

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been a busy week here at Christopher Reeves. On Tuesday we held our annual Sports Day which was a huge success and enjoyed by all. Thank you to Mrs Wildman for organising such a wonderful event.

I have had the pleasure of spending the last few days with Year 6 children in the Yorkshire Dales. It has been a wonderful few days. We climbed the second highest peak (Ingleborough) in the Yorkshire Dales on Thursday and enjoyed going underground for some caving and then went wild swimming in the river today. The children have been brilliant and have met all of the activities with gusto and a positive mindset. Well done Year 6 and thank you.

Next week is our final week of the term and as usual we have a number of events taking place to conclude our school year. Please check below for the dates and times of what is going on and if you have any questions, please speak with your child's class teacher.

We hope you have a fantastic weekend.

Christopher Reeves Vision and Values

This half term, our value is Aspiration. The children will be thinking about what they aspire to be and the journey they need to take to achieve their aspirations. They will also think about what it takes to achieve their goals and how focused they will need to be.

"I can do all things through him who strengthens me." **Philippians 4:13**



Respect



Responsibility



Resilience

Who can I contact?

If you have any queries about your child and their education, please contact your child's class teacher in the first instance. They will be available at the classroom door each day at the start and end of school.

If you need to speak with a member of staff about SEND, behaviour or safeguarding, please contact the following members of staff:

SEND – Mrs Laywood-Hill (Willow Class)

Behaviour – Mrs Clark (Juniper Class)

Safeguarding – Mrs Bush or Mrs Clark



Celebrations

This week our Attendance Awards go to Year 3 and Year 4 with 100% attendance.

The children in the Golden Book this week are.....

Acorns Class – Hattie Redman and Alice Bolton

Willow Class – Emelia Hart and Timmy Dommett

Juniper Class – Chloe Stephens and Lilly Housman

Well done to all of these children



Online Safety – AskAboutGames - New Parental Resources

AskAboutGames has always been an incredibly useful resource for parents with lots of advice and guidance for parents in relation to children and gaming. Recently they have released two new resources:

- The Power-Up Pact - which is all about starting conversations around safe gameplay so that video games can fit into family life.
- Conversation guide - as well as video games in the Power-Up Pact, this guide helps parents keep the conversations going by asking about apps, websites and online spaces children use every day.

Link: [Power-Up Pact](#).

Link: [Conversation guide](#).

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Dates for your Diary

All dates for the school year can be found on the school website. Please click [HERE](#) to access them.

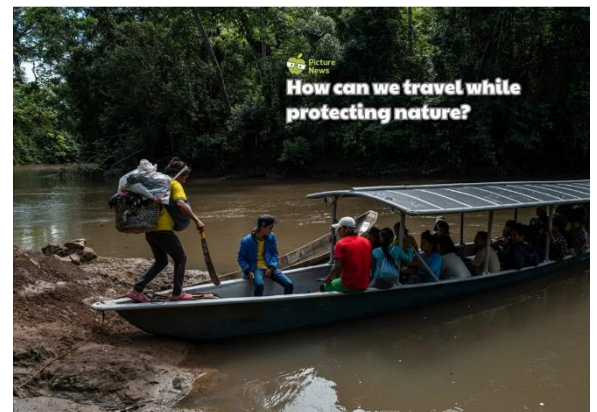


Picture News

The story and question that the children will be thinking about next week is...

People living in remote parts of the Amazon rainforest in Ecuador are using solar-powered canoes to travel along rivers.

Question: How can we travel while protecting nature?



360Play SEND sessions provide a dedicated space where little ones and their families can explore our attractions at their own space in a safe and supportive environment. These sessions are held monthly on the first Friday of each month between 6:30-8:30pm at 360 Play Rushden Lakes. Their next SEND session will be Friday 3rd July. These are priced at £10.95 per child with all adults free of charge. Pre-bookings welcome on their website 360play.co.uk or you can pay on the door at reception at the start of the session.

Voice 21 Conversation Starter...

Would you rather be an ant or a spider and why?



This Week at Christopher Reeves...



Coming up next week...

Wednesday – Summer Celebration – please come along to our musical extravaganza at 9.00am in the school hall.

Thursday – Non-uniform day for House winners. This will be announced on Wednesday and an email will be sent to let you know which house is able to attend school in non-uniform on Thursday.

Friday – Year 6 Leavers Assembly at 9.00am in the school hall – Year 6 parents are invited to attend.

The weather is forecast to continue to be sunny and hot next week, so please ensure your child has plenty of water, a sun hat and sun cream (applied before school as well as in their bags) to protect them.

Free Parent Information



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28 July

4, 11, 18, and 25 August



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for more info contact families@stmarysgoldington.uk

We can't wait to create and play with you
and your family!