



CHARFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWS LETTER

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CHADRA



Welcome to our latest CHADRA update from Charfield School. In my last update to you I said we were awaiting our OFSTED inspection. We were very pleased to have our inspection 9th and 10th July which graded us as an **Outstanding School** in every aspect.

The judgement is testament to the hard work and determination shown by us all to ensure that our children thrive and succeed.

The report highlights many positive aspects of the school and includes comments such as:

“All groups of pupils make excellent progress across the school.”

“The overall quality of teaching across the school is outstanding and enables all pupils to make excellent progress.”

“Pupils greatly enjoy their school and are very proud to be members of it”

“Pupils showed tremendous enthusiasm for learning”

“Communication with parents is frequent”

“The Headteacher, staff and governors have high ambitions and are committed to achieving the best possible outcomes for every pupil.”

The inspectors were also very complimentary about the support given to the school by the community, particularly those who completed the

Parent-view survey and offered words of support and praise to the inspectors

Achieving an Outstanding judgment does not mean 'job done'. It highlights us as not only one of the best schools in the country, but as a school that is committed to developing further and providing an excellent learning environment.

A copy of the report can be accessed on the OFSTED website and through our website.

Again thank you for continually supporting and championing Charfield Primary.

STAFF NEWS

WELCOME



I am pleased to welcome Miss O'Sullivan to the Charfield team as our Year 6 teacher.

CHARFIELD SCHOOL IN THE COMMUNITY



MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING – FRIDAY 25TH SEPTEMBER



We were privileged to hold our 2nd Macmillan Coffee morning on Friday 25th September. I will provide more details in the next CHADRA. However I would like to thank everyone who

supported our event.



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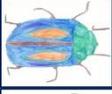
**HARVEST FESTIVAL @ ST JOHNS –
MONDAY 28TH SEPTEMBER**

Thank you to Rev Chris for hosting our Harvest Festival at St John's. Every class performed and shared something for the event. I would like to thank everyone who donated towards our chosen charity The Julian Trust ([www.http://juliantrust.org.uk/](http://juliantrust.org.uk/)) who provide support to the homeless in Bristol

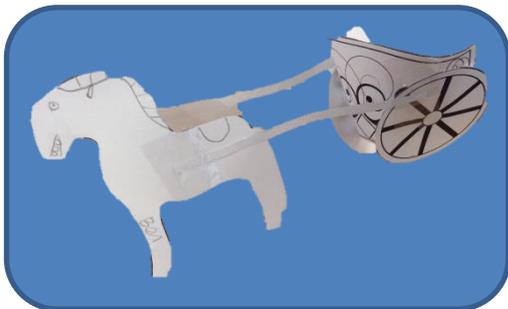
**LEARNING AT
CHARFIELD**



The children have made a fantastic start to the New Year and are as eager as ever to learn. At the beginning of the year pupils took part in a competition to design a new logo to for their class. The 2015 class logos are:

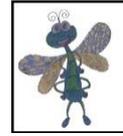
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Grasshoppers	
Beetles	
Ladybirds	
Dragonflies	
Bumblebees	

**Ladybird Class
(Y4)**

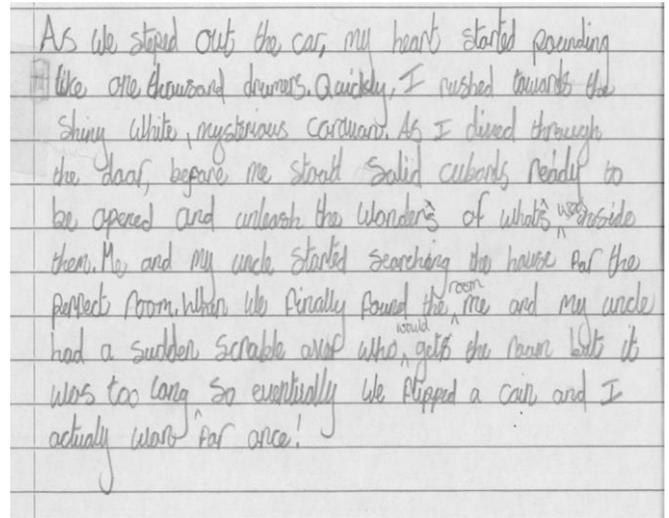


Year 4 have been writing instructions on 'how to make a chariot' out of card. We have been practising using time connectives and commas.

**Dragonfly Class
(Y5)**



There has been a fantastic start to learning in Year 5 with the new Dragonflies eager to prove just how skilled they are! Blake wowed Miss Thorne with his 'zoomed-in' recount of his summer holiday memory of caravanning in Weymouth. He used a super variety of sentences to show just how exciting it was!



**Butterfly Class
(Y1)**



Year 1 have been writing and drawing about their families. Here are pictures from Zeek and Lucy





FRIENDS OF CHARFIELD
SCHOOL



OUR AMAZING FRIENDS DO IT AGAIN!



Over the summer our Fantastic Friends have been hard at work transforming our EYFS area. Veteran Friends and new recruits from our new reception class toiled in the hot sun (OK dodged the downpours!) to create an amazing outdoor area.



The area is amazing with all-weather AstroTurf, water play areas, road markings and pathways to the sandpit.

Mrs Miller (with the help of some pupils) was delighted to officially open the play area to her new class at the beginning of the year.



All of the school would like to say a HUGE thank you to the Friends for their hard work, dedication and organisation!



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