



CHARFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWS LETTER

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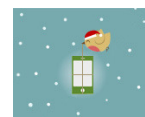
**Working together....
Learning for life**

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HAVE YOURSELF A MERRY TECHY CHRISTMAS!

Thinking of asking Santa for a Christmas gadget?



E-Safety Advice from the South West Grid for Learning is available at

<http://www.swgfl.org.uk/News/News/E-Safety/Have-Yourself-a-Merry-Techy-Christmas> (or click the pic!)

LEARNING AT CHARFIELD

Ladybirds Class (Y4)



The children in year 4 have done so much beautiful art this term and are turning into little artists!

For our Sikh topic, we made clay Diya's pots which are lit during the Sikh festival of light, Diwali. They look beautiful!



THANK YOU FRIENDS!!!



Once again the Friends delivered a fantastic school event last Saturday. All of us at the school would like to say a HUGE thank-you to our fabulous Friends for organising the event

We would like to thank everyone for their support during the Christmas Fair and Tree Sale last weekend. In total we raised well over £1,600 on the day which is a fantastic result - thank you for digging so deep, we hope you all enjoyed yourselves.

MR LAWDAY'S CLASS OF THE WEEK



'Class of The Week' Trophy goes to **Butterfly Class**

The class have thrown themselves into the Christmas Spirit with brilliant resilience, learning the words and songs for the Nativity. I really am looking forward to seeing the show!

CROSS-COUNTRY MARVELS!

Mrs Southwell and Miss Thorne were proud to accompany the Cross Country team to the third out of four races at KLB on Saturday 6th December. We were delighted to see so many of the team there- especially those who took a break from a sleepover to join us! It was FREEZING but the children rose to the challenge and completed the race in fine style. Caitlin, Lauren and Megan all finished in the first 25 in their races and earned points for the school's total. Well done to Lauren, Caitlin, Bethan, Olie, Michael, Tommy, Drew, Megan, Izzy, Amy and Jamie. We are so proud of you.



SMSA REQUIRED – START ASAP

We will require an SMSA (School Meals Supervisory Assistant) to work with our children during lunchtimes on Monday 1 extra SMSA, Tuesday 1 extra SMSA, Thursdays 2 SMSAs and Fridays 1 SMSA. If you are interested in any or all of these days and to find out more details about the posts please contact the school office.



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CLUBS – SPRING TERM



There will be no clubs taking place during the first week back after Christmas unless you are informed otherwise by the club organiser.

Clubs for Spring Term will be:

Permission slips can be obtained on our [school website](#)

Club	For	Led by	When & End Time	Where	Paid/Free
Cross Country	Y2-6	Mrs Southwell & Miss Thorne	Mon – 4:10	Field	Free
TAG Rugby	Y5&6	Mr Lawday	Tues Lunchtime	Field	Free
Tennis	All	Elaine Weightman	Tues - 4:05	Playground	Paid
Football	Y5&6	Gary Davis & Mr Galsworthy	Mon – 4:10	Field	Free
Art	Y3-6	Miss East	Mon -4.10	Field	Free
Multisports	All	Barry – Smart sports	Fri-4	Playground	Paid
Cookery	KS1	Mrs Tyler	Mon – 4:10 *TERM 4*	Cookery Rm	Free
ICT	EYFS & KS1	Mrs Miller	Tues – 4.10	ICT Suite	Free
Mathletics	All	Mrs Britton	Weds –4:10	ICT Suite / Library	Free
Orchestra	Instrument players	Mr Loveridge	Wed 3.50	Hall	Free
Tag Rugby	Y5&6	Future stars	Thurs 4.20	Field/Hall	Paid
Gymnastics	Y3&4	Future stars	Thurs 4.20	Field/hall	Paid



CHARFIELD COMMUNITY NOTICES



Charfield Change4Good

A small village making a big difference

Led by St John's Church, Charfield Primary School & Charfield Congregational Chapel

Supporting the DEC Syria Crisis Appeal September-December 2014

Charfield Change4Good is an initiative aimed at bringing everyone in the village together as a community to support a wider cause, which may be local, national or international. Families just like ours in Syria have been displaced from their homes, children are suffering because of breakdown of health systems. It's a disaster for real, ordinary people. About 10 million Syrians are homeless - almost the population of Greater London. We can't help the political situation, but we can make a difference to their lives.

