



CHARFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Working together....
Learning for life

Newsletter 18
22nd January 2016



CROSS COUNTRY TEAM



Last Saturday (16th January) the biggest ever Charfield Cross Country competed on the icy playing fields of KLB. The team did fantastically, they all ran much stronger races and did very well improving on their previous finishing positions. I was very proud of them all; they are great ambassadors for the school.

Thank you to every parent who came along to support! I look forward to seeing you at the next race on Saturday 6th February

MR LAWDAY'S CLASS OF THE WEEK



This week Bumblebees experienced a practice SAT week. The class showed great maturity and resilience through the tests. Well Done!



SPARE CLOTHING

THANK YOU FOR YOUR DONATIONS LAST WEEK

If your child has borrowed spare clothing (particularly pants, socks and tights), please can you ensure they are returned to school (stocks are running low!)

If you have any unwanted clothing at home that your child has outgrown, we would very much appreciate any donations (particularly girls underwear, socks and tights.)

Thank You! -- Mrs Miller



LEARNING AT CHARFIELD

Grasshopper Class
(Y2)



The topic for Grasshoppers this term is based on the book by Julia Donaldson called 'The Singing Mermaid'. At the beginning of the term we found out as much as we could about Julia Donaldson and wrote a biography about her. Here is what Evie wrote:

Biography of Julia Donaldson

Julia Donaldson was born in 1948 in London, She went to Bristol university but now she lives in Glasgow.

As a child Julia loved writing stories and plays. Her favourite book is Watership Down by Richard Adams.

Her most treasured possession is all her old diaries.

Julia has written over 100 books!

So now you know about Julia Donaldson!

WANTED

JOB VACANCY – SCHOOL KITCHEN

General Kitchen Assistant
11.25 hours per week
Term Time Only
£7.83 per hour.
Contact: Jill Gill - 07887058525



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DISCO

The Friends are holding a School Disco on Friday 4th March 2016 and will be split into two sessions.

Years Reception 1 & 2 **5.15pm – 6.15pm**

Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 **6.30pm – 8.00pm**

£2.00 per child.

LOOKING FOR ADVICE ABOUT KEEPING YOUR CHILD SAFE ONLINE?

NSPCC

EVERY CHILDHOOD IS WORTH FIGHTING FOR



CHARFIELD COMMUNITY NOTICES



NEW - Children's Club at Charfield Chapel.

Starting on Thursday 21st January 6-7pm.

Every Thursday evening through term time.

This is for 4-11 year olds (primary school age).

Games, craft activities, DVD's on Bible stories, quizzes and a squash and biscuit.

If you require further information please contact:

Rev Ray Avent on 01453 844178 or

April Palmer, aprilbarry1@hotmail.co.uk



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| 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 |
| 12/04/16 | Tuesday | | | 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 |
| 21/07/16 | Thursday | | | Term 6 Ends |
| 22/07/16 | Friday | | | INSET Day 5 |

Dates 15-16

| DATE | DAY | START TIME | END TIME | EVENT |
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| 25/01/16 | Monday | 1:30 PM | 3:00 PM | Y6 Block 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) |
| 04/02/16 | Thursday | | | Term 3 ends |
| 05/02/16 | Friday | | | INSET DAY 2 |
| 15/02/16 | Monday | | | Term 4 Begins |
| 19/02/16 | Friday | | | Mid Year Reports |



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