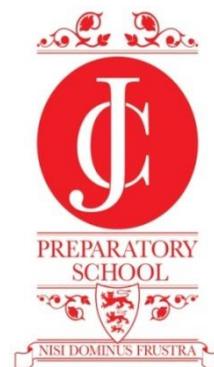


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Dear Parents, Students, Families and Friends of JCP

Car Parking

I had a really informative meeting this week with Mrs Lisette Jones who is working as part of a team on the Sustainable Transport Strategy for Jersey – looking to make the island ‘carbon neutral’ by 2030. As part of our wide-ranging discussion she did mention a survey that is currently open to the public which I would encourage you to take part in at www.gov.je/greentravel. Whilst the full details are not yet available, it is clear that they have some really ambitious targets to significantly reduce carbon emissions. I also know that our very own Eco team will be meeting with her to discuss what they can do to support this going forward.

Although this is a longer term project, we did discuss how we might try to alleviate the daily pressure on the JCG car park and once we have put together some options on how some might not need the car park at all, I will let you know straight away! In the meantime, if you can park somewhere and walk the last bit, please do so! Thank you.

Entry into school

Please could I remind everyone that, at the beginning and the end of the day, there are designated drop off and pick up points around the perimeter of the school building (please see the attached document for full information). **Parents and children should only come in via the school office if:**

- They have something to drop off/collect at the Office
- Have an appointment to meet a member of staff
- Urgently need to use the toilet
- They are late for school
- There is some kind of emergency

Parent/Teacher meetings

You will have been sent an email on Wednesday regarding booking an appointment for a meeting with your child’s teacher on either Monday 21st or Thursday 24th October. If you have not yet made an appointment, I encourage you to do so as soon as possible via the following link:

<https://parents-booking.co.uk/JCP>

Food Allergy Leaflet re PTA Cake Sale

Please note that we are a ‘nut free’ school, as we do have a number of children with severe nut allergies, including sesame seeds. Therefore, please can we ask that you ensure that your child does not bring any nut products into school. This includes items which may have nuts in the ingredients i.e. pesto, cereal bars, items containing sesame seeds, chocolate/nut spread and peanut butter. Attached is a really informative guide to help with this – thanks to Mrs Anderson.

Personalised Greetings Cards 2019

Coming home with your child on **Monday** will be a proof of a beautiful card, which your child has designed at school! If you wish to order cards or gift tags with this design on, please complete the order form enclosed in the wallet and return them to the **School Office** by **Monday 21st October - this only gives you one week to get orders in**. Any orders sent in after this deadline will, unfortunately, not be accepted.

Thank you, Mrs Toudic

Music News

The date for the Choirs Eisteddfod is Thursday November 14th. The Senior Choir will sing in the morning slot starting at 09.30 and the Junior Choir and Year 3 girls will sing in the afternoon starting at 1.00pm. Parents are welcome to watch the performances. The girls will be transported to and from school by coach and they will need to be very smartly dressed in winter uniform including red jumpers and tights. If your child is entered for any individual classes in the Eisteddfod, please let their form teacher know the date and time.

Mrs Smith

Sports results:

Well done to the A & B Netball teams who both won their respective netball games for the second consecutive week. The A team convincingly beat La Moye 19-0 whilst the B team had an extremely close game with St George's, narrowly winning 9-8. Well done to all those who took part.

Sports fixtures/clubs next week:

Monday 14th October

- Netball A team training (3.00-4.15pm on Barton Netball court - pick up as normal from JCP).
- Netball B team match v St Michael's (3.00-4.15pm on the school playground)

Wednesday 16th October

- Year 5 & 6 Football festival (1.00-3.00pm at Springfield) - for those selected
- Year 5 & 6 Football club (3.15-4.15pm at Grainville)

Thursday 17th October

- A & B team Football matches v St Mary's (3.00-4.30pm at St Mary's)

Harvest Assembly

On Monday morning, Peter Dyson, the rector of St. Saviour's Church led a very entertaining assembly all about Harvest. He shared a story to show the importance of giving and sharing and reminded us to not become 'moaning minnies'! I just want to say a huge thank you to all those families who donated one thing or many items to our Harvest collection. Peter was overwhelmed by how much had been donated! It is much appreciated and I know Les Amis will be very thankful too. There will be a Harvest service on Sunday morning if anyone would like to attend.

Many thanks for your continued support. Mrs Walsh

PTA 100 Club

The JCP PTA is once again running a 100 Club for this academic year. It is a fantastic way to raise funds for the school as the school wins when you win! PTA funds raised support the purchase of a variety of items for all the children in the school such as musical instruments, sports' teams' uniforms, outdoor play areas and equipment, the new Wellbeing Chalet, Christmas gifts and parties, and much more. Please see the email sent on Wednesday for further information.

Lost Property

Please could **all uniform be clearly labelled with your child's full name** especially jumpers and coats. We seem to have a huge amount of items being left and lost at the moment.

JCG Foundation - JCG/JCP School Fee Raffle

Remember to buy your tickets this weekend!

To purchase your tickets just follow this link www.jcg.je/foundation-raffle

Good Luck! Barbara McGarva, Alumnae Relations

A Message from Little Leopards After School and Holiday Club for Current Users

Unfortunately due to low demand we are unable to provide the holiday provision for this October half term. Looking ahead, you are still able to book any of the other school holidays (except Christmas/New Year) by logging into your Little Leopard account and selecting the holidays you require.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY (New dates/changes in Red)

October

- 16th Year 2 Parents - Keeping Myself Safe and Well Meeting - 3.00pm
- 17th Vision Screening
- 18th PTA Cake Sale for pupils – details to follow
- 21st Vision Screening
- Parent/Teacher Meetings – 5.00–7.00pm
- 23rd Flu Vaccination Program – All Years
- 24th Vision Screening
- Parent/Teacher Meetings – 3.00–6.00pm
- 28th Half – Term week

November

- 13th De Putron Challenge Year 6
- 15th Children in Need
- 16th VCP JCP Joint Disco Y5&6, 7-9pm
- 22nd Just One Tree Campaign (joint College Eco team) - Dress Down, Wear Green, £1 donation**
- 23rd 2nd Hand Uniform Sale - 9.30-10.30am
- 29th PTA Deco Day

December

- 2nd Vision Screening recalls
- 10th Key Stage 2 Carol Service – 6.00pm
- 11th Reception Nativity – 1.30pm
- 2nd Hand Uniform Sale - 2.30-3.30pm
- 12th Reception Nativity – 9.15am
- 13th Year 1 Performance - 1.30pm
- 17th Year 2 Performance - 9.15am
- 19th Christmas parties day in school
- 20th End of term – School closes at 12:00 noon

Kind regards



Mr Richard Sugden
Head Teacher