

Weekly Newsletter

PUPIL PARLIAMENT / UK PARLIAMENT WEEK

Giving our pupils a voice is of massive importance to us at CHPS. We try to support and develop this through the Rights Respecting Schools Award to help them consider their rights and responsibilities in relation to the world around them, and in particular through our Pupil Parliament.

The Pupil Parliament is a network of ten different groups who lead on issues from the environment to digital culture to sports and a variety of other topics. The purpose of these is to put the children at the heart of making CHPS the best school it can be and to effect genuine change for the better for all pupils. The groups meet weekly and at the same time, those pupils not in a group take part in the 'Great Debate' which allows them to engage in discussion about important events and debates which are of concern either locally or globally.

Next week is UK Parliament Week during which pupils in all year groups will be engaging in lessons to enhance the above focus and many will even have visits from local politicians. Over the course of the week we will also be selecting our new Pupil Parliament groups for this year -more updates to follow!

CHRISTMAS EVENT TICKETS

Rehearsals are well underway for our Christmas performances next month and we are now pleased to be able to share details of how to book tickets for the events which are as follows:

EYFS – *The Nativity* (Reception & Pre-School)

Monday 15th December 9.15am
Tuesday 16th December 2.15pm

KS1 – *Lights, Camel, Action* (Year 1 & Year 2)

Monday 15th December 1.45pm
Tuesday 16th December 9.15am

KS2 – *Carol Concert* (St Andrew's Church)

Wednesday 17th December 10am and 6.00pm

Please click here for a letter explaining the booking process. Booking will open at 7pm this evening.

Please note that due to capacity in both venues, all performance are limited to 2 tickets per family.



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Article 12

When important decisions are made, you have the right to give your opinion and to be taken seriously.



CHRISTMAS FAIR UPDATES

Christmas card shop - 2nd shop open!

If you need more Christmas cards, or missed out on mugs, or buying a highland cow with your child's design on, then you are in luck! Our Class Fundraising project is re-open from today until midday on 1st December. All information is on your personalised order form.

Christmas Fair - Friday 5th December, 5-7pm

The countdown is on! Two weeks until the fair.

Don't forget to buy your [tickets](#)

[Please get in touch](#) if you can help for an hour on a stall - we still need more helpers for the fair. Can you bake a cake? - we need lots of bakers to make biscuits, cakes and other sweet treats for our very popular cake stall - **all baking must be nut free** There is a prize for the best bake!

Do you have any teddies looking for a new home? We are looking for donations for the teddy tombola. All teddies must be clean and in excellent condition

Can you support our tombolas? Next Friday (28th November) we are collecting chocolates and sweets **all donations must be nut free - handy guidance poster here!**

Wreath making workshop - Wednesday 3rd December, 7pm. Less than two weeks until this festive evening. Buy your tickets [here](#).

2026-27 TERM DATES

Our 2026-27 Term Dates can now be viewed on our website under the *School Information* tab.

Please note a minor change from the dates published last month in that the children will actually return on Monday 4th January 2027 after the 2026 Christmas break.

ONE STOCKPORT FAMILY HUBS APP

For an absolutely HUGE range of family support we can't recommend highly enough the [One Stockport Family Hubs app](#) which can be downloaded [here](#).

The app includes more than 2,000 expert-written videos and articles to support you from pregnancy through to your child's teenage years.

....and it's all free!!!!

PARENT COUNCIL

A huge thanks to everyone who sent in comments for our first Parent Council meeting of the year and in particular to the parents who joined us for the meeting. It was a really useful discussion with a number of ideas for us to take forwards which include (but not exclusively):

- Sharing more details about the PSHE curriculum
- Exploring mental health sessions for pupils and parents
- Increasing support in the area of digital wellbeing
- Publicising the resources on the school website to support personal development and wellbeing

More to follow on all of the above and more...

DATES FOR THE DIARY

28th Nov - Chocolate tombola donations (**normal uniform**)

3rd Dec - Christmas Dinner

5th Dec - PTA Christmas Fair, bottle tombola donations, Christmas Jumper Day (**dress down**)

10th Dec - EYFS Christmas Performance

12th Dec - KS2 Cinema Trip

15th Dec - EYFS (9.30am) & KS1 (2pm) Nativity

16th Dec - KS1 (9.30am) & EYFS (2.30pm) Nativity

17th Dec - KS2 Carol Concerts (10am & 6pm)

17th Dec - KS1 Theatre Trip

18th-19th Dec - Christmas Parties

19th Dec - last day of term

5th Jan - INSET Day

6th Jan - Start of term

16th Jan - Year 5 Assembly (2.30pm)

30th Jan - Year 2 Assembly (2.30pm)

13th Feb - Year 1 Assembly (2.30pm)

27th Feb - Year 4 Assembly (2.30pm)

24th April - Year 3 Assembly (2.30pm)

1st May - Reception Assembly (2.30pm) - **please note change of date**