



October 2016
MONTHLY NEWSLETTER
CHORLEYWOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL



'Happy and Successful'

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October has seen the children settle well into their classes, continue to work hard and demonstrate our behaviour for learning characteristics.



Overall attendance for the 2016/17 year to date is 97.5%.

Thank you to everyone for your support. Let's continue to keep this a focus for the rest of the term.

New Parent Governor

Congratulations to Rob Murray, our new parent governor. Thank you to all the parents who voted.

Full details of all our governors can be found on our website, under 'Who We Are' in the governors tab: http://www.chorleywood.herts.sch.uk/governors/who_we_are.html

You are also able to access the governors newsletters on our website, and by following this link: http://www.chorleywood.herts.sch.uk/our_school/newsletters.html

Should you wish to make contact with Simone Tyson, Chair of Governors, please contact the office and we will pass the message to her. Our email address is: admin@chorleywood.herts.sch.uk



You are now able to vote in store at the Rickmansworth Superstore from 31st October to 13th November and **the number of votes we receive at the end of this period will determine the amount of money we receive to upgrade and repair our school playing fields.** Please support us as this money will make a huge difference to us.



Sporting News

School Sports Committee

We asked for applications from our Key Stage 2 children who were interested in applying to be a member of our newly formed Sports Committee.



Congratulations to our new committee: Aditi B, Freddie R, Lily S, Tiya T, Sophie P, Rida J, Ruby W, Connie O'M, Sofie L, James O'M, Orion M, Olivia A, Cael V, Nicholas L, Sophia K, Renee G, Kasey T, Luke M, Shay P, Katie W, Amelie M, Noah W, Luuk T, Gianna St J, Lexie W, Tobias P, Rubie D, Anya V.

Football

Great results from our boys football team, who played The Russell School and won 3-2, then, in an exciting match, drew with Christchurch 3-3.

Well done to Joel B, Cory S, Shay P, Thomas K-C, Ashley T, Dominic T, Jake S, Charlie C and Nicholas L!

Tri Golf Festival

Our Tri-Golf A, B and C team played at St Clement Danes, coming 1st, 3rd and 4th out of 12 teams from a mix of schools. This was a fantastic achievement.

Our A team then went on to play in the Rickmansworth cluster final, finishing an impressive 2nd. Mr Ryan said "all the children involved showed great maturity and fantastic sportsmanship. I am very proud of them all."

Netball

The netball team played in a mini tournament at Maple Cross School on 13th October. We played 2 matches and unfortunately lost both.

Mrs Wright said "The team demonstrated fantastic sportsmanship and carried on playing with enthusiasm."

Great effort Chorleywood Primary - we look forward to hearing how our team gets on in the rest of their league games this term.



Football Reminder

Can we kindly ask you to remind your child that if he or she does want to bring a football in, it should be clearly named and **no bigger than a size 4.minder**

Dance Festival At Rickmansworth School

On Monday 7th November our Year 4 class will be taking part in a Dance Festival at Rickmansworth School. They have been working really hard with Mr Dwyer to perfect their dance routine and we wish them good luck on the night. We will let you know how they get on.



Gardening Club

Gardening Club has now finished for the season. Thank you very much to Mrs Davies and all the parents and carers who come along to work in the Gardens every week, come rain or shine.

The Club will restart the week after the February half term and children will need to reapply. Full details on when to do this will be sent out nearer the time.



School Meals

The kitchen is now no longer serving the cold menu. Jacket potatoes with a selection of fillings will continue to be offered on a daily basis in addition to the hot meat and vegetarian options.

Caterlink, our catering providers at school, have put together a parent survey on Survey Monkey. Please find below the link. We would really appreciate you taking time to complete this - it will be live until 31 December at which time Caterlink will collate the responses and use them to improve their services.

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/NVZ55MF>

Poppy Appeal

This November we will be selling poppies to raise money for the Royal British Legion, remembering the fallen Service men and women killed in conflict.

From Monday 7th November, Year 6 children will go round to each class, selling poppies all week. They will also be at the gates at 3.15pm.



Anti-Bullying Week - 14th - 18th November

We are supporting Anti-Bullying week by asking all children to **wear blue** on Monday 14th November. This year's theme is "Power for Good".

