



# CHARFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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11<sup>th</sup> December 2015



## Charfield Festive Fun



Wow!

### What a fantastic Saturday we enjoyed in Charfield

Firstly the Friends once again delivered a fantastic Christmas Fair. The school was full of people all enjoying the festivities. In total the Friends Christmas Fair raised £990.



Meanwhile at the Memorial Hall car park the Friends were also busy selling Christmas trees. The trees were fantastic this year (mine looks amazing!). The hard work and early start resulted in over £700 being raised. All of us at the school would like to say a HUGE thank-you to our fabulous Friends for their dedication and time to help our school



Thank you all for coming and for digging so deep. Every penny helps our school provide fantastic experiences and resources for our children.

A Big thank you to Mr & Mrs Bingham for their kind donation of £250 to the school. They kindly offered to donate a percentage of the company earnings from November. Thank you Mr & Mrs Bingham and Bing-Go Private Hire!



### CRACKING CHRISTMAS LUNCH!



Thursday's Christmas lunch was Turkey-tastic! The hall was filled with the mouth-watering aroma of Christmas Dinner, the happy sound of Christmas Carols and all around there were many, many smiling faces.



Children from the juniors sang their hearts out to entertain their friends while they ate (Charfield Friends – they made good use of the microphones and stage!)

A HUGE thank you to:

- Tracy & Pat for putting on such a fantastic meal!
- The Friends for buying EVERY child a cracker
- All Staff for helping serve and clean in the hall



### LEARNING AT CHARFIELD

#### Butterfly Class (Y1)



Year 1 have been learning all about The Christmas Story, in preparation for their performance and Christmas Day!



### CHRISTMAS TICKETS

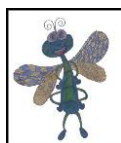


You should by now all have received tickets for the performance of your choice. If this is not the case, please call into the school office ASAP.

There are a small number of tickets still available for both KS1 and KS2 performances at 9.30 am, if you are interested, again, please call into the school office.

### MR LAWDAY'S CLASS OF THE WEEK

The 'Class of The Week' trophy goes to **Dragonfly** Class. The class showed great courage on Thursday by starting the Christmas Carol singing during Lunch. Their enthusiasm inspired lots of children to get involved too. Well Done!



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# CLUBS

## No clubs next week



### EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Spring Term clubs will start on 11th January and the range on offer can be found below.

The electronic form to register for a club can be found on our school website or by clicking [here](#).

The clubs that are available this term are:

Club	For	Led by	When & End Time	Where
Cross Country	Y2-6	Miss Thorne	Mon 4:10	Field
TAG Rugby	Y3-6	Mr Lawday	Tues Lunchtime	Field
Tennis	All	Elaine Weightman	Tues 4:05	Playground
Football	Y3-6	Mr Galsworthy	Mon 4:10	Field
Outdoor Learning (inc gardening)	Y1-2	Miss East Mrs Tyler	Thurs 4.10	Garden
ICT	EYFS KS1	Mrs Miller	Mon 4.10	ICT Suite
Mathletics	All	Mrs Britton	Weds 4:10	ICT Suite / Library
Netball	Y5-6	Mrs Westwood	Thurs 4:10	Playground
Art Club	YR-2	Miss Lea	Wed 4:10	Ladybird Class
Multi-Skills Games	YR-Y2	Miss O'Sullivan	Thurs 4:10	Playground
Fizz-Pop Science	All	Fizz-Pop Science	Wed 4:20	Grasshopper Class

### CHARFIELD AFTER SCHOOL MINI TENNIS CLUB

Dates: TUESDAYS 12/1 19/1 26/1 & 2/2 Cost for 4 week club £12.40

BY cash or BACS payment to bank account: *on request*

Reference: Your Surname, Char (please send an email & when transfer to the account was made for BACS pyts)

TO RESERVE A PLACE:

Please return the slip below in a sealed envelope to the school secretary by **TUESDAY JANUARY 5TH** in order to assist with administration MARKED F.a.o.E Weightman Tennis **AND ADVISE Elaine direct by email/text/Phone.**

If you are unable to get along to the school club please enquire about activities taking place throughout the year & HOLIDAYS in your local area FOR ALL AGES.

On 01454 315023 / 07725165181 or email [elaineweightman@btinternet.com](mailto:elaineweightman@btinternet.com) LTA Coach

-----Detach & Return to office or email Elaine -----

Name .....ADDRESS.....

.....D.O.B/ Year Group .....

Email .....

Mob/home tel .....Fee enclosed/cash/bank pyt.

£..... TUES CHAR

(Please inform if any medical issues we need to be aware of.)

### CHARFIELD COMMUNITY NOTICES



On behalf of CJFC

## NEW YEARS EVE PARTY 2016

Join us for a disco, tasty buffet, late bar, kids bar, Sweets, prizes and so much more!

CHARFIELD MEMORIAL HALL  
Thurs 31st Dec 7pm-1am  
Limited tickets & selling FAST.....

