



Cherry Tree Primary School - Newsletter

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Dress Down Day

Next Friday, children can come to school in their own clothes suitable for a school day in return for a £1 donation. As you will be aware, we received the donation of a defibrillator from the charity Wayne's Fund and we would like to send them a donation.



Transition

Earlier this week, we emailed out a letter with details of the classes children will be moving to in September and who their Class Teacher will be. The children were very excited to spend a session in their new class on Thursday.



School Reports

The children will be bringing home their school report on Monday. Please send back the reply slip with any comments you may have and if you have any queries, please speak to your child's class teacher.



Year 2 - Cuffley Camp Trip

Cedar and Willow had a fantastic time on their trip earlier this week. They completed an orienteering course, painted with soil and did some pond dipping!



Reception - Chiltern Open Air Museum

Acorns and Conkers classes trip was really successful. They made bear masks, looked around the three bear's house, made porridge and enjoyed eating it.



Friends of Harebreaks Wood

The local society are holding a litter pick on Saturday. If you are able to help, please meet at 1.30pm in the car park at St Marks Church on The Harebreaks.

Year 3 - Sharing Assembly

Thanks to all the parents/carers who came along to Hazel and Sycamore's sharing assembly. They spoke about the pharaohs and the mummification process and displayed their handmade headdresses and bejewelled Egyptian necklaces.



'Friends' End of Term Party for Nursery

Thanks to the Friends of Cherry Tree who put on a party for Berries class. They played party games, danced to music and enjoyed snacks.

'Friends' End of Term Disco



Flyers were emailed out earlier this week with details of the end of term discos. They take place on Thursday 20th July. Reception and Year 1 is from 3.15pm to 4.15pm and Year 2-6 is 5.15pm to 6.30pm. Please remember to return the slip and money to the School Office by the deadline which is Wednesday 19th July.

Year 6 - Leavers Concert

Parents/Carers of children in Oak class are invited to come to their Leavers Concert next Wednesday 19th July at 7pm. Please feel free to bring along sociable drinks.



Year 5 - School Journey

Please remember that the deadline for paying the deposit for current Pine and Fir class to go on school journey next year is this Monday, 17th July. Payment should be made online at www.schoolgateway.com. Please be aware that we have to confirm numbers to JCA next week and it may not be possible to add to these numbers later.



New Reception Children

Children due to start in Acorns or Conkers class in September will be visiting their new class at 2pm on Tuesday 18th July.



New Nursery Children

Our new Nursery children will be visiting Berries class on Thursday 20th July. There are 2 sessions and the original welcome letter details the timings.



School Clubs

All school clubs have finished for the term. Letters to sign up for next term have been emailed out and a further copy is available on our website www.cherrytree.herts.sch.uk.



School Uniform for September

Mapac, our uniform provider have asked us to remind parents/carers that orders must be placed by 4th August to ensure delivery by September. Please visit their website for more information www.mapac.com.



Year 2 - End of Universal Free School Meals

Please remember if your child is in Cedar or Willow, school lunches will need to be paid for next term. If you would like to change your child's meal pattern, please let the School Office know next week. If you are on certain benefits you may be entitled to claim Free School Meals. Please visit www.hertsdirect.org/freeschoolmeals for more information and to apply.



Football at Lunchtime

As you may be aware, children can play football at lunchtimes. Children are still in their school uniform and have their normal school shoes on but if your child would like to wear shin-pads to protect their shins, they can bring some in. Please name them.



Swimming

Ash class have finished their swimming sessions but Yew class have their final session next Wednesday. A letter has been emailed to Year 3 parents/carers with information about their children starting swimming lessons in September.



Guitar Lessons

Mr Mickey can provide private guitar lessons on a Friday afternoon for children in Years 4-6 and he has a few spaces for September. If you would like to find out more, please contact him on 07951 474723.



School Library Books

We still have a few library books outstanding. If your child's book is one of the outstanding ones you will have received a text. Please return the book on Monday.



Summer Holidays

School closes next Friday at the earlier time of 2pm for the summer holidays. Children in Reception to Year 6 return to school on Tuesday 5th September at 8.55am. Nursery children have a staggered start, please refer to your welcome letter for details.



Learning Together
Learning for Life

Attendance Winners:
Willow - 98%

Outstanding Behaviour Winners:
FS: Conkers, Infants: Willow, Juniors: Pine

Punctuality Winners:
Conkers - no lates - excellent!