What can you do?

- Donate
- Hold a fundraising activity
- Talk to family, friends, schoolfriends & workmates, use FB etc, to ask them to donate and spread the word
- Pray for the people of Syria as often as you can

www.justgiving.com/Charfield-Change4Good

Please support us and ask all your friends to support us too!

Dates 2014-2015

DATE	DAY	START TIME	END TIME	EVENT
16/12/2014	Tuesday	9:30 AM	10:30 AM	KS1 Nativity 1
16/12/2014	Tuesday	4:00 PM	5:00 PM	KS1 Nativity 2
19/12/2014	Friday	2:30 PM	3:10 PM	KS2 - Carol Service
19/12/2014	Friday			Term 2 Ends
05/01/2015	Monday			Term 3 Begins
19/01/15	Monday	12:00 PM	1:15 PM	Reception - Parent Lunch
19/01/15	Monday	11:45 AM	12:00 PM	Open Class - Caterpillars (EYFS)
09/02/2015	Monday	12:15 PM	1:15 PM	YEAR 4 – Parent Lunch
09/02/2015	Monday	11:50 AM	12:15 PM	Open Class - Ladybirds (Y4)
12/02/2015	Thursday			Term 3 Ends
12/02/2015	Thursday			Open Class - Dragonflies (Y5)
13/02/2015	Friday			INSET Day 3
23/02/2015	Monday			Term 4 Begins
27/02/2015	Friday			Mid Year Reports
02/03/2015	Monday	5:30 PM	8:00 PM	Parents Evening 2 Late
04/03/2015	Wednesday	3:30 PM	5:30 PM	Parents Evening 2 Early
16/03/2015	Monday	12:15 PM	1:15 PM	YEAR 5 – Parent Lunch
16/03/2015	Monday	11.50 AM	12:15 PM	Open Class - Dragonflies (Y5)
19/03/2015	Thursday	9:00 AM	2:30 PM	Y6 Life-skills
23/03/2015	Monday			FOCUS WEEK 2



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26/03/2015	Thursday	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Butterflies (Y1)
26/03/2015	Thursday	2:00 PM	2:30 PM	Year 3 Swimming Ends
27/03/2015	Friday			Term 4 Ends
13/04/2015	Monday			Term 5 Begins
23/04/2015	Thursday	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Beetles (Y3)
23/04/2015	Thursday	2:00 PM	2:30 PM	Year 1 Swimming Starts
11/05/2015	Monday			Year 6 SAT Week
18/05/2015	Monday	1:30 PM	3:15 PM	Y6 Block Swimming Session Starts
19/05/2015	Tuesday	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Caterpillars (EYFS)
21/05/2015	Thursday	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Ladybirds (Y4)
22/05/2015	Friday	1:30 PM	3:15 PM	Y6 Block Swimming Session Ends
22/05/2015	Friday			Term 5 Ends
01/06/2015	Monday			INSET Day 4
02/06/2015	Tuesday			Term 6 Begins
03/06/2015	Wednesday	9.30 AM	12.00 PM	Infant Sports Day
03/06/2015	Wednesday	12.00 PM	1.00 PM	Sports Day Picnic
03/06/2015	Wednesday	1.30 PM	3.00 PM	Junior Sports Day
08/06/2015	Monday	12:45 PM	1:15 PM	Open Class - Bumblebees (Y6)
08/06/2015	Monday	12:20 PM	1:15 PM	YEAR 6 – Parent Lunch
10/06/2015	Wednesday			Reserve Sports Day
11/06/2015	Thursday	6:00 PM	7:00 PM	New Reception Parents Evening
22/06/2015	Monday			FOCUS WEEK 3
02/07/2015	Thursday	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Grasshoppers (Y2)
06/07/2015	Monday	7:00 PM	8:00 PM	Music Evening
09/07/2015	Thursday	2:00 PM	2:30 PM	Year 1 Swimming Ends
10/07/2015	Friday			Reports to Parents
14/07/2015	Tuesday	7:00 PM	8:30 PM	Leavers Play
17/07/2015	Friday			Term 6 Ends



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