



CHARFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWS LETTER

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Learning for life**

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WHAT AN AMAZING YEAR!

At the end of every year we have to say a fond farewell to our Year 6's. They are a group we are incredibly proud of. We wish them every success in their High Schools



As we reach the end of a superb year I would like to thank you all for your continued support.

2014 Highlights

There has been so many for me! Looking back through previous Newsletters showed what amazing children we have; the great things they achieve each day, each week, and these are a few that stood out and showed how great our school is:

- Sports Relief – I was very proud of the independence and eagerness shown by the children. Events were organised by School Councillors & Healthy Living Leaders and we raised £1887.40.
- Gold Learners – The introduction of our Gold Learner assembly highlighted just how many amazing learners we have in school. The assemblies also showed me just how supportive our children are of one another
- Eco Schools – The School Council have worked hard this year to obtain our Bronze Award for being an Eco-School. It made me very proud that as soon as the award arrived they announced what they would do to get the silver!
- Charfield Competes! – The school has really increased its competitiveness this year by entering far more tournaments in a range of sports. It has been wonderful to see the children showing support for one another and as the year progressed they became more and more successful, winning a number of them.
- Harvest Festival – Again an event supported heavily by our parents. The children showed great understanding and compassion for others bringing in over 300 items to support those experiencing hardship.
- Year 3 SS Great Britain Trip – Year 3's Brilliant Brunel Topic and trialling 'Brunel's Round the World Box' for the SS Great Britain Trust ended in the class being featured in "The Great Britain Gazette".
- Food for Life. Fit for Life Week – An amazing week that again couldn't have been possible without the amazing community around us. For me the week highlighted how determined our children are to lead healthy and happy lives.
- Heatree – The Y6 residential. The children were amazing ambassadors for our school, showing their determination during the week. They tried new experiences and showed how well they could work

together. Ask a Y6 of their year highlight and Heatree is a frequent response!

- Y5 French Market – C'est Magnifique! What a topic and what an event to end with. The children were amazing in their market; organising and running it themselves. I can't wait to see this year group as Year 6's.
- Sports Day – A brilliant day that brought out the best in our children and made us all very proud of them.
- Village Fair Art – The quality of the artwork produced for this event was astounding! We are lucky enough to have some hanging around our school, and it still stops me in my tracks when I look at it!
- Charfest – What a community our school is within. A fantastic event that had everyone talking about it weeks afterwards!

Thank you everyone for making this year so enjoyable and successful. I look forward to seeing you in September.

100% ATTENDANCE

Congratulations to the following children who have attended school throughout the year.

Ryan A	Seren L
Evie B	Amy L
Finley B	Cecily M
Emilia B	Daniel O
Henry C	Libby P
Freya D-D	Corey P
Joseph D	Cerys P
Fearne D	George P
Malachi F	Josie R
Isabel H	Ryan S
Dylan H	Diarmuid S
Isaac J	Jennifer W-O
Lauren J	Thomas W
Charlotte K	Megan W

SCHOOL DISCO



The Friends will be holding a school disco on Friday 26th



September 2014. We will start with KS1 pupils only with a short break and then KS2 can attend after. Tickets will go on sale in September.



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CHARFIELD COMMUNITY NOTICES



The summer holidays are upon us and we wanted to remind you that the Out of School club is open every day throughout the six week break as well as the in-service days. We have different games and activities planned for every day as well as additional visits by the likes of Zoo lab, sort it and sports clubs. If you are having to work, or, if you are one of the many teachers who use us through term time and would like a couple of hours to yourself, remember we have half day sessions as well as full days or school hours. Pop into the foundation room and see Pat or one of the team for a booking form.

We hope you enjoy the summer holidays.



