



CLAIRES COURT  
Nursery School

# Weekly Bulletin

**12 September 2025 - Autumn Term - Week 2**

## **James Wilding Blog**

We would like to remind parents of the upcoming presentation by Marilyn Hawes for this online information session from 8-9pm a week Wednesday. WARNING - whilst this does contain hard-hitting information about online risks it is so important to be aware. Please read Mr Wilding's blog here: ["Making Sense of the World of Marginal Gains"](#).



Welcome back everyone. It is so wonderful to see all the children's happy faces. A big welcome to all our new families who have joined us this term. I hope you are settling in.

This bulletin will be sent out every Friday during term time and will give you a small insight into what the children have been doing that week. In addition, I will share key dates and important information.

Most of you will have been shown around the nursery by me so may already know the wonderful experiences and play based learning your children are exposed to everyday. However, if you would like to learn more about how our curriculum works, please see [here](#).

The children have been settling back into nursery and/or getting to know their new environment and routines.

The Beehive class have started their topic on Light and Dark.





## **Forest School**



Bumble Bees have been enjoying the September sun and exploring their classroom.





Next week....

**Friday 19 September** - Jeans for Genes. This is an annual charity day when children can come dressed in their own clothes for a donation of £2. This can be paid online via the payment portal. You can see the work they do by following this link [here](#).

**Claires Court Run Club - Every Friday during term time**



Mr Richards and Mr Jost would like to invite you to the Claires Court Run Club!  
This run club is open to all parents, guardians, staff and students, regardless of

experience level. Whether you're a seasoned runner or just starting out, everyone is welcome to join!

- **When:** every Friday morning, 7.20am arrival for 7.30am (sharp!) start
- **Where:** starting and finishing from outside the Senior Boys' reception
- **Distance:** choose between a 3.5km (Sheep) or 5km (Double Sheep) route

The plan is to make sure we are back at school by 8am, so if you think a 5km run might take longer than 30mins, please opt for the 3.5km option. If you're interested, please could a parent/guardian fill in this consent form before the first run.

### **After Dinner Speaker - GB Olympian Mark Richardson**



The poster is for the 'AFTER DINNER SPEAKER SERIES' featuring Mark Richardson, a GB Olympian. It includes details about the date (03 October, 2025), time (6-8 PM), location (College Avenue), and ticket price (£5 for adults, free for children 1:1). A circular portrait of Mark Richardson is shown. The text at the bottom describes the event as an inspirational speech followed by a panel discussion and Q&A.

**AFTER DINNER SPEAKER SERIES**

**DATE**  
03 October, 2025

**TIME**  
6-8 PM

**LOCATION**  
College Avenue

**BYO**  
Food and Drink

**TICKET PRICE**  
Adults £5  
Accompanying children free (1:1)

**MARK RICHARDSON**  
GB OLYMPIAN

An inspirational speech from ex-CC student and world champion athlete, followed by informal panel discussion and live podcast style Q&A.

Book your tickets for the first in our Claires Court After Dinner Speaker Series on 03 October, from 6-8 PM at College Avenue. The event will feature an inspirational speech from Mark Richardson, a world champion athlete and GB Olympian, who is also an ex-CC student.

The evening will include an informal panel discussion and a live, podcast-style Q&A, providing valuable insights and networking opportunities. We look forward to welcoming you for what promises to be an engaging and motivating event. You can book tickets via the PTA site [here](#).

**Tuesday 7 October** - Individual photos. If your child does not attend on this day you can bring them in for the photo.

### **Saturday 11 October - Join us for Claires Court PTA's Annual Fireworks Night!**

Time: 5 PM - 9 PM Location: Claires Court Juniors

Enjoy a fantastic evening with low-noise fireworks from 7:15 PM, fun stalls, and activities for the whole family! Your ticket even includes a burger or hotdog (vegetarian options available). Don't forget to bring your best carved pumpkin



for a chance to win a prize! Purchase your tickets in advance by 6 October to avoid queues at the gate on the night, guarantee food and secure discounted ticket prices!

Tickets:

- Online: Adult £9, Child £5, Family £25 (2 adults & 2 children)
- On the Gate: Adult £10, Child £6, Family £30 (2 adults & 2 children)

Book your tickets now via the QR code on the flyer or visit: [ccpta.org.uk](http://ccpta.org.uk)

Please note: On-gate tickets cannot be guaranteed food. **Strictly no dogs allowed in cars or on site.**



**20 - 31 October** - October Half Term (3 & 4 year olds) Please book [here](#) if you require holiday care during this period.

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