We are aware that bullying can happen anywhere. We strongly believe that every child at Chorleywood Primary School has the right to feel safe. Anti-Bullying week reinforces our Anti-Bullying policy. For more information on this and all our policies, please visit the website at:

http://www.chorleywood.herts.sch.uk/our_school/policies.html

Book Fair

The Book Fair was held from Monday 10th October to Friday 14th October and was a huge success once again; the dining area was very busy with keen children and their parents! Hopefully the children will enjoy (and learn) from the books which were purchased, whilst raising £160 in free books for our school! Thank you to everyone who supported the Fair.

School Photographs

Van Cols photographers visited the school on the morning of Wednesday 5th October to take pictures of the children. If you have made a purchase, the photographs will be with you before the end of the month.



Maths/Phonics and Reading Parent Workshops

Thank you to all those who attended the maths workshop on Wednesday 19th October and the phonics and reading workshop on Tuesday 1st November. The feedback was very positive.

For those who missed it, the full presentations are available on our website. Click on the learning tab at the top of the homepage, then choose curriculum. The presentations are at the bottom of the page.

Alternatively, they can be accessed by following this link:

<http://www.chorleywood.herts.sch.uk/learning/curriculum.html>

Parking In Ryman Court

We have once again been contacted by Ryman Court residents and Herts Police due to parents and carers continuing to park in residents parking bays and blocking entrances at drop off and pick up times. Please may we remind you that this is **private parking** and we ask that you do not park there or block the service road. There is parking available at The Stag Pub.

Important Reminders

7 th - 11 th November:	Poppy Appeal:
8 th and 9 th November:	Parents' Evening
9 th November:	Prospective Parents Show Around
14 th - 18 th November:	Anti Bullying Week: Pupils to dress in blue on the Monday
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17 th November:	KS2 Parents Reading Workshop
17 th November	RSPB visiting Year 5 & 6 children
23 rd November:	Curriculum Evening
25 th November:	PTA - Bring a bottle for the Tombola - Wear PJ/Onesie:
26 th November:	PTA Christmas Market
3 rd December:	PTA Parent Christmas Disco



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 2016/2017.



October 2016		
	Content Award	Presentation Award (neatness/handwriting)
Nursery	Mia G	Amelie B
Reception	Zachary M-A	Marisa M
Year 1	Larry E	Aurora W-P
Year 2	Oliver F	Leo F
Year 3	Olivia A	Nina P
Year 4	Rhys G-J	Tiya T
Year 5	Tawana M	Shay M
Year 6	Emily P	Lily M

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: 07/10/2015	Rec - Oliver R, Giulia F, Ben M Yr 1 - Olivia C, Kaiden B, Jake S Yr 2 - Sammy L, Neve T, Lauren K Yr 3 - Jamie S, Mohit B, Kalen G Yr 4 - Scarlett C, Tobias P, Kasey T Yr 5 - Sofie L, Freddie R, Cael VDM Yr 6 - Connie O'M, Charlie C, Jasmine P Lunchtime: Inf - Elliot A (Y1) Jnr - Amelia H (Y4)	w/e: 14/10/2015	Rec - Yr 1 - Rachael S, Martha O, Ava W Yr 2 - Luke N, Tommy F, Neal M Yr 3 - William R, Ajla T, Will F Yr 4 - Harry J, Nathan T, Maya M Yr 5 - Freddie R, Ashley T, Sofie L Yr 6 - Remi-Anne R, Shay P, Leoni W Lunchtime: Inf - Jamie D (Y2) Jnr - Isabella F (Y5)
w/e: 21/10/2015	Rec - Joel R, Eisa H, Maisie F Yr 1 - Aurora P, Larry E, Khyati S Yr 2 - Sienna R, Jenson C-S, James B Yr 3 - Jayden M, Stanley F, Zach R Yr 4 - Ben W, Sophia K, Zach R Yr 5 - Yr 6 - Amelie M, Ella G, Joel B Lunchtime: Inf - Ben M - (R) Jnr - Orion M - (Y5)	w/e: 28/10/2015	<h1>Half Term</h1>



Wednesdays @ JK Clubhouse | 6:45-7.45pm | 7-11Yr olds
games : art : crafts : drama : bible stories

friendship and fun!



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