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NEWSLETTER 3 Term 6

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

Dear Chiddingly families,

It's very exciting at school at the moment as we start to prepare for transition to the next stage of education. The school is looking forward to their transition afternoons with their new classes and staff. Year 6 will hopefully get transition opportunities to their secondary schools at some point in the near future...

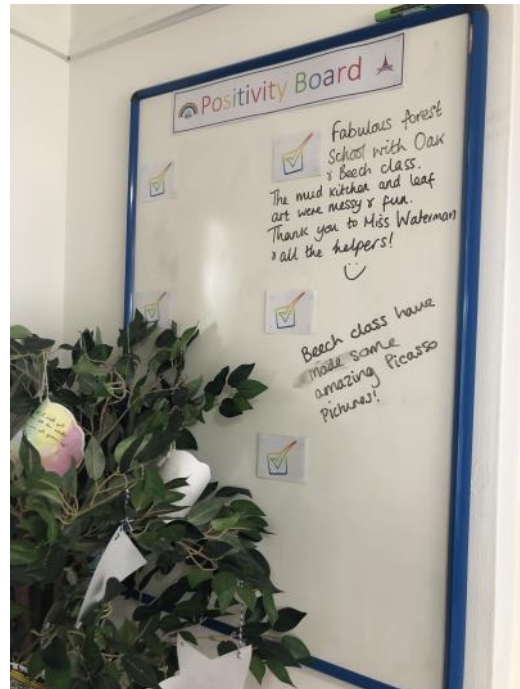
The music of 'Shakespeare Rocks' is filling the classes and playground as Key Stage 2 prepare their Summer Production and Year 5/6 are beginning to learn their parts as all roles have now been cast!

Here's to a positive last month together!

Mr Cline

Sycamore Class Teacher

### Positivity Board



### Learning Powers

Our Learning Powers are Penelope and Frances in Oak, Joseph in Beech, Maxwell in Willow and Michael in Sycamore! Well done to you all!



### Learning Powers Last Week

Sophie had her Learning Powers celebrated last week and her photo didn't quite make it into the newsletter so here she is!



### Learning Powers Next Week

Our Learning Powers for next week are Henry in Oak, Poppy in Beech, Amelie in Willow and Chloe in Sycamore.



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.

