

NEWSLETTER 30 Friday 17th May 2019



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

## Wellbeing Poster

We now share a new wellbeing poster with you in the weekly newsletter. This week's poster is '10 top reasons why children play sport.'

As Sports Day is fast approaching, we thought we would take a little time to reflect on why children take part and what they get out of the events. This applies to adults too! We hope you are all prepared for the adult races!



## <u>Sports Day and Class Photograph</u> Letters

Please make sure you return the Sports Day reply slip ASAP so the cook can order the food ready for Friday 24th May.

#### Please be aware that class photos are now going to be on Friday 7th June.

Please also return the class photo reply slip by Friday 24th May, otherwise we will assume that you do not give consent and your child will not be in the photo.

If you need a new letter, please ask Mrs Dann in the school office.

If you need the newsletter or other school letters to be in a different format please speak to Mrs Dann in the school office. If you need help or support with access to any information, please also contact Mrs Dann.



Indefinitely many; a lot of.

"We've been there umpteen times and he still can't remember the way!"

#### Speaking to Class Teachers

Please can we remind parents to speak to class teachers on the playground at 8.35am or pass a message on to Mrs Dann if you cannot find them. Please do not come into classrooms before school or once the bell rings.

## Snacks and Lunchboxes

Snacks for break should include fruit or cereal bars (with no nuts). Please also be reminded that there should be no sweets or chocolate in lunch boxes. Many thanks for your co-operation.



## Learning Powers Certificate

On <u>24th May</u> at 9.10am the following children will be celebrating their achievements. Please come along if you are free.

Oak - Lilly Brown

Beech - Poppy Miller

Willow – Liam Weller

Sycamore - Priya Horne

<u>Parent Forums</u> (Hall 9:00- 9:25am) <u>Tuesday 11th June</u>

Homework Review; School Development Plan Review; SDP next year



## <u>Next Week's Birthdays</u>

Happy Birthday to Oliver on 18th May and Ethan on 21st May.



## Diner of the Week:

## Jacinda Hinder



For always being polite,

showing good table manners and following all our golden rules in the dining room.

## <u>Top Table winners:</u>

#### Ghana (25 points)

Austin

Finley

Hope

Olivia

Amelie

Pixie-Leigh

The runner up was Wales with 20 points.

## Parents and Friends of Chiddingly School Need You!

If you are interested in finding out more about the PFCS please speak to Amy, Kimberley or Carolyn in the playground.



## MyMaths and Times Table Rockstar Workshop

Miss Purcell, Pioneer Federation maths leader, will be having a drop in workshop for MyMaths and Times Tables Rockstars from **3:15pm to 3:45pm on Monday 20th May** in the school hall. All are welcome to come along for support, to ask any questions and to find out more about how your child can use them.

#### **Forest School**

This Wednesday, Oak Class did so many different activities! They were shown how to light the fire using flints and how to put it out again with water. Before they put the fire out though, they got to have a tasty treat and toasted some marshmallows!

After this, they did some mud painting, tree bark rubbing, pond dipping (they found all kinds of bugs!), tree climbing AND they played sleeping lions and tried to listen to what sounds were in the forest. What a brilliant fun-filled session!

A massive thank you to Miss Waterman, Sam Hinder, Katie Samson, Louise Champion and Jesse's gran.



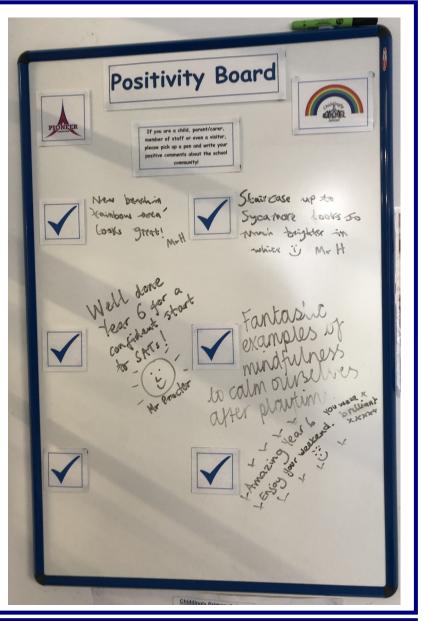
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#### Positivity Board

This board enables parents/carers, staff, children and visitors to write positive comments, or thoughts, about their time in school or during events that they would like to share with others.

Please pop in any time to write down something that you would like to share. In the newsletter every week, there will be a picture to share and celebrate the positivity within our school and community.

As always, thank you for your support!



#### <u>Attendance</u>

The whole school attendance for this year so far is 95.67%

This week's attendance: 97.05%

Oak - 100%

Beech - 92.96%

Willow - 97.93%

Sycamore - 98.75%

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

100% - gold

96.5 to 99.9% - green

95 to 96.4% - amber

Less than 94.9% - red

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## Dates for your diary 2018/2019

<u>May 2019</u>

- 22nd Willow class swimming lesson
- 24th Sports Day at 1pm and picnic (12-1pm with parents)
- 24th End of Term 5

<u>June 2019</u>

- 3rd INSET DAY
- 4th Term 6 starts

7th — Class photos

12th, 19th, 26th — Sycamore class swimming lessons

<u>July 2019</u>

- 3rd Sycamore class swimming lesson
- 5th Summer production dress rehearsal at 1.30pm
- 10th Summer production at 1.30pm and 6.30pm — parents invited
- 12th —School reports to parents
- 16th Parent meetings about reports only
- 23rd Leavers' service at 2pm



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## PFCS Dates

- Friday 24th May Sports Day/Picnic/Race for Life with a mini summer fair.
- Tuesday 4th June PFCS Meeting at 8:55am in the School Hall
- Tuesday 11th June Bag2School Collection at 8:50am at Chiddingly School.
- Tuesday 11th June Chiddingly School Disco at 3:30pm to 5pm.
- Saturday 15th June Chiddingly Church Fete
- Saturday 6th July Chiddingly Village Market in the Village Hall at 10am to 12pm.
- Wednesday 10th July Summer Production the PFCS will be selling teas & coffees.
- Tuesday 23rd July Leaver's Service the PFCS will be selling teas & coffees.

