



Chiddingly Primary School

Muddles Green

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Lewes

BN8 6HN

NEWSLETTER 2

Friday 15th September 2017

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"Achievement for All, Learning Together, Learning for Life"

### Car Park Reminder

Please do not park on the verges outside the school. We appreciate that it is difficult as it is very busy, but please park in the car park when spaces are available or on the roadside only.

Can we also remind parents not to park in the disabled parking space, unless you hold a disabled parking badge. We appreciate your co-operation.

### Important Message

#### No nuts

Please can we remind all parents and carers that no snacks or lunch boxes should contain any food products with nuts in as a child in the Federation has a serious nut allergy.

Many thanks for your co-operation.



INTERESTING,  
USEFUL AND  
UNUSUAL WORDS



#### Definition of Rhythm (noun) in English:

The "beat" of music; the regular pattern of long and short notes. Certain kinds of music, such as blues or marches, have a very characteristic rhythm. Rhythm, harmony, and melody are elements of music.

### Pick-up Arrangements

If there is a change to your usual pick-up arrangements at any time, **please notify the class teacher immediately.**

Please also **provide written consent** or complete the form attached to this newsletter and return to the School Office ASAP.

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## School Trips

Please see below for upcoming trips.

### Sycamore Class

As part of our topic on World War 2, we have planned a school visit to Newhaven Fort. We will be exploring the fort with our Year 5 and 6 peers from East Hoathly and taking part in

a hands-on artefacts workshop, where the children will experience World War 2 artefacts and learn more about their use.

The trip is on **Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> October** and the cost is **£11 per child**. This includes the coach trip to Newhaven and the workshops.

### Willow Class

This term our topic is all about 'Amazing Inventions' and, as part of this topic, the children will be learning about electricity in Science. We will be taking the children, with East Hoathly's 3/4 class, to Herstmonceux Science Observatory on **Wednesday 20th September**.

The children will need to be in school at the normal time as the coach is not leaving until 9.10am.

The cost of the trip is £11.20 to cover the cost of the coach hire, workshops and demonstrations. Please ensure all monies are handed in by Monday 18th September.



## Grapes

Please do not send your child in with whole grapes. If a child is knocked accidentally whilst eating, the grapes could become a choking hazard. Please see the picture for the correct way of cutting grapes, to avoid a choking incident.



## Forest School

This week, Sycamore went for their first Forest School session of the year. They came really well prepared for the showers we had but rain doesn't stop Forest School! We went into the woods and chose different activities, depending on whether it was raining or not as all tool work stops in the rain.

After a few rounds of very competitive Hide-and-Seek, the children got busy! Ruby, Chanelle, Kayley and Amy Farrell made an incredible den, complete with rope swing, washing line, cooker and windows! This inspired other groups to have a go at den building and they too were very successful!

Some of the others set to work on using palm drills to make an assortment of different crafts. Rhys and Orla made holes in acorns and threaded them onto string to create jewellery and Helbert begun to make a mobile with different natural items for decoration. Orla and Grace joined Forest School for the first time and were really resilient to any challenges and got into the spirit of braving the weather - well done, girls!

Sycamore, you were brilliantly behaved and listened really carefully to instructions. Keep it up!



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## School Clubs

### Karate

Please be advised that karate will not be running on Monday 18th and 25th September. It will return on Monday 2nd October when Sempai Nick and Sempai Emily return from their holiday. We apologise for any inconvenience caused.



### Multi-Sport

Unfortunately, Multi-Sport club was cancelled this week due to not enough bookings. Premier Sport need 3 more children to join the club, in order for it to start next Thursday, so please do book your child on if you would like them to attend. Flyers were sent out in book bags with information on how to book. Please ask in the school office if you did not receive this information.

## Morning Drop-off

Whilst we understand it is difficult at this time of year, when your child is moving to a different class, please make sure that if you need to speak to your child's class teacher, you do so on the playground before the bell goes. Your child should be coming into the school building on their own. If you need to speak to the school office to pass on a message to your child's teacher then please do so, instead of entering the classrooms to find the teacher. We thank you for your understanding and co-operation with this.

## No Dogs

Please can we remind all parents that dogs are not permitted on school grounds. This includes carrying dogs passed the school gates. Many thanks for your co-operation.



## Thrive

### Developing Emotional Resilience

Over the coming weeks we will be introducing the children to the Triune Brain theory. This is not as complicated as it sounds! We will be talking about the three main areas of the brain as their meerkat brain, elephant brain and monkey brain. During each Friday assembly, and in the next three newsletters, we will introduce one of these areas to the children and yourselves and explain what they do. Don't be surprised if you hear things such as "that was my meerkat brain!"



