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# **PLEASE NOTE** NO SCHOOL MONDAY (BANK HOLIDAY)

#### **HMI MONITORING VISIT 3**

Our 3<sup>rd</sup> HMI monitoring Visit took place on Wednesday and Thursday of this week. As always our children were amazing: demonstrating their skills in learning and exemplary behaviour. We were pleased with the verbal feedback provided by the inspector and await his report. As with the previous visits, the report letter will be made available in a few weeks. At this point we will set a date for a parents' meeting to discuss the outcomes.

#### STAFF NEWS

#### **37 YEARS TODAY**

Today marked an amazing milestone for Sue Shipton as she extended her title as the longest serving member of staff ever. Sue has been a member of staff at Charfield Primary for an astounding 37 Years. Sue does an amazing job keeping our school clean and is guite simply one of the best! Thank you Sue, you're a record breaker in more ways than

#### KITCHEN FAREWELLS

Sadly today was Ann Thistleton's last day in the kitchen. Ann has been a great cook for our school and been an important member of many a Christmas Dinner and school event. I would like to wish Ann all the best in the future.

#### FRIENDS EVENT -- NEWS



Exciting news from The Friends we are holding a new event this year instead of the May Fair, "CHARFEST" will be taking place on Saturday 22nd June 2013, make sure to put the date in your diaries, tickets will be on sale soon. The Friends

#### **Charfield Primary School Sports Day**

Wednesday 22nd May

This year the Friends will be selling tea, coffee and cold drinks as well as cream teas and ice-creams, so please bring along some money and help support the school.

#### THANK YOU FRIENDS!

The school Netball & Tag Rugby Teams would like to thank the Friends for their donations to provide both teams with kits

## CHARFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL **NEWS LETTER**

www.charfieldschool.org.uk

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and equipment. We will publish pictures in the Newsletter once we receive the items. THANK YOU!

#### **SMSA REQUIRED**

From September 2013 we will require an SMSA (School Meals Supervisory Assistant) to work with our children during lunchtimes on Monday, Thursday & Friday. If you would like to find out more details about the post please contact the school office.

#### **TERM 5 DINNER MONEY**

Dinner money for term 5 is £61.25. Please make cheques payable to South Glos. Council.

#### **SCHOOL SHOES - REMINDER**

In spite of the warmer weather - All children are expected to wear low-heeled black footwear. Black trainers are permitted. Footwear that is backless, high heeled or has plat-formed soles are not considered safe or appropriate for school.

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

## **Charfield Charity Walk** Sunday 12th May

Join the fun and help raise money for local charities who have helped support our friends with Cancer

Raising money for -**Bristol Children's Hospital** Ward 34 & **Bristol Oncology Ward 61** 

3, 5, or 10 mile options all starting from Charfield Memorial Hall. £5 registration fee

Refreshments and entertainment at the Hall after the walk

Registration forms and information available at charfield.org/charitywalk2013 Steve's Shop



#### **CHARITY WALK RAFFLE**

FANTASTIC RAFFLE WITH SOME AMAZING **PRIZES** 

COME ALONG ON THE DAY AND BUY A TICKET FOR YOUR CHANCE TO WIN 1st Prize £100 cash and a bottle of Champagne

#### **SCHOOL COUNCIL**

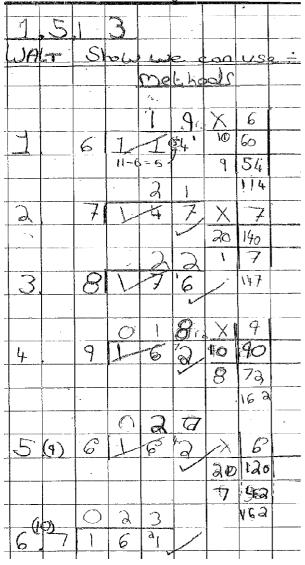
The school council have arranged for the school to hold a Mufti Day on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May. This will be in support of the village Charity walk taking place on Sunday 12th May.

The children will be encouraged to walk around the school field at lunchtime, come to school wearing something sporty, and donate a contribution to the charity

#### **LEARNING AT CHARFIELD**

This weeks' contribution comes from Ladybird class; who have been learning compact methods of division. They have also shown that we are really hitting targets with times tables knowledge and use them to check division calculations are correct! This example from Megan W has shown how well

she can use this method. Good girl!



#### LETTERS THIS WEEK

Class(es)	Title	Response Required
All	Academy Conversion	N

### Dates 2012-2013

DATE	DAY	START TIME	END	EVENT
06/05/13	Monday			Bank Holiday – School Closed.
17/05/2013	Friday	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Dragonflies (Y45)
20/05/2013	Monday	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Butterflies (Y1)
22/05/2013	Wednesday	9:30 AM	12:00	Infant Sports Day
22/05/2013	Wednesday	12:00 PM	1:00 PM	Sports Day Picnic
22/05/2013	Wednesday	1:30 PM	3:00 PM	Junior Sports Day
23/05/2013	Thursday	12:20 PM	1:15 PM	YEAR 6 – Parent Lunch
23/05/2013	Thursday	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Beetles (Y3)
24/05/2013	Friday			Term 5 Ends
24/05/2013	Friday	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Ladybirds (Y4)
03/06/2013	Monday			INSET Day 4
04/06/2013	Tuesday			Term 6 Begins
05/06/2013	Wednesday			Reserve Sports Day
11/06/2013	Tuesday	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Caterpillars (EYFS)
13/06/2013	Thursday	6:00 PM	7:00 PM	New Reception Parents Evening
18/06/2013	Tuesday	3:20 PM	3:45 PM	Open Class - Grasshoppers (Y2)
19.06.13	Wednesday			Photographer – class photos
08/07/2013	Monday	7:00 PM	8:00 PM	Helpers Thank you Tea
08/07/2013	Monday	7:00 PM	8:00 PM	Music Evening
18/07/2013	Thursday	2:00 PM	3:00 PM	Year 1 Swimming Ends
22/07/2013	Monday	7:00 PM	8:30 PM	Leavers Play 2011
24/07/2013	Wednesday			Term 6 Ends
24/07/2013	Wednesday			INSET Day 5

We need your out grown football kits please, read on for more details.....



Jacob and Reuben Edwards' Granny will be going on a trip to Africa (Namibia) in the summer and is planning on taking some supplies to some of the schools out there. It has been suggested that Football kits would be very gratefully received by the children out there.

If anyone has any used children's football kits that they would like to donate please pass on to Kath Edwards (at school drop off/pick up daily) before the May half term. (Friday24<sup>th</sup>May)

Many Thanks.