

# Christ Church Contact



## Message from the Head Teacher

Dear Parents / Carers,

Please find attached to this newsletter the most current information with regards to Christ Church staff roles and responsibilities. Hopefully, it will make it easier for you to understand whom you need to talk to, should you wish to seek an explanation regarding different aspects of the school.

I would like to point out that both Key Stage Leaders, Miss Stickley and Mrs Croft, have a dedicated leadership time, therefore if you have any issues you would like to discuss, please contact the school office to make an appointment.

May I remind you that it is always important to see the class teacher first of all. They are more than happy to help you. Please remember that it is not the best time to talk to teachers at the beginning of the day, when they are busy settling the children in and getting on with lessons. Again, it is advisable to call the school office and let them know that you would like an appointment.

I am sure that many of you will be pleased to hear that we have ordered a new notice board to draw your attention to any special events taking place at school. I hope that this will improve even further the communication between school and

parents. Thank you to all the parents and governors who have suggested it.

**Ania Vaughan**  
Head Teacher

## Dates for the Week Ahead

**Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept** - Year 5/6 Meet My Teacher - 9.05am.

**Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> Sept** - Performing Arts Committee meeting - 9.00am.

**Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> Sept** - PSA Treasure Hunt - 3.15pm.

**Friday 26<sup>th</sup> Sept** - Reception / KS1 phonics session - 9.15am.

**Friday 26<sup>th</sup> Sept** - Visit my Classroom - 3.00pm.

## Macmillan Coffee Morning

There will be a Macmillan coffee morning on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> September at Christ Church Centre (Memorial Hall) from 11.00am - 12.30pm. Coffee and cake will be available for a small donation. The other hall and garden will be open for younger children to play. Please join us and support a great cause. Any cake donations would be welcome.

Many Thanks  
Rachel Swatton and Laura Barker.

### Performing Arts Message

The Performing Arts Committee is pleased to advise you that Mrs Pearce will be leading an Ensemble after half term! There will be a range of music to suit all taste and will be for children who have been learning to play an instrument and are able to recognise some notes. Please apply with the form that was sent out earlier in the week, if you have not received a copy please pick one up from the school office and return by Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> September. There will be no cost for this club.

Would you like to get involved with performing arts at Christ Church and join our volunteers such as Mrs Pearce? If you would like to run an after school club or have an idea for an event, please come along to our committee meeting on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> September, 9am in the library or leave a message with the office.

There are still some places for Rock Choir, which is an after school club for KS2 on Friday until 4.15pm, please get a form from the school office if your child would like to join. Please note that there will be a small charge for this club.

If you would like to find out more information about the committee and the clubs, visit the school website: [www.christchurch.herts.sch.uk](http://www.christchurch.herts.sch.uk) -About Us/Our Team/Performing Arts and also Learning/Performing Arts (drop down menu for clubs).

### PSA Treasure Hunt - 24<sup>th</sup> Sept

The PSA will be holding their annual treasure hunt on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> September on the school field come rain or shine! The event will take place straight after school at 3.15pm and is only £1 per child to take part. We look forward to seeing you there.

They will be selling teas, coffee and cakes so any donations of cakes would be appreciated and can be left at the school office.

### Ware's Got Talent

Following the success of the previous events, the LW:LW community talent contest returns for a 5<sup>th</sup> glittering year. In 2014 we will be running two categories - one for under 13's and one for teens and adults - with two winners.

#### Auditions will be held as follows:

Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> October - 10.00am - 5.00pm

Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> October - 2.00pm - 6.00pm

**Venue:** Tower School. Acts must register for auditions using forms that are available in the school reception area or online at [www.lovetwareliveness.org](http://www.lovetwareliveness.org)

#### Finalists' Public Show:

Friday 31<sup>st</sup> October 2014

Venue: Chauncy School. Showtime 7.0pm