## New Vacancy

We are looking to appoint someone to run the Breakfast Club at Chiddingly School. The club runs from 7.45-8.30am each day and the role involves engaging the children in activities in the morning, as well as providing breakfast for the children. If you are interested in the role, please contact the school office. We also need someone at East Hoathly on Thursdays and Fridays.



## Data Collection Sheets

Please check and amend the details on the **Pupil Data Collection** sheets that were sent home in book bags and return to us by:

**Monday 25th September.**

It is important that we have the correct contact details in case of emergencies.

## School Clubs – Term 1

Please find a school club letter attached to this newsletter. Please return to the school office, if you haven't already done so.

## 74th Horse and Tractor Ploughing Match and Show

Molly's mum has kindly brought to our attention that there is Horse and Tractor Show on Wednesday 4th October at Warren Farm, Eridge Green. They are looking for school entries for their handicraft competitions. If your child is interested in taking part, they can submit a 'farm picture' and winners will receive a Prize Book Token. If you are interested, please ask Molly's mum or the school office for more information.

## Top Table winner:

**Ecuador (14 points)**

Seth

Simon

Chloe C

Jasmine

Cameron

Aidan

The runner up this week is France with  
12 points

## Growth Mindset

### Tough Turtle of the Week

## Blake Williams

For challenging himself in maths.



*If you've never failed, you've never tried anything new*

## British Values Day and Learning Powers Certificate

On Friday 22nd September in our celebration assembly for British Values Day at 2.30pm the following children will also be celebrating their achievements. Please come along if you are free.

Oak - Poppy Miller

Beech - Kodie Bishop

Willow - Harrison Miller

Sycamore - Thomas Messum

## British Values Citizen of the Week

This week's Citizen of the Week is:

## Amy Farrell

For being a great talk partner.



## Attendance

The whole school attendance for this year so far is **97%**.

This week's attendance:

Oak - 100%

Beech - 96.03%

Willow - 97.88%

Sycamore - 96.43%

Well done to **Oak** for having the highest attendance this week!

## Diner of the Week:

## Floyd Kaye

For following all our golden rules and his excellent behaviour in the dining room.



## Parent Forums

Term	Date	Content
1	26 <sup>th</sup> September	School Development Plan 2017/18 Behaviour Policy Attendance Policy Homework Policy
2	22 <sup>nd</sup> November	Handwriting Policy Anti-Bullying Thrive
3	23 <sup>rd</sup> January	Attendance Policy Review Behaviour Policy Review Mindfulness
4	14 <sup>th</sup> March	Homework Policy Review and Evaluation  SATs info for Y2 and Y6 parents
5	1 <sup>st</sup> May	Thrive Review Mindfulness Review inc Golden Mile
6	13 <sup>th</sup> June	Parentview Review SDP and plans for 18/19

## Art Sale

The children will be producing artwork to be sold at East Hoathly village hall. Each artist will be signing their piece on the back so the bidders will not know who the art is by until after they have won it.

Please come along to see your child's art displayed in East Hoathly's village hall.

It should be a fabulous event with art from many of our local artists, amateur and professional, as well as some art from celebrities and celebrity artist and the children!

The sale is on 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> September in aid of East Hoathly Church.



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## Dates for your diary 2017/2018

### September 2017

22nd — British Values Day

26th — Parent Forum at 9.00am to  
9.25am

### October 2017

10th — Harvest Festival at 9.25am

16th — Country of Focus week

20th — End of term celebration at 2.30pm

### November 2017

10th — Remembrance Day Service at  
9.25am

13th — Anti-bullying week

14th and 16th — Parent Consultation  
Meetings (4.00-6.00pm)

15th — Open Day for new parents at  
1.30pm-2.30pm

22nd — Parent Forum at 9.00am to  
9.25am

### December 2017

5th — Open Day for new parents at  
6.00-7.00pm

11th — Christmas Production dress  
rehearsal at 2.00pm

13th — Christmas Production at 6.30pm

### January 2018

2nd — INSET day

18th — Maths Day

23rd — Parent Forum at 9.00am to  
9.25am

### February 2018

5th — Country of Focus week

9th — End of term celebrations at  
2.30pm

### March 2018

1st — Book Day

14th — Parent Forum at 9.00am to  
9.25am

20th and 22nd — Parent Consultation  
Meetings (4-6pm)

29th — Easter Service at 2.00pm

### May 2018

1st — Parent Forum at 9.00am to  
9.25am

21st — Enterprise week

23rd — Awe & Wonder Day and  
celebration at 2.30pm

### June 2018

4th — INSET day

13th — Parent Forum at 9.00am to  
9.25am

29th — Table Tennis Tournament at  
12.30pm at East Hoathly

### July 2018

3rd — Sports Day at 9.30am & picnic at  
12.00pm with parents

6th — Reports home to parents

9th — Parent Consultation  
Meetings (4-6pm) to discuss  
reports only

9th—Summer Production dress rehearsal  
at 2.00pm

11th — Summer Production at 2.00pm  
and 6.30pm

19th — Leavers Service at 2.00pm

20th — INSET day

21st — Ground Force Day in afternoon



Chiddingly Primary School

Updating records 2017 - 2018

I, ....., give my permission for my son/ daughter

..... to be picked up by

.....  
(please insert all adults that may pick up)

Signed: ..... Date: .....



