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NEWSLETTER 6 Term 5

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“Achievement for All, Learning Together, Learning for Life”

Dear Chiddingly Families,

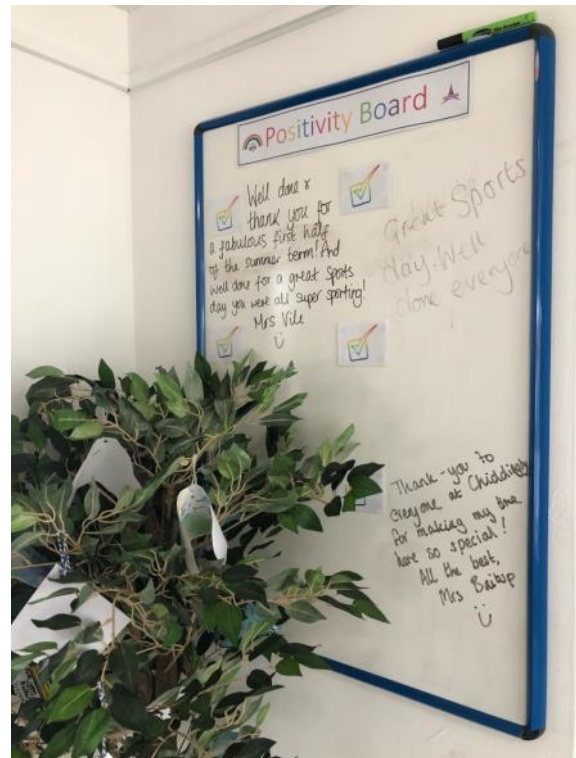
Today marks my last day before I hand the reins back over to Mrs Dann as School Secretary. Usually a Class Teacher writes here, but I wanted to take this opportunity to say a huge thank you to everyone who has made my time here at Chiddingly so great!

I cannot emphasise enough how lucky the children at Chiddingly are with all the teaching and support staff. I have never seen a bunch of harder working people and I will miss being a part of the team.

I wish everyone the very best and a lovely half-term!

Mrs Baitup

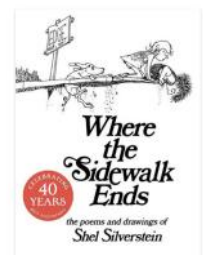
Positivity Board



Positive Quote of the Week

This weeks quote is from the book ‘Where the Sidewalk Ends’ by Shel Silverstein

“Listen to the MUSTN’TS, child, listen to the DON’TS, listen to the SHOULDN’TS, the IMPOSSIBLES, the WONT’S Listen to the NEVER HAVES, Then listen close to me— Anything can happen, child, ANYTHING can be.”



Diners of the Week

The Diners of the Week this week are Maxwell R in Beech and Cameron in Sycamore! Well done to you both!

The Top Table for this week is Pamela Pear (Poppy F, Charlotte, Lilly H and Heidi) from the first sitting and Clive Carrot (Chloe and Sienna) from the second sitting. Well done to you all!



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

Class Updates

Oak

This week Oak class had a tournament. They made shields, flags, quivers, and they used their forest school skills to make their own bows. To make the bows they had to cut all of the branches off the hazel branch using secateurs. Then Miss Boswell made cuts in the top and bottom so they could attach their string.

They then baked bread which was "sooo super yummy!" according to Alicia. We made the dough, kneaded the dough, shaped it into rolls, cooked them and the best part was eating them at the banquet with jam and/ or butter. They also had fruit and squash.

During the tournament they had a go at jousting on their noble steed (a bike). They had to ride to the target and see who could hit theirs first. Then we had a go at archery with the bows we made. Penny came first, Henry was second and Finley came third. They had a fabulous day!



Beech

This week Beech class went on a walk around Chiddingly Village! We used our map knowledge and to take us around the village. We walked through mud and over bridges and sat on the green and in the Millennium garden, where we drew pictures of what we could see. Miss Waterman told us some really interesting historical facts. Thank you to all of those who helped and who offered and to help out, it was very much appreciated and so nice we could spend an afternoon learning about and drawing our local village.