#### Update - Friday 24th May - Sport's Day/Race for Life

After further discussion, the PFCS and senior leadership team have decided that any

money raised from Race for Life will go to Cancer Research UK.

All money raised from refreshments (teas/coffees/cakes/ice-pops), side stalls, 2nd Hand

uniform and more, will come to the PFCS. We are now fundraising to update the trim trail.

If you would prefer your child not to partake in the Race for Life please let their class teacher know.

The Race for Life will start at 11:45 am so please arrive before then. Lunch will be on the field 12pm-12:45pm, then Sports Day will commence.

The PFCS would like to thank all for your continued support.

#### <u>Cakes Wanted</u>

As part of Sports Day the PFCS would like cakes donated for the cake stall, whether they are home made or shop bought we do not mind. Please bring into school on the morning of Friday 24th May and pop into the PFCS kitchen. **Please make sure all cakes are nut free**. Many Thanks.

# Parents and Friends of **Chiddingly School**

#### Charity No: 1072129

Parents and Friends of Chiddingly School (PFCS) play a crucial role in supporting Chiddingly Primary School. Our main aim is to raise money for the little 'extras' that cannot be directly funded by the school and also for much needed equipment that requires our additional input. This is done through organising and running varied events throughout the year including the Christmas Fair, Wreath Making, Easter Fair, Bags 2 School collection and providing refreshments for parent assemblies, etc. This year we have already held a Jumble Sale, Bingo Night and are planning a family camping night. We also run a hugely successful 50/50 club which alone is responsible for raising over £2000 each academic year.

## Family Camping – Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> July

Our big event for the next two terms is a new event for the school and will consist of camping on the school field. We will be organising letters to go out, but it will be a charge of £10 per family. A £5 non-refundable deposit will need to be paid in advance with the balance paid on the day. Families can arrive from 4pm to set up and please bring your own food and drink. We will play games and general get together. We are hoping to have a campfire with marshmallows in the evening. We then ask that parents are cleared away the following day by 11am.

Please speak to Amy or any other PFCS members for more information.

## Previous Events Held

- Jumble Sale This was a fantastic event with many parents and friends from the community attending. We raised £331 with a further £140 from the Bag2School collection held shortly after.
- Bingo Night This was a lovely evening with many people attending and we raised £161.
- Easter Fair A fab event with plenty of people attending. On the day we raised £376 with a further £30 raised from the sale of left over eggs from the egg hunt.

#### Easyfundrasing – We have so far raised £53.05 – Please remember to use the app or the website when ordering online and register if you haven't already.

## Easyfundraising

Parents and Friends of Chiddingly School or Chiddingly School Association (this is what it is registered as) have signed up to Easyfundraising, an easy way for parents to raise funds for the school at no extra cost to themselves. Whenever you place your shopping through 100s of sites they automatically give us a donation, and for anyone who uses the below link, Easyfundraising will give us an extra £1 donation! Please could all parents consider doing their online shopping through this site or app. https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/ chiddinglyschassoc/

Parentkind Member Association

#### UPCOMING EVENTS MAY JUNE

NEWS

May 2019

PARENTS & FRIENDS OF CHIDDINGLY SCHOOL

24<sup>th</sup> - Sports Day/ Race for Life

6<sup>th</sup> – Chiddingly

13<sup>th</sup> – Family

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Chair - Amy McGowan

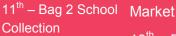
Treasurer - Kimberley Baldwin

Secretary - Carolyn Robins

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is brimming with articles for parents, to help you support your child's school life and learning, and it's open to everyone!

## JUNE 4<sup>th</sup> - PFCS Meeting



11<sup>th</sup> - Disco

## **Church Fete** JULY



15<sup>th</sup> – Chiddingly



# 10 top reasons why children play sport









To be like their role models



To release stress

03 To improve skills

04 200 To make friends 05

To challenge themselves

**106** 

To participate in something they are good at 08 To win





#### Golden Miles Home Challenge - Miles Record Card

This travel card has been designed to record all the exercise your child completes travelling to and from school and during weekend and holiday walks. Each week your child must put this record card in the Golden Mile Challenge Box at the Office so their exercise and miles can be collated.

Date	Journey	Miles

Total:

Parent Signature:

PENTACLE DRUMMERS



CANDLE BAGS FOR DEDICATIONS

> Please join us for the Candle of Hope Ceremony, 9.15pm

7pm - 9pm

Eastbourne

**Sports Park** 

1st June 2019

A moving, poignant and personal part of the event.

During this ceremony, and throughout the night, the walking track is lit by the glow of illuminated candle bags, each of them having a special meaning to the person who decorated it.

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