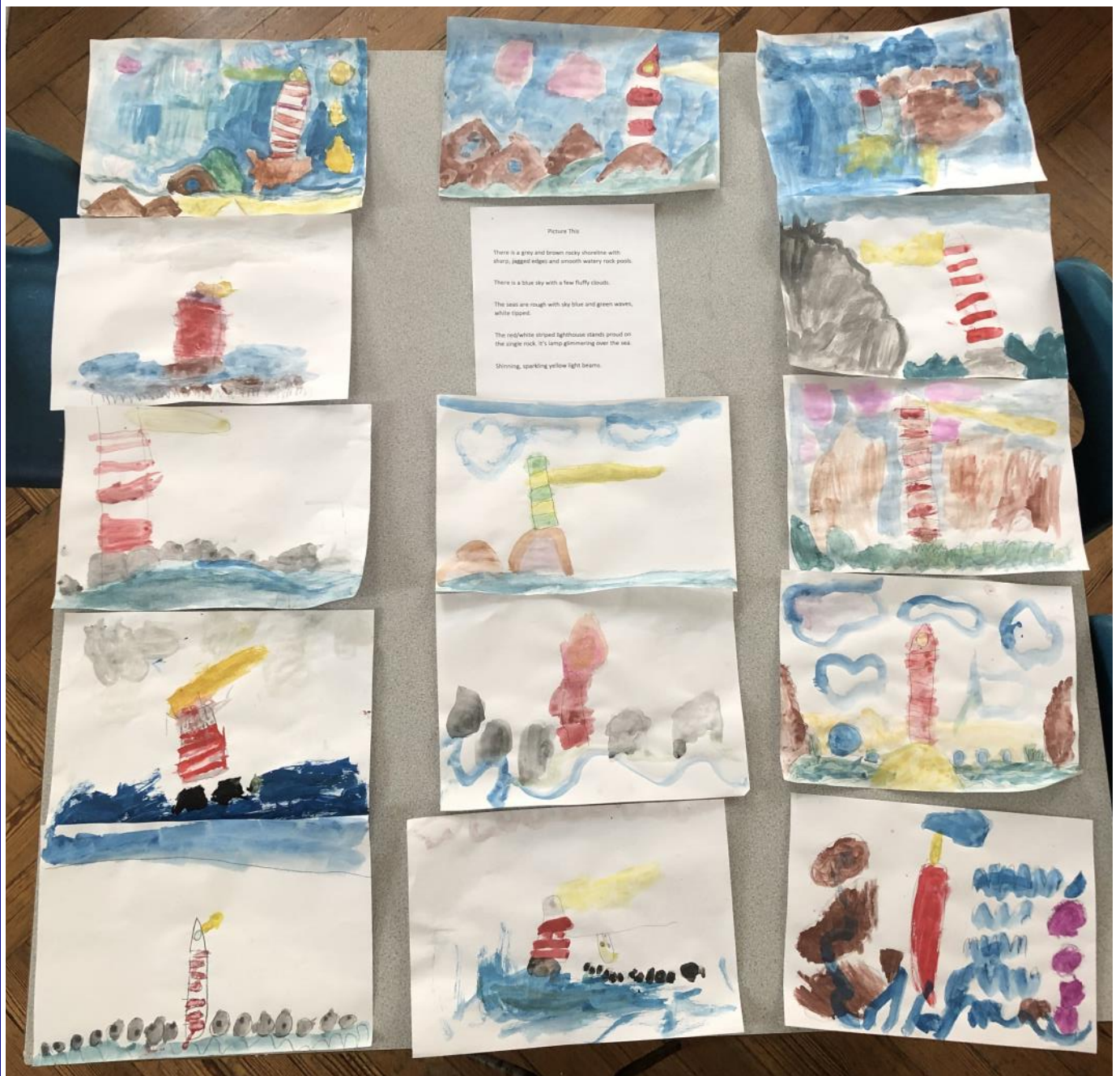
## Class Updates

### Oak

This week Oak Class have been creating some amazing scenery paintings. They used their fantastic listening skills to listen to a passage about a light house that Mrs Eldridge had written. See if you can spot everything from the description in their artwork. Everyone took their time and really thought about what they were doing.

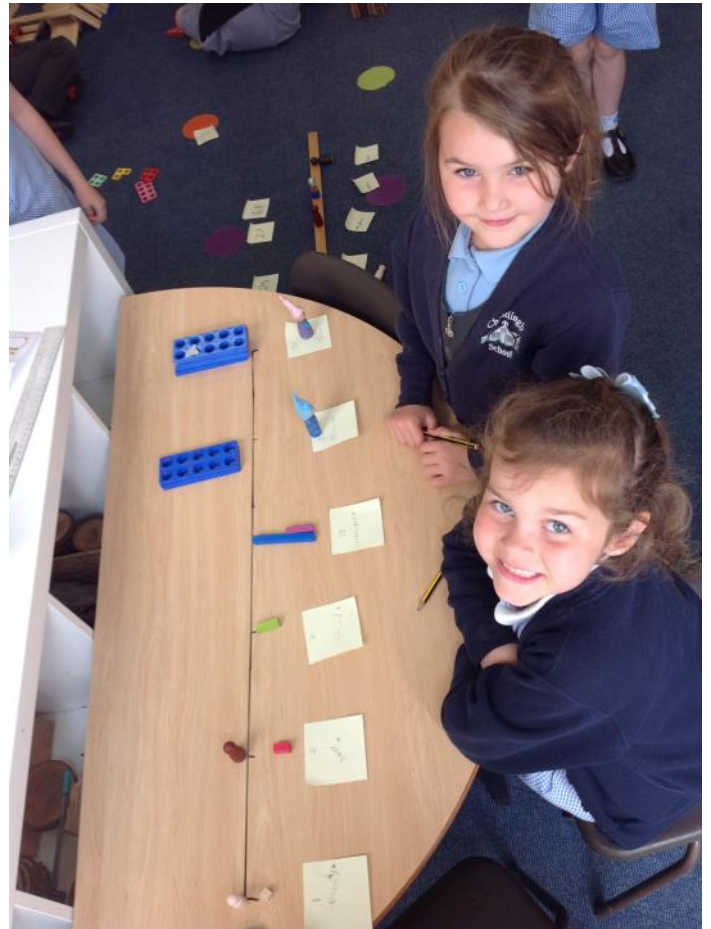
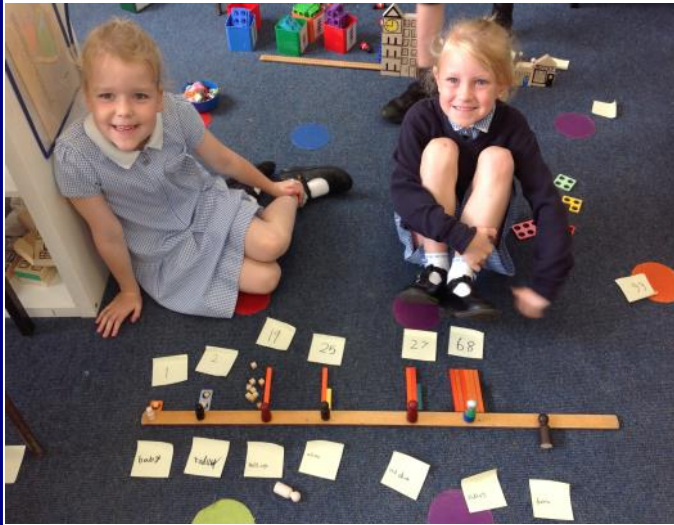
Picture This...

