

'Happy and Successful'

24th October, 2014 (Newsletter 2 2014/15)



Good News!

Overall whole school attendance for this half term is a fantastic 97.7%! Thank you for your continued support.



Olympic Park Visit

On Tuesday 14th October, eight children from Year 3 and Year 4 were lucky

enough to be chosen (their names were pulled out of a hat!) to visit the Olympic Park in Stratford to take part in hockey and tennis coaching sessions.



The event took place in the Lee Valley Hockey and Tennis Centre. All the children were taught by a professional coach and developed their skills on the Olympic hockey pitch and tennis courts. Each session culminated in a game against other schools from Hertfordshire, Essex and London.

Mr Rasheed and Miss Bliss accompanied the children to the Olympic Park and all involved had a great day out!



Nutrition Assembly

On Tuesday 21st October, Mr Rasheed arranged for two nutritional therapists to visit our school to talk about healthy eating with Key Stage 2.

The children discussed the importance of food and how good food provides us with the energy and nutrition we need to live healthy lifestyles. They were advised that they need to 'eat the rainbow' in every meal because eating a range of colourful foods is more nutritious.

All pupils will be bringing home goodie bags and they will also be set a nutrition-based half-term homework.



Sporting News

Mr Rasheed and Mr Ryan are delighted that such a large number of children in Key Stage 2 have been participating in our after school Netball Club this term!

The Year 6 Netball Team recently played in their annual league against 4 other local primary schools. Our results were as follows:

Chorleywood 2 - 1 The Russell

Chorleywood 6 - 2 Christ Church

Chorleywood 3 - 2 Sarratt

Chorleywood 1 - 2 Maple Cross

With 3 wins in a row, this has been one of most successful netball teams in recent years! We are now waiting for the other schools to complete their fixtures to find out if we have managed to win the Netball League this year.

Well done to all the team members - Bethany T (captain) George P, Jessica B, Rebecca B, Sasha S, Ava B-C, Olivia T, Ella H, Anya P, Isha P, Anoushka V and Alisha T.



Menu Change: After half term, the baguette option will be replaced by jacket potatoes. There will be a daily choice of three fillings; cheese, baked beans or tuna.

Free School Meals: All children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 are entitled to Universal Free School Meals. If you have a child in Years 3 to 6 and you think they may be entitled to free school meals, please speak to the Office or you can apply online at www.hertsdirect.org/freeschoolmeals

New Website Calendar



As you may have seen there is a new calendar on the school website homepage. This calendar is linked to the school internal calendar and is regularly updated by staff. Please keep an eye on it for upcoming dates and events at www.chorleywood.herts.sch.uk



School Crossing Patrol Needed

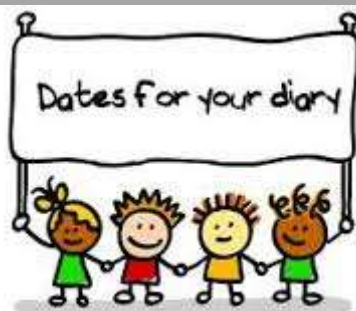
Hertfordshire County Council you are urgently looking for someone who would be interested in becoming the School Crossing Patrol for our school (afternoons only). If you are interested or would like more information, please contact Heather Hill on 01992 556815.

Important Reminders



Secondary Application Deadline: The deadline for applications to secondary schools is Friday 31st October 2014. You can apply online at www.hertsdirect.org/admissions or alternatively if you cannot access the internet, you can request an application form from the Hertfordshire County Council Customer Service Centre by calling 0300 123 4043.

Half Term: School breaks up today for half term, we wish you and your children a restful week off and we look forward to seeing them again on Monday 3rd November.



Tuesday 4th November

Parents Evening Sign Up Sheets Go Up (3.15pm)

Thursday 6th November

Numeracy Parent Workshop (9am)

Wednesday 12th November

Parents Evening (5pm-8pm)

Thursday 13th November

Parents Evening (4pm-6pm)

Thursday 27th November

Talk For Writing Parent Workshop (2.30pm)

Saturday 29th November

PTA Christmas Market (12noon-3pm)

Writers' of the Month

From Nursery through to Year 6 pupils are awarded on a monthly basis. Two awards are presented; one for 'Content' (a particularly well written and researched piece of work about a given subject) and the other for 'Presentation'. Every pupil awarded receives a Certificate in Assembly and this forms part of the School's writing focus for 2014/2015.



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	Content Award	Presentation Award (neatness/handwriting)
Nursery	Holly S	Evie B
Reception	Gabrielle F	Neve T
Year 1	Ali T	George C
Year 2	Maya M	M McG
Year 3	Kaya I	Anya V
Year 4	Lottie P	Connie O'M
Year 5	James B	Tara M
Year 6	Daniel W	Lucy W

Well done to all the pupils awarded and watch this space next month for the updated results



Star Award Winners

A Star Award is presented to three children from each class (Reception - Year 6) on a weekly basis. The award is celebrated in Assembly on a Friday where each child receives a special sticker. The award can be presented for good behaviour, excellent working and particular excellence in a given subject amongst other things.

w/e:3/10/2014	Rec - Samuel L, Lara M and Neal M Yr 1 - Kiera-Lynn G, Jayden M and James S Yr 2 - Lottie L, Harry J and Kasey T Yr 3 - Cael V, Kaya I and James O'M Yr 4 - Daisy S, Cory S and Grace P Yr 5 - Ayden Z, Tom O'K and Poppy J Yr 6 - Daniel W, Sasha S and George P Lunchtime: Inf- Harry B Jnr - Nicholas L	w/e:10/10/2014	Rec - Leo F, Lauren K and Luke N Yr 1 - George C, Lily-Rose S and Harrison W Yr 2 - Amelia H, Oliver R and Maija M Yr 3 - Thomas K-C, Tawana M and Lottie B Yr 4 - Daisy B, Maya S and Leoni W Yr 5 - Marybeth B, Tara M and Sanjai S Yr 6 - Jessica B, Lucy W and Isobel W Lunchtime: Inf-Joshan T Jnr - Arabella G
w/e:17/10/2014	Rec - Sienna R, Harry S and Sam W Yr 1 - Kierra B, Zoe G and Leianah P Yr 2 - Rhys G-J, Kirsten S and Nathan T Yr 3 - Samuel N, Aditi B and Oliver S Yr 4 - Joel B, Lottie P and Isobel R Yr 5 - Amie A, Iana E and Charlotte B Yr 6 - Ella H, Kai T and Abbie B Lunchtime : Inf- Mohit B Jnr -Daniel W	w/e:24/10/2014	Rec- Thomas D, Lasaya D and Louie R Yr 1 - Annabelle L, Eden S and Joshan T Yr 2 - Ruby W, Scarlett C and Jacob R Yr 3 - Khadija C, Renee G and Lexie W Yr 4 - Thomas J, Katie W and Charlie C Yr 5 - Jack D, James B and Mya R Yr 6 - Wian V, Zac B and Isha P Lunchtime: Inf Evie B Jnr - George P

Attachments to this newsletter:

Light Party at St Andrews Church Flyer

JK Club Recruitment Flyer

Watford School of Music Ukulele Flyer

