

# **Weekly Bulletin**

#### 26 September 2025 - Autumn Term - Week 4

#### **James Wilding Blog**

Please read the latest blog from Mr Wilding here: <u>"Founders' Day and dynamism of a Family School"</u>

#### **CLASS BULLETINS**

Reception

Year 1

Year 2

Year 3

Year 4

Year 5

Year 6



#### **Awards**

**Responsibility:** Anish (6L)

**Respect:** Georgina (4HT) **Loyalty:** Eddie (2W) **Integrity:** Alexa (5D)

#### **Jeans for Genes Day**

A big **thank you** to everyone. We're delighted to share that we received a total of **£325** in donations.

#### **Hot Drinks**

Please ensure that any hot drinks brought for children are fully consumed **before entering the school site in the mornings**.



We'd like to remind all parents and carers to please take extra care when dropping off and collecting children at the College Avenue site.

We have noticed several potentially dangerous situations recently, including:

- Vehicles using the entrance as an exit
- Children running across the car park or out through the gate toward the road
- Children running ahead of adults while using the one way system between the front car park and the coach bays

For everyone's safety, especially our children's, please ensure you:

- Use the designated entry and exit points correctly
- Keep your child close to you at all times
- Avoid letting children run ahead in busy traffic areas
- Always bolt the nursery gate when entering and leaving

Thank you for your continued cooperation in keeping our site safe for everyone.

### Reminder – Reporting Absences, Medical Appointments, Pick-Up Arrangements & Bus Changes

Please email <u>juniors@clairescourt.net</u> to report any of the following:

- Absences
- Medical or other appointments
- Changes to pick up arrangements
- Bus changes

If your message requires a **same-day response**, please **contact the school office directly**, as class teachers may not be able to check their emails during the day.

#### **Term Time Absence**

Refer to our **Attendance and Holidays in Term Time Policy**. Holidays during term time are discouraged and will be **unauthorised** excluding exceptional occasions. For any absences during term time that **are not** medical or sickness, please complete the **Term Time Holiday Request Form here**.

#### **Instrumental Tuition for 2025/26**

Please see our <u>Instrumental Tuition Leaflet</u> and if you are interested in booking any one to one music lessons for your child this year please complete the <u>Music Tuition Booking Form</u>.

#### **Harvest Assembly**

We will be holding a Harvest Assembly at the beginning of October during our regular assembly time. This will be for the children only. We would greatly appreciate donations of non-perishable food items, including tinned goods,

biscuits, and coffee. Please ensure these are given to the school by **Thursday 2 October**. These items will be donated to the Salvation Army. Thank you for your support!

#### NHS Nasal Flu Vaccine - Consent Required

Please click <a href="here">here</a> to read the NHS letter regarding the upcoming nasal flu vaccine. It contains important information and links for you to provide your consent, either yes or no for your child. Please note: The consent form link will close at 9am, one full school day before the planned session. The vaccination will take place here at Juniors on Monday 3 November. Kindly ensure that you complete the consent form as soon as possible.

#### **Current coach availability**

We would like to make you aware of the availability on some of our bus routes for the new school year. This is a great opportunity to secure reliable and convenient transportation for your child. You can find all the information on our routes, costs, and how to make a booking by visiting **Vectare**. For any questions, please contact them directly at **contact@vectare.co.uk**.

To make managing your child's journey easier, we recommend the **VecTive Passenger App**, available for both Android and Apple devices. The app allows you to make and amend bookings and provides live tracking of our coaches. Just search for "VecTive Passenger App" in your app store.

**Sport Photos Autmun 2025/26 - add this after half term** 



After Dinner Speaker - GB Olympian Mark Richardson



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.

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



Date: Saturday, 11 October

**Time:** 5 PM - 9 PM

**Location:** Claires Court Juniors, SL6 4QQ

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 wristbands will be given to your child to bring home on Thursday 9 October, so on the night you can just show your wristband and walk in, no need to wait at the gate!
- guarantee food you will be able to get your food anytime after you arrive, tickets purchased on the night cannot collect food until after 6.30pm
- secure discounted ticket prices save £5 on a family ticket!

#### 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

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

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