



# Weekly Newsletter

6th October 2023



## Headteacher's Message

This has been such a busy week!



Mrs Toudic organised an amazing Science week with a huge dome in the hall, recycling assembly and tricky challenges all linked to making our world a better place. The week finished with a Science dress up day and an fabulous show and tell assembly where children from all year groups shared their learning. Thank you for all of your support with such innovative costumes and mountains of recycling for our challenges!

Also thank you for all of your contributions to the Tinnathon challenge - Shelter Trust were incredibly grateful for the continued support of JCP families.

## Upcoming dates

- 9th October, Parent Teacher Meetings, 17.00-19.00
- 9th October, 5T Victorian Town Trail
- 10th 5C Victorian Town Trail
- 12th October, Parent Teacher Meetings, 15.00-18.00
- 12th October Year 4 La Hogue Bie
- 16th October, Primary Cross Country (Year 5&6)
- 17th October, Year 5 Victorian Day
- 23rd - 27th October, Half Term Week

To help our working parents we have added the dates for the school year to our [website](#)

## Standard Chartered Marathon

Congratulation to Milleigh who took part in the marathon mile last weekend and was the fastest girl in the 6-8 age category with a time of 7:24!



## Responsible User Agreements

Earlier this week your child will have brought home their Responsible User Agreement. Please could these be returned to school by Monday.

## Image and Seesaw Consent - Parents of Children in Reception

Thank you to everyone who has completed this form. If you haven't yet, please could you do so at your earliest convenience. Thank you



## Pastoral Care

Mrs Gray, our Pastoral Lead, would like to outline the type of support that she can offer in school and how parents can request this - please see attached. She will also be at both parents evenings next week for anyone who wishes to have a chat with her.

## Parent Teacher Meetings

The booking system for the Parent Teacher Meeting's next Monday and Thursday has now closed.

We look forward to seeing you then.


There will be a creche in the library for any children.

## National Autistic Society's Early Bird Plus Programme

Please find attached a flyer about the Early Bird programme. Please feel free to contact Mrs Langdon via email if you are interested or would like more information.

## Head Lice

Please be vigilant for head lice as we are aware of a number of cases. We have attached an information document received from the school nurses.





## Lunches at JCG

We hope those whose Key Stage 2 children are having hot lunch are enjoying the new menu and that it is more convenient for you not having to pre book.

As advised in our 22nd September newsletter, payments have now been taken for any lunches children had when we were initially unable to deduct payments during the first few weeks of term.

Just a reminder to please ensure there are sufficient funds on your child's account for lunch. There is a function on iPay to auto top up your account if you wish to use this.

Should you require any further information about our lunches please refer to the information on our [website](#) or contact us via email [admin@jcp.sch.je](mailto:admin@jcp.sch.je)



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## Eco News

Next week we look forward to celebrating the importance of trees by supporting the annual 'Just One Tree' campaign!

Please see separate letter emailed earlier this week for details and reminders about when to wear your 'Outdoor Learning clothes'. We look forward to welcoming 'Jersey Trees for Life' and Kazz Padidar (Wild Adventures) to JCP.



A donation of £1 will be greatly appreciated – as £1 plants 1 tree – in areas of mass deforestation around the world.

We are excited to see how many trees our JCP School community can plant!



It's cool to be an Eco School!

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## Dixie Band!



This week we welcomed the talented musicians from the Pretoria Boys High School Sixth Form Dixie Band. It was such a treat for KS2 to enjoy this fabulous concert. Sincere thanks to Claire Harvey and the Jersey Academy of Music for making this possible, it was thoroughly enjoyed by pupils and staff.



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## Young Voices

All children who are participating in Young Voices in January 2024 will have received an email this week about accessing the songs and videos online.

Please can I encourage all parents to set this up so your children can access the resources as this will help them to practise the songs at home.

## Music Clubs

### Strings Ensemble

Tuesday 12.30-1.55pm in the music room

### Senior Choir

Tuesday Year 5&6, 3 - 4pm in the school hall

### Woodwind Ensemble

Wednesday 12.30-1.55pm in the music room

### Junior Choir

Thursday Year 3&4, 12.30 - 12.55pm in the music room



## Creative Minds - Half Term Kitchen Academy

Do you want to be a MasterChef? Would you like to learn more about cooking?

Join Creative Minds over half-term for a Kitchen Academy! You will be visiting a local farm and collecting pumpkins and potatoes before turning them in cakes, muffins and other delicious dishes. There will also be a pizza and ice cream workshop and you will get to learn about the science of baking and experimentation!

The cost is £330 for the week (Monday 23rd to Friday 27th October) with lunch and snacks included. All participants will be making their own sandwiches throughout the week.

Register now! [click here](#)

## Jersey College Foundation Raffle - Win a Free Term

You could win a FREE term whilst supporting our current students. Just 200 tickets are available at £35 each. There is no limit to the number of tickets you can purchase. These tickets sell out every year so don't delay or you could miss out!

To purchase your raffle tickets to win a FREE school term, please click on the following link to purchase your tickets

<https://shop.jerseycollege.je/products/school-fee-raffle-summer-november-2023>