# School Clubs

Please see below the list of after school clubs that we are offering for Term 1. Even if your child attended a club last term, we will still need a new permission slip for this term.

Please complete the slip below for each club and return them to the office. Please make sure you return this information to the office, as well as making your booking online.

Please can we also ask that if your child cannot attend a club for any reason please let the club leader or Miss Chewter in the school office know as soon as possible.

<u>Day</u>	<u>Club</u>	<u>Finish Time</u>	<u>Adult</u>	<u>Total Number</u>	<u>Age Group</u>	<u>Cost</u>
Monday	SAMA Martial Arts (Karate) Starts 11 <sup>th</sup> September	4.30	Nicholas Adlam and Emily Adlam	No limit	All	£5/session Pay as you go
Tuesday	Football Club Starts 12 <sup>th</sup> September	4.15	Brighton & Hove Albion	No limit	Y1-6	£4.50/session <b>Book online</b> <a href="http://www.albioninthecommunity.org.u">www.albioninthecommunity.org.u</a>
Thursday	Multisport Starts 21st September	4.15	Premier Sport	20	All	£4/session <b>Book online</b> <a href="http://www.premiersport.org">www.premiersport.org</a> Or call 01424 223476
Thursday (lunchtime)	Performance Choir	12.30 - 1 (lunchtime)	Miss Hare	No limit	Y1-6	No charge

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Name of Child: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Would like to join: \_\_\_\_\_ Club for Term 1.

Name of Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact No: \_\_\_\_\_

Any Medical issues/concerns:  
\_\_\_\_\_

Consent signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Week one

W/C 17/04, 08/05, 05/06, 26/06, 17/07, 04/08, 25/08, 16/10

**on the side...**  
Veggie Mince & Vegetable Pie (v)  
A pastry topped vegetarian pie served with new potatoes

**for dessert...**  
Neapolitan Cheesy Pasta (v)  
Wholegrain pasta served with a tomato Neapolitan sauce

**on the side...**  
Fresh Carrots  
Garden Peas

**for dessert...**  
Soft Cheese & Crackers

## Tuesday

**on the side...**  
Organic beef bolognese served on a bed of wholegrain pasta

**for dessert...**  
Mozzarella & Tomato Pizza (v)  
Freshly made pizza served with oven baked wedges

**on the side...**  
Sweetcorn  
Roasted Vegetables

**for dessert...**  
Crunchy Plum Crumble & Custard

## Wednesday

**on the side...**  
Farm Assured roasted sliced turkey breast served with crispy roast potatoes & gravy

**for dessert...**  
Quorn Roast (v)  
Sliced roasted Quorn served with crispy roast potatoes & gravy

**on the side...**  
Fresh Carrots  
Seasonal Cabbage

**for dessert...**  
Fruity Finger Cake

## Thursday

**on the side...**  
House ColeSlaw  
Fresh Broccoli

**for dessert...**  
Vegetarian Korma (v)  
Cauliflower & chickpea korma served with basmati rice

**on the side...**  
House ColeSlaw  
Fresh Broccoli

**for dessert...**  
Oatie Biscuit

## Friday

**on the side...**  
Battered Fish with Chips  
Crispy battered pollock

**for dessert...**  
BBQ Quorn & Bean Wrap with Chips (v)  
BBQ beans & vegetables in a flour tortilla

**on the side...**  
Baked Beans  
Garden Peas

**for dessert...**  
Chocolate & Mandarin Sponge with Chocolate Sauce

## Week two

W/C 24/04, 15/05, 12/06, 03/07, 10/08, 02/10

**on the side...**  
Vegetarian Meatballs (v)  
Linda McCartney meatballs served in a home-made tomato sauce with wholegrain rice

**for dessert...**  
Sweet Potato Gumbo (v)  
Sweet potato stew with peas and wholegrain rice

**on the side...**  
Fresh Broccoli  
Crunchy Salad

**for dessert...**  
Strawberry Frozen Yoghurt

## Bangers & Mash

Farm Assured pork sausages served with creamy potato and gravy

**for dessert...**  
Baked Bean & Cheese Bubble & Squeak (v)  
A tasty new vegetarian potato, carrot, baked beans & cheese patty

