



# CHARFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Learning for life

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## EURO FUN



Congratulations Martine & Fearné Davis who, for the second week running, were the first to spot 12 hidden footballs in last week's Newsletter.

How many are hidden this week?  
The first person to email ([admin@charfieldschool.org.uk](mailto:admin@charfieldschool.org.uk)) with the correct number of hidden balls will earn an additional 10 points for the team of their choice! Good Luck!



## A Message from The Friends

### Looking for Name Labels?

The Friends are excited to announce that we have teamed up with "Label Planet" to offer parents the opportunity to purchase quality labels for your children's school uniform, whilst earning commission for our school at the same time!

 **STIKINS® TRONS®**

### Easy to Use ...

These one-size, multipurpose labels are really easy to use – **no sewing or ironing** – just stick them to the wash-care label of your child's clothes.

They are washing machine, tumble-dryer, dishwasher and even microwave-proof!

Use them on all of your child's school property, including **coats, clothing, lunch boxes, water bottles, shoes, bags, PE kits, glasses' cases, trainers, musical instruments, pencil cases, snack pots ...** and many more!

Literally hundreds of pounds' worth of un-claimed, un-named clothing gets lost, and muddled up, every term. Naming your child's clothing can really save you time, and money!

### Quoting "4029" will Earn Us Cash!


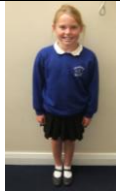
Simply quote our School's unique code **4029** when you place your order, and you will earn **20% commission** for our School funds.

You can order online ([www.name-labels.com](http://www.name-labels.com)), on the phone (01270 668076) or by using the order form on the leaflet that will be coming home with your child in the next few days.

## SCHOOL UNIFORM

We know that parents are starting to think about buying new uniform shortly. Below is guidance for Charfield uniform.


Wearing the correct uniform gives our children a sense of pride and identity with our school and prepares them for the requirements of appropriate dress in their future schools and workplaces.

Boys	Girls
	
White shirt / polo shirt Grey / Black trousers <b>School Sweatshirt</b>	White blouse / polo shirt Grey / Black skirt or trousers Grey / Black tights <b>School sweatshirt</b>

All children are expected to wear **low-heeled black footwear**. Black trainers are permitted. Footwear that is **not** considered safe or appropriate for school includes backless, high heeled, plat-formed soles and ballet pumps

**PLEASE NOTE:- Brightly coloured laces and socks are not appropriate.**

**PE kit** - Boys and girls should wear plain shorts (black or charcoal) and white T shirts. PE in the hall is done with bare feet. If the lesson is taught outside, appropriate footwear will be necessary, such as trainers. In the colder weather black / charcoal tracksuits may be worn. Kit should be kept in school within a named bag throughout the term.



**DATES FOR NEXT  
YEAR AVAILABLE  
ON PAGE 3**

## CLASS OF THE WEEK



Class of the week goes to  
**Butterfly Class.**



The class are an absolute delight to work with. Watching them performing gymnastics as pirates yesterday made my week!





## LEARNING AT CHARFIELD



What an amazing week!



This week has been Sporty Science week with many PE and science activities taking place. We kicked the week off on Monday with all the children dressing up in the clothing of their favourite sport and children deciding on a scientific investigation to do about the human body. On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons, children from years 1-6 visited Yate Outdoor Sports Centre to use the facilities including the running track, high jump and long jump pit.

Mr Bones visited Key Stage 1 on Wednesday morning so the children could learn all about our skeleton and on Thursday morning the whole school was on the playground for a giant Zumba session.

Each class also had a chance throughout the week to try a different sport in PE with Mr Galsworthy. Reception played Hockey; Year 1 & 2 played Handball; Year 3 & 4 played American Football and Year 5 & 6 played Kabaddi. On top of all of this we even had volunteers from the church leading sessions with the children on positive thinking.

We would like to say a big thank you to all who have contributed to our focus week. Your commitment to helping out with activities like cooking and our trips to Yate Outdoor Sports Complex, despite the weather, has been fantastic and without you we simply couldn't have done it! A special mention must go to Mrs Witham for bringing in Mr Bones and Mrs Schofield for leading our Zumba session.



## BOOK FAIR!



The book fair arrives in school next Thursday, 7<sup>th</sup> July. Please come along, the school gets 100% commission as long as we raise over £300. This commission will then be used to increase the breadth of books available to the children in both the library and in the reading boxes.

