school, children taking part will often wear one of the school kits. On occasions kit will be sent home if the event finishes at the end of the school day. The majority of parents/carers do a fantastic job of washing the kit and returning it as soon as possible - thank you! However, there is still a fair amount of kit missing - please can you check in wardrobes, the tumble drier and down the back of the sofa so we can continue to provide children with the opportunity to wear the school's kit with honour.

Thank you for your support.

RE Curriculum – School Visits

As part of our RE curriculum, each year group at CJS visit a different place of worship during the year. We do this so the children can develop an understanding

and appreciation for different faiths in our local communities.

Year 3 children visit St Peter's Church in Chellaston

Year 4 visit a Gurdwara

Year 5 visit a Mosque

Year 6 visit Derby Cathedral

Year 3 Trip to St Peter's Church

Year 3 children will be visiting St Peter's Church as part of the work studied in RE lessons. We will meet BJ, the local vicar at St Peter's Church, and she will be talking to the children about the signs and symbols that Christians see in the Church and explain some stories and actions of Jesus which continue to inspire Christians today.

Riber & Cromford classes will visit on the afternoon of Tuesday 11 Feb

Tissington & Ashbourne will visit on the afternoon of Wednesday 12 Feb

If any parents could help with this trip, please could you put a note in your child's diary - it would be very much appreciated!

Year 3 teachers

Childcare Vouchers

In previous years we have been able to take childcare vouchers as part payment for the PGL residential trip for Y6.

Unfortunately, as we have changed provider for our residential trip, we are no longer able to accept the vouchers towards the payment. We apologise for any miscommunication but this is a Government ruling.