



# CHRIST THE KING SIXTH FORMS

Alumni Newsletter March 2024



## CTK News

### CTK Easter Appeal

Thank you to all who donated to our Easter Appeal! As in previous years we ran our Easter Appeal for charity. This year we supported **Demelza Hospice**, and **SVP (Society of St Vincent De Paul)**. The appeal ran throughout lent and encompasses a variety of social action initiated by our students, including donations of chocolate Easter eggs. The Easter eggs will bring hope and joy to those in need.

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### Visit from the Mayor of Lewisham

We were honoured to welcome Brenda Dacres, Mayor of Lewisham, along with The Telegraph Hill Councillors, Cllr Joan Millbank and Luke Sorba, to CTK Aquinas. Led by our Student Ambassadors, they toured our state-of-the-art facilities and engaged in a lively question and answer session, providing valuable insights to our students. It was a memorable day of community connection and shared knowledge



## Careers Conference

The CTK Careers Conference took place on Thursday 14th March. This event was to inspire and guide our students towards their future pathways. This event promised a dynamic lineup of speakers, interactive workshops, and invaluable networking opportunities with professionals from various fields. Students had the chance to explore diverse career paths, gather insights, and kickstart their journey towards success. The variety of talks offered, ranging from midwifery to finance, and from UCAS guidance to applying for degree apprenticeships, truly enriched the event and provided invaluable insights for our students.

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## The Big Lent Walk

Staff and students took part in The Big Lent walk 2024, to raise funds for CAFOD. Their contributions will make a meaningful difference in the lives of those who are most vulnerable and in need of support. We are proud to be part of a community that demonstrates such compassion, unity, and commitment to making a positive impact in the world.



# Alumni News and Opportunities

Become a Foundation Governor or Local Board member at CTK

We invite you to consider taking on the impactful role of a Foundation Governor or Local Board Member at Christ the King Sixth Forms.

As a graduate of our esteemed institution, your connection with the sixth form is invaluable, and your unique perspective can contribute significantly to shaping the future of the next generation of students.

# GOVERNOR VACANCIES

We are currently seeking professionals with a varying skill base or experience to strengthen our Board as either a Foundation Governor (practising Catholics) or as an Associate or Co-opted Governor in an advisory role.

**All roles are voluntary.**

**Commitments include:**

- 5 x on-site evening meetings per year
- 2 x on-site Strategy & Development days per year
- 4 x Committee meetings via Teams per year

A full induction and training programme is provided.

If you are interested in applying or require further information, please contact **Linda Harrison, Clerk to Governance**, at [Governance@ctksfc.ac.uk](mailto:Governance@ctksfc.ac.uk), or email a copy of your CV and a covering letter.

We look forward to hearing from you.  
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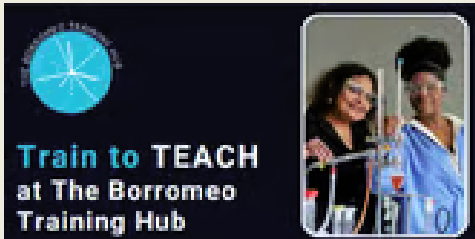
## About CTK

Established in 1992, Christ the King is a family of three Catholic sixth form colleges in the South London area, dedicated to the education and development of the whole person.

With an ethos based on the wisdom, love and humanity of Christ, our sixth forms are a very special place to be, creating a highly supportive learning environment for our young people.

## About you

If you are a Professional with a diverse skill sets and experience in Finance/Audit, Business, Law, Estates, HR, Apprenticeships, key Industries, Higher Education, Teaching, or Safeguarding, your expertise will strengthen our Board.



## Interested in pursuing a career in teaching?

CTK are delighted to announce our new teaching partnership with three Catholic Sixth Form Colleges across London; forming The Borrromeo Training Hub. This will be a regional hub for the well established ITT (Initial Teacher Training) provider, Xavier Teach Southeast which has been rated as 'outstanding' by Ofsted.



## CTK Alumni inspiring talk

Former CTK Alumni, Daniel and Rianna, was invited to take part in the Careers Conference held at CTK Emmanuel. The day was filled with inspiration and was to help guide our students towards their future pathways.



## International Women's Day

To celebrate International Women's Day, we had the privilege of welcoming Leila Thomas and Dianne Johnson from Urban Synergy, Sharon Blackman OBE from Citi and Jacqueline Alcindor from Legal and General. Their inspiring talk on career insights and top tips left a lasting impact on our students.



### The beginning of Holy Week

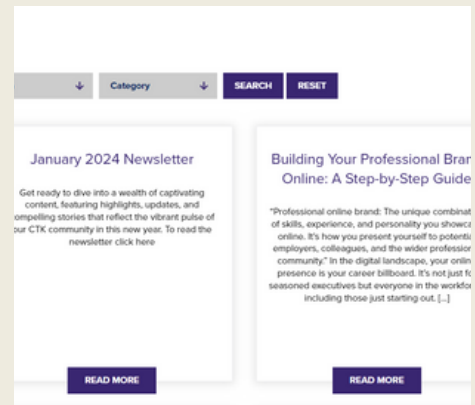
This week marks the beginning of Holy Week, which includes Psalm Sunday, Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, Holy Saturday and Easter Sunday. Holy week is one of the most important weeks in the Catholic Church. Not only is it a part of the Lenten season, but it is also the week where we remember the life and death of Christ.



### Top tips for your first day in a new job

When starting a new job, first impressions are vital. It can feel like a lot of pressure to hit the ground running, impress your new colleagues...

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### Alumni Wall

Get inspiration from former learners who have gone on to achieve brilliant things in their education and their careers.

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