Dates 2014-2015



DATE	DAY	START TIME	END TIME	EVENT
01/09/2014	Mon			INSET Day 1
02/09/2014	Tue			Term 1 Begins
03/09/2014	Wed	3:30 PM	4:00 PM	Meet the Teacher
15/09/2014	Mon	12:00 PM	1:15 PM	YEAR 1 – Parent Lunch
15/09/2014	Mon	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Butterflies (Y1)
25/09/2014	Thur	2:00 PM	3:30 PM	YEAR 2 Swimmings Starts
13/10/2014	Mon			INSET Day 2
20/10/2014	Mon	12:00 PM	1:15 PM	YEAR 2 – Parent Lunch
20/10/2014	Mon	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Grasshoppers (Y2)
20/10/2014	Mon	5:30 PM	8:00 PM	Parents Evening 1 Late
22/10/2014	Wed	3:30 PM	5:30 PM	Parents Evening 1 Early
24/10/2014	Fri			Term 1 Ends
03/11/2014	Mon			Term 2 Begins
03/11/2014	Mon			FOCUS WEEK 1
10/11/2014	Mon			Y6 Residential Trip Starts
14/11/2014	Fri			Y6 Residential Trip Ends
17/11/2014	Mon	12:20 PM	1:15 PM	YEAR 3 – Parent Lunch
17/11/2014	Mon	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Beetles (Y3)
02/12/2014	Tue	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Bumblebees (Y6)
02/12/2014	Tue	5:30 PM	6:30 PM	Y5 Parents meeting 1 - Y6 Residential
04/12/2014	Thur	2:00 PM	3:30 PM	YEAR 2 Swimming Ends
10/12/2014	Wed	11:30 AM	1:30 PM	Christmas Lunch - Staff
11/12/2014	Thur	11:30 AM	1:30 PM	Christmas Lunch - Children
11/12/2014	Thur	2:00 PM	3:00 PM	Year 3 Swimming Starts
16/12/2014	Tue	9:30 AM	10:30 AM	KS1 Nativity 1
16/12/2014	Tue	4:00 PM	5:00 PM	KS1 Nativity 2
19/12/2014	Fri	2:30 PM	3:10 PM	KS2 - Carol Service
19/12/2014	Fri			Term 2 Ends
05/01/2015	Mon			Term 3 Begins

09/02/2015	Mon	12:00 PM	1:15 PM	Reception - Parent Lunch
09/02/2015	Mon	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Caterpillars (EYFS)
09/02/2015	Mon	12:20 PM	1:15 PM	YEAR 4 – Parent Lunch
09/02/2015	Mon	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Ladybirds (Y4)
12/02/2015	Thur			Term 3 Ends
12/02/2015	Thur			Open Class - Dragonflies (Y5)
13/02/2015	Fri			INSET Day 3
23/02/2015	Mon			Term 4 Begins
27/02/2015	Fri			Mid Year Reports
02/03/2015	Mon	5:30 PM	8:00 PM	Parents Evening 2 Late
04/03/2015	Wed	3:30 PM	5:30 PM	Parents Evening 2 Early
16/03/2015	Mon	12:20 PM	1:15 PM	YEAR 5 – Parent Lunch
16/03/2015	Mon	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Dragonflies (Y5)
19/03/2015	Thur	9:00 AM	2:30 PM	Y6 Life-skills
23/03/2015	Mon			FOCUS WEEK 2
26/03/2015	Thur	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Butterflies (Y1)
26/03/2015	Thur	2:00 PM	3:00 PM	Year 3 Swimming Ends
27/03/2015	Fri			Term 4 Ends
13/04/2015	Mon			Term 5 Begins
23/04/2015	Thur	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Beetles (Y3)
23/04/2015	Thur	2:00 PM	3:00 PM	Year 1 Swimming Starts
11/05/2015	Mon			Year 6 SAT Week
18/05/2015	Mon	1:30 PM	3:20 PM	Y6 Block Swimming Session Starts
19/05/2015	Tue	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Caterpillars (EYFS)
20/05/2015	Wed	9:30 AM	12:00 PM	Infant Sports Day
20/05/2015	Wed	12:00 PM	1:00 PM	Sports Day Picnic
20/05/2015	Wed	1:30 PM	3:00 AM	Junior Sports Day
21/05/2015	Thur	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Ladybirds (Y4)
22/05/2015	Fri	1:30 PM	3:20 PM	Y6 Block Swimming Session Ends
22/05/2015	Fri			Term 5 Ends
01/06/2015	Mon			INSET Day 4
02/06/2015	Tue			Term 6 Begins
03/06/2015	Wed			Reserve Sports Day
08/06/2015	Mon	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Bumblebees (Y6)
08/06/2015	Mon	12:20 PM	1:15 PM	YEAR 6 – Parent Lunch
11/06/2015	Thur	6:00 PM	7:00 PM	New Reception Parents Evening
22/06/2015	Mon			FOCUS WEEK 3
02/07/2015	Thur	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Grasshoppers (Y2)
06/07/2015	Mon	7:00 PM	8:00 PM	Music Evening
09/07/2015	Thur	2:00 PM	3:00 PM	Year 1 Swimming Ends
15/07/2015	Wed	7:00 PM	8:30 PM	Leavers Play
17/07/2015	Fri			Term 6 Ends
20/07/2015	Mon			INSET Day 5

AND FINALLY, THANKYOU

All the staff would like to thank the parents and children who gave them gifts, thank you so much we really appreciate your kindness.



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