



Chudleigh CE VC Community Primary School

Summer Term 2022 Newsletter

11 May 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

I can't believe we've been back at school for two weeks already! Children have settled in well after enjoying a lovely Easter break. There is a real buzz about school as children are engaging with their new enquiries.

Staff News

We would like to thank Emma Hares, who has been a Meal-Time Assistant at the school for a number of years for all her hard work and dedication to our children. We wish her luck in her future endeavours. We welcome Gill Smart to our Meal-Time Assistant team.

We welcome back Mrs Sarah Penlington from Maternity leave. She will return to her Year 2 class teacher role on 26th May.

Walk to School week

Next week, week beginning 16th May, is 'Walk to School Week.' In previous years, we have encouraged our pupils to walk or wheel to school. Doing so provides health, well-being and environmental benefits. We encourage as many children as possible to walk or wheel to school – not just during this week but as often as they can. Our community ambassadors will be talking to children about this during assembly, outlining all the benefits of travelling to school this way.

Learning Celebration/Open evening

We are holding a celebration of children's learning this term. We would like to invite you in to share your child/ren's work on Wednesday 29th June at 3:45. Children's books will be available in their classroom places for you and your child to share.

School Photographs

We will soon be sending links from Tempest giving you the opportunity to order class photographs online, this is the only way to view and order school photographs.

Jubilee Celebration

We will be holding a special celebration in school to mark the Queen's Jubilee. We will be holding a tea party on the afternoon of 27th May. We are asking for food contributions

if possible and each class will be allocated a food item to bring. Thank you in advance.

Additional non-pupil day for the Queen's Jubilee.

Just another reminder that we return to school on Wednesday 8th June, after half term, as we have been given an additional non-pupil day in recognition of the Queen's Jubilee.

Comic relief and Ukraine fundraising

I am pleased to report that we raised over £700 for these two worthy causes. Thank you for your support with this. I know that the contributions are much needed.

Project Planet

If you were lucky enough to see the Year 3, 4 and 5 Production of Project Planet, you will know what a fantastic performance it was. I would like to say well done to all of the children involved – they were amazing. Thank you also to all the staff who worked hard to ensure the performance took place.

Open Gardens

We will again be opening the school environmental area and garden as part of Chudleigh's Open Garden event. Our Community Ambassadors, Mud Club members and Eco-champions will be working hard to provide a celebration of our school grounds. We welcome you on the Saturday 25th June at 10am-4pm. Please use the school driveway to access the environmental area.

Year 4 Residential Visit

Last week, Year 4 enjoyed a wonderful 3 days at Heatree Activity Centre where they stayed for their residential visit. They had fabulous weather and thoroughly enjoyed the team building exercises and personal challenges. I would like to thank the staff team for giving up their time to ensure that the camp could go ahead.

Lost Property

The lost property bins are overflowing. If you would like to look for any lost items, please come at the end of the school day. Please ensure all items are labelled with your child's name.

'A place for all to grow and flourish'



EYFS and Year 6 National Child Measurement Programme

Please note that the team will be visiting school on Thursday 9th June, as per the communication sent in April.

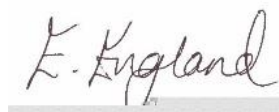
Thank you to FOCS

I would like to thank FOCS for purchasing new playground equipment. The children are now benefitting from a range of new basketball hoops, balls, skipping ropes etc. We would also like to thank them for donating new books which were allocated as part of the virtual book fair, alongside books donated from Bridge Books, Exeter.

Finally, thank you for taking the time to read this newsletter. If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact your child's class teacher in the first instance.

I look forward to working with you for the rest of this term.

Yours sincerely,



Emily England
Head Teacher

News From:

Achieve4All

May Half Term Holidays at St Michael's C of E Primary School. Sports Camps will feature archery, nerf games, golf frisbee, dodgeball, hockey and many other sports and games. Games will be specially designed to follow the latest government guidelines and will be outside.

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Term dates

Summer Term

Y3 FOCS cake sale Friday 13th May
Y6 Residential camp Monday 16th May – Friday 20th May
Half term Monday 30th May – Friday 3rd June
Additional non-pupil day Monday 6th June
Non-pupil day Tuesday 7th June
Y1/EYFS FOCS cake sale Friday 8th July
KS2 Swimming gala Monday 11th July
Y6 Production Tuesday 12th July – Wednesday 13th July
KS1 Sports day Wednesday 13th July
KS2 Sports day Thursday 14th July
Summer concert Wednesday 20th July
Last day of term Friday 22nd July

Autumn Term 2022

Non-pupil day Monday 5th September
First day of term Tuesday 6th September
Half term Monday 24th October - Friday 28th October
Last day of term Friday 16th December

Spring Term 2023

Non-pupil day Tuesday 3rd January
First day of term Wednesday 4th January
Half term Monday 13th February – Friday 17th February
Last day of term Friday 31st March

Summer Term 2023

First day of term Monday 17th April
Bank Holiday Monday 1st May
Half term Monday 29th May – Friday 2nd June
Non-pupil day Monday 5th June
Last day of term Friday 21st July