Your support is greatly appreciated.

## YE PIRATE TREASURE HUNT



### AHOY SHIPMATES!

CAN YE SOLVE THE CLUES THAT WILL LEAD YE TO THE TREASURE CHEST? COME ALONG DRESSED AS PIRATES 'ME HEARTIES (THE BEST ONES WILL WIN A PRIZE!) AND THEN YE CAN WALK, SCOOT OR CYCLE AROUND THE VILLAGE LOOKING FOR CLUES, DIGGING FOR DOUBLOONS AND EVEN PANNING FOR GOLD!

**SUNDAY 3rd JULY FROM 2.30 - 5.00**  
£1 per person/child

PICK UP YE OLDE TREASURE MAP FROM CHARFIELD MEMORIAL HALL FROM 2.30. REFRESHMENTS WILL BE AVAILABLE IN THE HALL WHEN YE FINISH WHILE WE WORK OUT WHO HAS WON THE CONTENTS OF THE TREASURE CHEST (SHIVER ME TIMBERS!)

For more information call 01454 261180  
(No knowledge of Charfield required)



### DON'T MISS THIS FUN DAY OUT

Event in aid of Charfield Memorial Hall, registered charity number 301482

## MENU UPDATE

There will be chocolate cupcakes on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> July, not chocolate fudge pudding as previously advertised.



				
DATE	DAY	START TIME	END TIME	EVENT
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
01/09/16	Thursday			Term 1 Starts
01/09/16	Thursday			INSET Day 1
02/09/16	Friday			INSET Day 2
21/10/16	Friday			Term 1 Ends
21/10/16	Friday			INSET Day 3
31/10/16	Monday			Term 2 Starts
16/12/16	Friday			Term 2 Ends
03/01/17	Tuesday			Term 3 Starts
10/02/17	Friday			Term 3 Ends
20/02/17	Monday			Term 4 Starts
20/02/17	Monday			INSET Day 4
07/04/17	Friday			Term 4 Ends
24/04/17	Monday			Term 5 Starts
26/05/17	Friday			Term 5 Ends
05/06/17	Monday			Term 6 Starts
21/07/17	Friday			Term 6 Ends
21/07/17	Friday			INSET Day 5

20/09/2016	Tuesday	12:00:00	13:15:00	YEAR 1 - Parent Lunch
29/09/2016	Thursday	14:00:00	15:30:00	YEAR 2 Swimming Starts
10/10/2016	Monday	N/A	N/A	FOCUS WEEK 1
18/10/2016	Tuesday	11:45:00	12:00:00	Open Class - Grasshoppers (Y2)
19/10/2016	Wednesday	12:00:00	13:15:00	YEAR 2 - Parent Lunch
21/10/2016	Friday	N/A	N/A	Term 1 Ends
21/10/2016	Friday	N/A	N/A	INSET Day 3
31/10/2016	Monday	N/A	N/A	Term 2 Begins
07/11/2016	Monday	N/A	N/A	Y6 Residential Trip Starts
11/11/2016	Friday	N/A	N/A	Y6 Residential Trip Ends
14/11/2016	Monday	17:30:00	20:00:00	Parents Evening 1 Late
16/11/2016	Wednesday	15:30:00	17:30:00	Parents Evening 1 Early
22/11/2016	Tuesday	12:00:00	12:20:00	Open Class - Beetles (Y3)
24/11/2016	Thursday	12:20:00	13:15:00	YEAR 3 - Parent Lunch
29/11/2016	Tuesday	17:30:00	18:30:00	Y5 Parents meeting 1 - Y6 Residential
01/12/2016	Thursday	15:20:00	15:45:00	Open Class - Bumblebees (Y6)
06/12/2016	Tuesday	11:30:00	13:30:00	Christmas Lunch - Staff
06/12/2016	Tuesday	09:30:00	10:30:00	KS1 Nativity 1
06/12/2016	Tuesday	16:00:00	17:00:00	KS1 Nativity 2
07/12/2016	Wednesday	11:30:00	13:30:00	Christmas Lunch - Children
08/12/2016	Thursday	14:00:00	15:30:00	YEAR 2 Swimmings Ends
15/12/2016	Thursday	14:00:00	15:00:00	Year 3 Swimming Starts
16/12/2016	Friday	14:30:00	15:10:00	KS2 - Carol Service
16/12/2016	Friday	N/A	N/A	Term 2 Ends