Adults £12  
Kids £6.00

Tickets on sale at Steve's Shop & Charfield Garage, or call Lori 07816348670

Fancy dress optional, prizes for the best dressed!

### Charfield Memorial Hall - Friday 18th December 2015 at 7.00 pm



**Journey of the Magi** is a sparkling production of dance, theatre, song and poetry to be enjoyed by children and adults alike. Entertaining, powerful and compelling, **Journey of the Magi** is back - as festive, witty and poignant as ever.

Inspired by T.S. Eliot's poem, **Journey of the Magi**, the performance helps audiences reflect on not only the famous journey the wise men made following the star to Jesus, but also the 'journey' each of us makes every year in preparing for Christmas Day. It is both serious and entertaining, using favourite Christmas tunes such as *Merry Christmas Everybody*. There is something in it for everyone, being fun, but also provoking consideration for change.

**TICKETS**  
£10.00 adults, £5.00 children (16 and under) from: Steve's Shop, Charfield Garage, Railway Tavern, The Rectory, Rosemary Berry (07717142072) Sue Thorn ([suejthorn@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:suejthorn@yahoo.co.uk)) Helen & Peter Hill (07717142072)

### LOOKING FOR ADVICE ABOUT KEEPING YOUR CHILD SAFE ONLINE?

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### Dates 15-16

DATE	DAY	START TIME	END TIME	EVENT
15/12/15	Tuesday	9:30 AM	10:30 AM	KS1 Nativity 1
15/12/15	Tuesday	4:00 PM	5:00 PM	KS1 Nativity 2
18/12/15	Friday	2:30 PM	3:10 PM	KS2 - Carol Service
18/12/15	Friday			Term 2 Ends
04/01/16	Monday			Term 3 Begins
18/01/16	Monday	12:00 PM	1:15 PM	Reception - Parent Lunch
18/01/16	Monday	11:45 AM	12:00 PM	Open Class - Caterpillars (EYFS)
25/01/16	Monday	1:30 PM	3:00 PM	Y6 Block

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				Swimming Session Starts
29/01/16	Friday	1:30 PM	3:00 PM	Y6 Block Swimming Session Ends
01/02/16	Monday	12:20 PM	1:15 PM	YEAR 4 – Parent Lunch
01/02/16	Monday	12:00 PM	12:20 PM	Open Class - Ladybirds (Y4)
04/02/16	Thursday			Open Class - Dragonflies (Y5)
05/02/16	Friday			INSET Day 2
05/02/16	Friday			Term 3 Ends
15/02/16	Monday			Term 4 Begins
19/02/16	Friday			Mid Year Reports
22/02/16	Monday	5:30 PM	8:00 PM	Parents Evening 2 Late
24/02/16	Wednesday	3:30 PM	5:30 PM	Parents Evening 2 Early
03/03/16	Thursday	9:00 AM	2:30 PM	Y6 Life-skills
07/03/16	Monday	12:20 PM	1:15 PM	YEAR 5 – Parent Lunch
07/03/16	Monday	12:00 PM	12:20 PM	Open Class - Dragonflies (Y5)
17/03/16	Thursday	2:00 PM	3:00 PM	Year 3 Swimming Ends
21/03/16	Monday			FOCUS WEEK 2
23/03/16	Wednesday	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Butterflies (Y1)
24/03/16	Thursday			Term 4 Ends
11/04/16	Monday			INSET Day 3
11/04/16	Monday			Term 5 Begins
14/04/16	Thursday	2:00 PM	3:00 PM	Year 1 Swimming Starts
21/04/16	Thursday	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Beetles (Y3)
09/05/16	Monday			Year 6 SAT Week
18/05/16	Wednesday	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Caterpillars (EYFS)
25/05/16	Wednesday	9:30 AM	12:00 PM	Infant Sports Day
25/05/16	Wednesday	12:00 PM	1:00 PM	Sports Day Picnic
25/05/16	Wednesday	1:30 PM	3:00 AM	Junior Sports Day
26/05/16	Thursday	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Ladybirds (Y4)
27/05/16	Friday			Term 5 Ends
06/06/16	Monday			INSET Day 4
07/06/16	Tuesday			Term 6 Begins
08/06/16	Wednesday			Reserve Sports Day
09/06/16	Thursday	12:00 PM	12:20 PM	Open Class - Bumblebees (Y6)
09/06/16	Thursday	12:20 PM	1:15 PM	YEAR 6 – Parent Lunch
16/06/16	Thursday	6:00 PM	7:00 PM	New Reception Parents Evening
27/06/16	Monday			FOCUS WEEK 3
30/06/16	Thursday	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Grasshoppers (Y2)
06/07/16	Wednesday	7:00 PM	8:00 PM	Music Evening

07/07/16	Thursday	2:00 PM	3:00 PM	Year 1 Swimming Ends
08/07/16	Friday			Reports to Parents
20/07/16	Wednesday	7:00 PM	8:30 PM	Leavers Play
22/07/16	Friday			Term 6 Ends
22/07/16	Friday			INSET Day 5



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