



CHARFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWS LETTER

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Learning for life*

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MRS SUE FLEMING



It is saddening to inform you that following a long battle with cancer, Sue Fleming passed away last weekend. Sue was a dedicated Charfield teacher for over 15 years, always putting the welfare of our pupils above all else. Sue frequently went above and beyond her duties to ensure that pupils under her care were well supported. She will be sorely missed.

As a tribute to Sue the school staff are making a donation to Cancer Research. If you would like to be a part of the tribute you are most welcome.

CHRISTMAS FAIR & CHRISTMAS TREE SALE SATURDAY 14TH DECEMBER 11am-2pm

The Friends of Charfield School will be holding their Christmas fair at the School and Christmas Tree sale at the Memorial Hall on Saturday the 14th December. Please come along, have fun and support the school. There will be lots of goodies and plenty to keep you occupied.



For all you entrepreneurs out there stall space is still available for the fair. Please contact Steph Ward on 07867 520905 to book a stall. Helpers for the day are always welcome, if you can give some time to help out please contact Rhian Witham on 07791 087524.



If you feel you have some time to bake a cake for the fair, there will be plates sent out with the children next week. Your help in supplying a cake or other treats for the day would be very welcome. We look forward to seeing you on the 14th.

PLEASE NOTE - THE OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED FROM 1 PM ON FRIDAY AS SCHOOL STAFF WILL BE ATTENDING THE FUNERAL

PARENTS EVENINGS



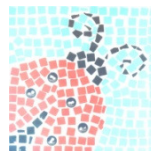
If you missed Parents Evening last week please speak to your child's teacher to arrange an alternative appointment.

MUFTI DAY



Thank you for your support today with MUFTI day. Your donations will help fuel the wine and water stall at our Christmas Fair on Saturday 14th December

LEARNING AT CHARFIELD



Ladybird Class have continued investigation into the religion of Sikhism by looking at stories from other cultures. After looking at the story of "Duni Chand and the needle of heaven" the children wrote their own version using their own characters and settings.

This is the beginning of a story written by Adam M

Once there was man named guru Nanak. He was a travelling teacher heading to a village called Lahore. In Lahore there lived a rich banker named Jasbir Singh. Although he has loads of money, he never ever would share it. His palace is beautifully decorated with gems, Rubies, diamonds and pearls put together. As well as having a colourful palace, his hair and clothes are amazing as well. The garden has a rich fabulous fountain with rainbow coloured water coming out of it. He was very proud of his appearance as he wore turbies and turbans made from the finest fabric in the land.

When Jasbir learnt that the guru was visiting he quickly sent an invite to him. He accepted it happily. That night Guru Nanak came and he was for a shock



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ST JOHNS CHURCH- SUNDAY 1st DECEMBER

At the start of Advent, everyone is invited to the Charfield Christingle Service at 4.00pm.

Watch out for leaflets in book bags!

CHARFIELD MEMORIAL HALL



The puppet show *Nobody rides the unicorn* is coming to Charfield Memorial Hall on Saturday 7th December starting at 2.30. Tickets are £8

adults, £6 OAP's and £5 for children over 4 from Steve's shop or ring 01454 261180. It will be a magical show.

SCHOOL COMMUNICATION THIS WEEK

Class(es)	Title	Response Required
EYFS and Key Stage One	The Nativity	Yes

Dates 2013-2014

DATE	DAY	START TIME	END TIME	EVENT
02/12/2013	Mon	9:30 AM	10:30 AM	Open School Tour
02/12/2013	Mon	1:30 PM	2:30 PM	Open School Tour
04/12/2013	Wed	9:30 AM	10:30 AM	Open School Tour
04/12/2013	Wed	1:30 PM	2:30 PM	Open School Tour
04/12/2013	Wed	5:30 PM	6:30 PM	Residential 2014 Meeting 1 (Y5 Parents)
05/12/2013	Thur	2:00 PM	3:30 PM	YEAR 2 Swimming Ends
12/12/2013	Thur	11:30 AM	1:30 PM	Christmas Lunch
17/12/2013	Tue	9:30 AM	10:30 AM	KS1 Nativity 1
17/12/2013	Tue	4:00 PM	5:00 PM	KS1 Nativity 2
20/12/2013	Fri	2:30 PM	3:10 PM	KS2 - Carol Service
20/12/2013	Fri			Term 2 Ends
06/01/2014	Mon			Term 3 Begins
09/01/2014	Thur	2:00 PM	3:00 PM	Year 3 Swimming Starts
16/01/2014	Thur	12:00 PM	1:15 PM	Reception - Parent Lunch
30/01/2014	Thur	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Caterpillars (EYFS)
06/02/2014	Thur	12:20 PM	1:15 PM	YEAR 4 – Parent Lunch
06/02/2014	Thur	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Grasshoppers (Y2)
14/02/2014	Fri			Term 3 Ends

24/02/2014	Mon			Term 4 Begins
28/02/2014	Fri			Mid Year Reports
03/03/2014	Mon	5:30 PM	8:00 PM	Parents Evening 2 Late
05/03/2014	Wed	3:30 PM	5:30 PM	Parents Evening 2 Early
13/03/2014	Thur	12:20 PM	1:15 PM	YEAR 5 – Parent Lunch
17/03/2014	Mon	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Butterflies (Y1)
18/03/2014	Tue	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Bumblebees (Y6)
18/03/2014	Tue	9:00 AM	2:30 PM	Y6 Life-skills
19/03/2014	Wed	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Ladybirds (Y4)
20/03/2014	Thur	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Beetles (Y3)
21/03/2014	Fri	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Dragonflies (Y5)
03/04/2014	Thur	2:00 PM	3:00 PM	Year 3 Swimming Ends
03/04/2014	Thur			Term 4 Ends
04/04/2014	Fri			INSET Day 3
22/04/2014	Tue			Term 5 Begins
24/04/2014	Thur	2:00 PM	3:00 PM	Year 1 Swimming Starts
16/05/2014	Fri	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Dragonflies (Y5)
19/05/2014	Mon	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Butterflies (Y1)
21/05/2014	Wed	9:30 AM	12:00 PM	Infant Sports Day
21/05/2014	Wed	12:00 PM	1:00 PM	Sports Day Picnic
21/05/2014	Wed	1:30 PM	3:00 AM	Junior Sports Day
22/05/2014	Thur	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Beetles (Y3)
23/05/2014	Fri			Term 5 Ends
23/05/2014	Fri	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Ladybirds (Y4)
02/06/2014	Mon			Term 6 Begins
04/06/2014	Wed	12:00 AM	12:00 AM	Reserve Sports Day
10/06/2014	Tue	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Caterpillars (EYFS)
12/06/2014	Thur	12:20 PM	1:15 PM	YEAR 6 – Parent Lunch
12/06/2014	Thur	6:00 PM	7:00 PM	New Reception Parents Evening
17/06/2014	Tue	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Grasshoppers (Y2)
03/07/2014	Thur	2:00 PM	3:00 PM	Year 1 Swimming Ends
07/07/2014	Mon	7:00 PM	8:00 PM	Music Evening
14/07/2014	Mon	7:00 PM	8:30 PM	Leavers Play 2011
18/07/2014	Fri			Term 6 Ends
21/07/2014	Mon			INSET Day 4
22/07/2014	Tue			INSET Day 5



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