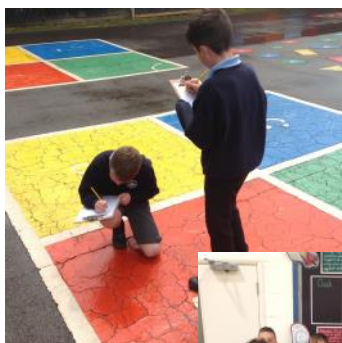
Willow

Willow class have been working really hard in PE ready for their sports day events, and have been improving on their previous scores. They have been enjoying using the athletics equipment and are now spending the last lesson of the term playing what they choose. They have also been looking at teeth in science and have been taking part in a whole class experiment, how Coke, water, orange juice and squash affect the enamel on their teeth which is represented as an egg shell, and looking at how sugar could potentially be bad for our teeth if we do not clean them properly.



Sycamore

Sycamore Class have been busy being creative in DT, designing and painting baseboards to make their own mazes. In RE, they have been looking at examples of generosity (through the work of charities such as Christian Aid and the Leprosy Mission) and then created their own dramas based on helping others in our local communities and around the world. The class have also been finding out about different types of angles in Maths and went on an angle hunt around the school grounds!



Learning Powers

Our Learning Powers are Theo and Pippa in Oak, Chloe in Beech, Skyler in Willow and Neo in Sycamore. Well done to you all!



Learning Powers for after half term!

Our Learning Powers for next week are, Arthur and Sophia in Oak, Elijah in Beech, Olivia in Willow and Jack in Sycamore! Your child will be sent home with their certificate after half term.



Hello from the PFCS



Super sponsorship for sports day!

We'd like to say a BIG thank you to UK Power Networks for sponsoring the colourful sports day medals which were awarded to all the children for their brilliant efforts on sports day.

Also a BIG thank you to The Heighton Agency (a local agency for brand, design, web and digital) for sponsoring the delicious ice lollies on sports day - what a refreshingly brilliant end to an athletic afternoon!



Forest school gets new wheels

We've helped to lighten the load for children and staff taking part in the well-loved weekly forest school, we've bought them their very own garden trolley which will be really useful!



Our PFCS team has grown

We're super happy to have welcomed more people onto the PFCS team, including three teaching staff, so we can liaise closely with the school to support them. It's not too late to join us, if you're interested or want to know more, please email pfcs@chiddingly.e-sussex.sch.uk, message us on Facebook or chat to one of the team.



Easy fundraising - what's that all about?

Easy fundraising turns your everyday online shopping into free donations for the PFCS. Here's how...

- 1 Visit easyfundraising.org.uk and search for 'Chiddingly School Association'.
 - 2 Create your account
 - 3 Just start your online shopping first at easyfundraising, then shop as normal.
 - 4 Retailers will then make a small donation to say "thank you".
- Please join today and help raise funds!**

Thank you!
£331.93
raised so far!





Chiddingly Primary School are getting involved with the Community!

The school has been asked to create posters for the Chiddingly
Festival picnic.

Prizes up for grabs for KS1 and KS2 entries!

The closing date is the **8th June**. Entry for the competition is free!
Please return any entries to your Class Teacher.

What you need to do:

Create a poster using different mediums and let your creativity run wild!

What you need to include:

Date and time: 18th July between 1pm and 5pm.

Where: Giles' field next to Chiddingly Village Hall

Extra info:

The picnic is free of entry and you can bring your own picnic. There will be live
music, Punch and Judy and some Morris Dancing!

If bad weather is forecast, the event will be cancelled. You can check if
it's cancelled on the following website: www.chiddinglyfestival.co.uk



Dates For Your Diary!

May 2021

25th - Beech Class field trip - please return permission slips if you haven't already

28th – Sports day

28th –Last day of term 5

June 2021

7th - First day of term 6

w/c 14th - Year 6 Bikeability - letters will be sent out next week regarding this

July 2021

8th Summer production 2pm and 6.30pm

14th FGB meeting

16th Reports out to parents

16th Sycamore trip to Branching Out

20th Parent consultations-reports only

22nd End of term 6 and Leavers' service

23rd Inset Day