## Dates 2016-2017

DATE	DAY	START TIME	END TIME	EVENT
01/09/2016	Thursday	N/A	N/A	INSET Day 1
02/09/2016	Friday	N/A	N/A	INSET Day 2
05/09/2016	Monday	N/A	N/A	Term 1 Begins
07/09/2016	Wednesday	15:30:00	16:00:00	Meet the Teacher
20/09/2016	Tuesday	11:45:00	12:00:00	Open Class - Butterflies (Y1)

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03/01/2017	Tuesday	N/A	N/A	Term 3 Begins
17/01/2017	Tuesday	12:00:00	13:15:00	Reception - Parent Lunch
17/01/2017	Tuesday	11:45:00	12:00:00	Open Class - Caterpillars (EYFS)
31/01/2017	Tuesday	12:20:00	13:15:00	YEAR 4 - Parent Lunch
31/01/2017	Tuesday	12:00:00	12:20:00	Open Class - Ladybirds (Y4)
09/02/2017	Thursday	N/A	N/A	Open Class - Dragonflies (Y5)
10/02/2017	Friday	N/A	N/A	Term 3 Ends
20/02/2017	Monday	N/A	N/A	Term 4 Begins
20/02/2017	Monday	N/A	N/A	INSET Day 4
24/02/2017	Friday	N/A	N/A	Mid Year Reports
27/02/2017	Monday	17:30:00	20:00:00	Parents Evening 2 Late
01/03/2017	Wednesday	15:30:00	17:30:00	Parents Evening 2 Early
07/03/2017	Tuesday	12:00:00	12:20:00	Open Class - Dragonflies (Y5)
09/03/2017	Thursday	12:20:00	13:15:00	YEAR 5 - Parent Lunch
27/03/2017	Monday	N/A	N/A	FOCUS WEEK 2
30/03/2017	Thursday	14:00:00	15:00:00	Year 3 Swimming Ends
06/04/2017	Thursday	15:20:00	15:45:00	Open Class - Butterflies (Y1)
06/04/2017	Thursday	14:00:00	15:00:00	Year 1 Swimming Starts
07/04/2017	Friday	N/A	N/A	Term 4 Ends
24/04/2017	Monday	N/A	N/A	Term 5 Begins
04/05/2017	Thursday	15:20:00	15:45:00	Open Class - Beetles (Y3)
08/05/2017	Monday	N/A	N/A	Year 6 SAT Week
18/05/2017	Thursday	15:20:00	15:45:00	Open Class - Caterpillars (EYFS)
22/05/2017	Monday	13:30:00	15:20:00	Y6 Block Swimming Session Starts

24/05/2017	Wednesday	09:30:00	12:00:00	Infant Sports Day
24/05/2017	Wednesday	12:00:00	13:00:00	Sports Day Picnic
24/05/2017	Wednesday	13:30:00	03:00:00	Junior Sports Day
25/05/2017	Thursday	15:20:00	15:45:00	Open Class - Ladybirds (Y4)
26/05/2017	Friday	N/A	N/A	Term 5 Ends
26/05/2017	Friday	13:30:00	15:20:00	Y6 Block Swimming Session Ends
05/06/2017	Monday	N/A	N/A	Term 6 Begins
07/06/2017	Wednesday	N/A	N/A	Reserve Sports Day
13/06/2017	Tuesday	12:00:00	12:20:00	Open Class - Bumblebees (Y6)
14/06/2017	Wednesday	12:20:00	13:15:00	YEAR 6 - Parent Lunch
15/06/2017	Thursday	18:00:00	19:00:00	New Reception Parents Evening
03/07/2017	Monday	N/A	N/A	FOCUS WEEK 3
06/07/2017	Thursday	15:20:00	15:45:00	Open Class - Grasshoppers (Y2)
06/07/2017	Thursday	19:00:00	20:00:00	Music Evening
13/07/2017	Thursday	14:00:00	15:00:00	Year 1 Swimming Ends
14/07/2017	Friday	N/A	N/A	Reports to Parents
19/07/2017	Wednesday	19:00:00	20:30:00	Leavers Play
21/07/2017	Friday	N/A	N/A	Term 6 Ends
21/07/2017	Friday	N/A	N/A	INSET Day 5



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