**on the side...**  
Fresh Carrots  
Roasted Vegetables

**for dessert...**  
Fruity Flagjack

## Roast Beef

Traditionally roasted sliced beef served with crispy roast potatoes & gravy

**for dessert...**  
Lentil Roast (v)  
A vegetarian roast served with crispy roast potatoes & gravy

**on the side...**  
Garden Peas  
Seasonal Cabbage

**for dessert...**  
Pineapple Upside Down Cake with Custard

## Jerk Chicken

Farm Assured fresh chicken in a mild Caribbean jerk sauce served with wholegrain rice & peas

**for dessert...**  
Mac 'N' Cheese (v)  
Classic short-cut macaroni served in a creamy cheese sauce

**on the side...**  
Fresh Carrots  
Fresh Broccoli

**for dessert...**  
Mini Brownie with Banana Slices

## Fish Fingers with Chips

Whole fillet white fish fingers in golden breadcrumbs

**for dessert...**  
Vegetable Lasagne with Chips (v)  
Layers of pasta & vegetables topped with a cheesy sauce

**on the side...**  
Baked Beans  
Sweetcorn

**for dessert...**  
Fruit in Jelly

## Week three

W/C 01/05, 22/05, 19/06, 10/07, 18/08, 04/10

**on the side...**  
Cheesy Hotpot (v)  
Cheese & potato layered bake served with oven baked wedges

**for dessert...**  
Tomato & Basil Pasta (v)  
Rich tomato & basil sauce with wholegrain pasta

**on the side...**  
Fresh Broccoli  
Sweetcorn

**for dessert...**  
Chocolate Crispy

## Chunky Chicken Bite

Homemade breaded Farm Assured chicken with pasta salad

**for dessert...**  
Cheese & Red Onion Quiche (v)  
Home-made quiche served with pasta salad

**on the side...**  
Garden Peas  
Tomato Salsa

**for dessert...**  
Raspberry Loaf Cake

## Roast Pork

Free range roasted sliced pork served with crispy roast potatoes & gravy

**for dessert...**  
Cauli Corn Bake (v)  
Tasty cauliflower & creamed corn bake served with crispy roast potatoes & gravy

**on the side...**  
Fresh Carrots  
Seasonal Cabbage

**for dessert...**  
Ice Cream Pot

## Beef Lasagne

Organic beef lasagne served with a garlic bread wedge

**for dessert...**  
Vegetable Curry (v)  
A mild vegetable curry served with basmati rice

**on the side...**  
Garden Peas  
Crunchy Salad

**for dessert...**  
Shortbread & Fruit Slices

## Crispy Salmon Fillet with Chips

Baked breaded salmon fillet

**for dessert...**  
Veggie Burger with Chips (v)  
Quorn burger served in a seedless bun with tomato relish

**on the side...**  
Sweetcorn  
Baked Beans

**for dessert...**  
Oatie Apple Crumble with Custard

School meals are free to all pupils in Reception, year one & year two.  
Contact us: 01435 865310



Jacket potatoes with various fillings available daily.



If you don't fancy dessert, you can always enjoy fresh fruit or yoghurt.





# SOCCER SCHOOLS



## BRIGHTON & HOVE ALBION **AFTER SCHOOL CLUB**

**Chiddingly Primary School - Football**

Tuesdays from 12 September - 12 December (no 24 October)  
3.15 - 4.15pm, £58.50 for 13 weeks.

Years  
1 - 6

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**CLASSES HELD AT:**

**CHIDDINGLY PRIMARY SCHOOL  
MONDAYS 3.30pm - 4.30pm**

- 👍 Learn self defence
- 👍 Increase fitness & strength
- 👍 Improve Self-Esteem & confidence
- 👍 Improve flexibility for good posture
- 👍 Improve coordination & flexibility
- 👍 Improve technique & skill components
- 👍 Improve your child's ability to focus, and have control
- 👍 Learn respect, discipline & courtesy for others
- 👍 Teach goal setting & patience
- 👍 Develop leadership and team skills

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SAMA Karate Southeast, I wish for my child to try SAMA Kids Karate:

Childs Name ..... Age .....

Contact Telephone ..... Class .....

Any current medication .....

Child will be sent home from School  / Child will be collected from School

Parent / Guardian Signature ..... Date .....



# FRUIT FACTS **BANANA !!!**

A row of bananas is called a "hand" while a single banana is called a "finger".



Bananas contain around **75%** water.



Banana plants are not trees, they are actually the world's largest



Bananas float in water, as do apples and watermelons.



Each plant can produce up to **200** individual bananas.



It takes the bananas **17-18** days to get here from Costa Rica.



It takes a further **3-6** days to ripen them at **20-28** degrees Celsius.



We eat over **140** million bananas in Britain each week so roughly **7.5** billion bananas a year.



How do you call a row of bananas?

Is this a tree or a herb?

How do you call a single banana?

