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## CHARFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWS LETTER

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Newsletter 09  
5<sup>th</sup> November 2009

Collective Worship Theme for Week:- Getting On & Falling Out  
Next Celebration Assembly:- Inside Achievements

**TOTAL FOR THIS YEAR IN LEAP**  
(Leadership, Enjoyment, Achievement, Participation)

	Bronze	Silver	Gold
This Wk	7	2	
Total	11	2	

### STAFF NEWS

## FIREWORKS TONIGHT - SEE YOU THERE!

### WELCOME BACK!

I hope you all had a restful break and enjoyed the week. The nights are drawing in and the weather is certainly changing (central heating being a must now!) With the changing weather please remember to ensure your child comes to school with a coat everyday. If your child is one of our many 'Walk to School' children it is advisable for them to have something bright or reflective on them for their journeys to and from school.

### NUMERACY EVENING THURSDAY 26<sup>TH</sup> NOV - 6:00PM

Have you ever wondered how we teach addition, subtraction, multiplication and division in school? Has your child said 'That's not how we do it in school!' to you?

Do you want to help develop your child's confidence in maths?

Do you want to brush up on your own knowledge of math rules?

If the answer is yes to any of these then our Numeracy Evening on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> November will be for you.

We will be demonstrating how we teach the four rules to our children from the beginning right up to Year 6. Come along and see how we do it and have a go yourself!

### MENU ALTERATIONS

Week 1 - Wednesday chicken not lamb curry

Week 1 and 3 - Thursday there will be chicken as well as beef.

Week 3 - Monday sausage casserole without tomatoes

### ORCHESTRA!!

We need more musicians! Please come along (after you have filled in a permission form from the office) and join in with the music making fun. All standards welcome (beginners need to see Mrs Windram first) as Mr Loveridge can write music for whatever you can play!

Hope to see more of you at the rehearsal next Wednesday.

### PUFFIN BOOKS

Apologies but the date for return of orders should be 19<sup>th</sup> November NOT 19<sup>th</sup> December!

### BOOK FAIR - NOW IN SCHOOL!

We will be running a book fair in school from the 5<sup>th</sup> - 11<sup>th</sup> November. There are a range of books to suit all tastes! The school gets great commission from all sales so please come and buy!

### SHOEBOXES FOR THE GAMBIA

Next week is the last week for shoeboxes. We need to have them ready for

THURSDAY NOVEMBER 12<sup>th</sup>.

### AMAZING FACT FINDERS

I have been really proud of the effort and research shown by the Charfield Fact Finders recently. I have learned many new things for instance did you know that a woodlouse isn't an insect? It is from the same family as Crabs & Lobsters!

Two of our Year 6's are creating a web page for our school site that will be loaded with facts. I'm looking forward to seeing it!

### ANTI BULLYING WEEK

This term we will be taken part in Anti Bullying Week. We will be looking at different forms of bullying and

ways that people can deal with situations. The national theme this year has a focus on Cyber Bullying. During the week we hope to send out some information to parents to help prevent and identify this newer form of bullying.

#### MUFTI DAY

This will be on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> November. Friends are asking for parents to send in a bottle of wine for the wine and water stall at the Christmas Fair. Thank you

#### FRIENDS

We are sending out a plea for someone with a large van who would be able to help transport the Christmas Trees for the sale on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> December. Please contact a member of the friends or leave your details with the school office. Thank you

#### THIS WEEKS LETTERS

Class(es)	Title	Response Required

#### DIARY DATES - NEXT WEEK

Parents Evening	Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> November 5:00pm – 8:00pm
Parents Evening	Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> November 3:30pm – 6:00pm
Class 8 – Year 6 Open Class Session	Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> November 3:00pm – 3:45pm

#### DIARY DATES - FUTURE WEEKS

Class 4 – Year 2 Open Class Session	Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> November 3:00pm – 3:45pm
Numeracy Evening	Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> November 6:00pm
District Cross Country at KLB	Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup> November
Class 5 – Year 3 Open Class Session	Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> November 3:00pm – 3:45pm
Governor / Parent Consultation & Full Gov Meeting	Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> December 5.30 pm and 6.30 p.m.
Friends Christmas Fair and Christmas Tree sale	Saturday 12 <sup>th</sup> December 11:00 am – 2:00 pm
Class 7 – Year 5 Open Class Session	Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup> December 3:00pm – 3:45pm
District Cross Country at KLB	Saturday 12 <sup>th</sup> December
Infant Christmas Performance	Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> December 9:30am
Infant Christmas Performance	Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> December 9:30am

Junior Christmas Performance	Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> December 1:45pm
Christmas Lunch	Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup> December
Children's Christmas Parties	Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> December
Junior Christmas Performance	Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup> December 7:00pm
Term 2 Ends	Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> December
Term 3 Starts	Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> January
Class 1 - Reception Open Class Session	Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> January 3:00pm – 3:45pm
District Cross Country at KLB	Saturday 23 <sup>rd</sup> January
Governor / Parent Consultation & Full Gov Meeting	Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> February 6.30 pm
Class 3 – Year 1 Mrs Holmes Open Class Session	Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> February 3:00pm – 3:45pm
Class 2 – Year 1 Miss Dennis Open Class Session	Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> February 3:00pm – 3:45pm
Parent Consultation Group Meeting	Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> February 6:30pm – 7:30pm
Term 3 Ends	Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> February
I NSET 3	Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> February
Term 4 Starts	Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> February
Term 4 Ends	Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup> April
Term 5 Starts	Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> April
Governor / Parent Consultation & Full Gov Meeting	Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup> May 6.30 pm
Term 5 Ends	Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> May
Term 6 Starts	Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> June
I NSET 4	Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> June
Governor / Parent Consultation & Full Gov Meeting	Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> July 6.30 pm
I NSET 5	Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July
Term 6 Ends	Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July