There is a grey and brown rocky shoreline with sharp, jagged edges and smooth, watery rock pools. There is a blue sky with a few fluffy clouds. The sea is rough with blue and green waves with white tips. The Red and white striped lighthouse stands proud on the single rock. It's lamp glimmering over the sea. Shining, sparkling yellow light beams.



## Beech

Beech Class have been learning about timelines this week and put the famous people they know on a timeline. They then created their own timelines of people they know and used the maths equipment to show the ages of the people! They have also been taking part in stem challenges and learning about engineering! They have looked at different bridge designs and names, then had a go at making their own from their designs!



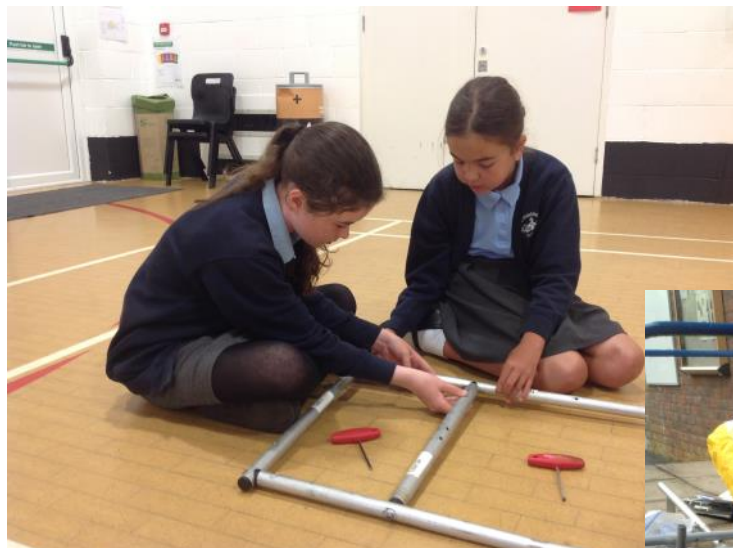
## Willow

Willow Class have been busy painting their pots in the ancient Greek style! They used a selection of typical Greek patterns for inspiration; they concentrated very well on them. There are some master pieces!



## Sycamore

Last week 10 members of Sycamore's Year 6 cohort represented themselves and the school brilliantly at their bike-ability sessions. All children progressed and achieved lots and the bike-ability staff were very complimentary about them too! Charles Stringer also came into school to work with small groups of Year 5/6 last week as they built and tested out a go-kart (Miss Webb and Mr Cline even got a ride!). Again the behaviour of the class was deemed 'exemplary' by Mr Stringer, and we look forward to racing our go-kart in a few weeks' time.



## Diners of the Week

The Diners of the Week this week are Pippa from the first sitting and Olivia O from the second sitting! Well done to you both!

The Top Table for this week is Martin Mushroom (Frances, Penny, Alicia and Olivia) from the first sitting and Ryan, Neo, Casey and Isobel from the second sitting. Well done to you all!



## Forest School

Oak and Beech had a fun-filled Forest School session this week in the beautiful sunshine! They did lots of activities, including playing 'spirits of the forest'. This is a game where Mrs Vile and Miss Boswell were the spirits and they were trying to change the 'animals' into trees!



## Eco Team

Coco has written a piece about what the Eco Team have been doing:

## Eco Team

The eco team started on the Monday 21<sup>st</sup> June 2021. There are representatives in each class: Oak (Bertie and Francis), Beech (Rowan and Freddie), Willow (Pixie and Holly) and Sycamore (Coco and Michael). There is a club after school on Monday.

Every day we do a different job, such as litter picking and checking the recycling bins. You can bring in old crisp packets, ink cartridges and batteries. Please don't bring in other snack packets, or crisp tubes. We are hoping to start recycling pens and glue sticks too.

We hope that all these actions will help the environment and make the school more eco friendly.



## Eco Team

Amber has written a piece about what the Eco Team have been doing:

# Eco Team

## What do we do?

Firstly, we do litter picks so animals don't eat the plastic or litter; we plant veg, fruit and other species of plant to help animals, insects and even us to have food and air.

## What can you do to help?

We collect crisp packets, batteries, ink cartridges and pens. So if you can please bring in any of those items.

## Why did we start this club?

We started this club hoping it would make a little change and that we can do our part to help the world and the environment we live in and to make this school as eco-friendly as possible.

## Thank you

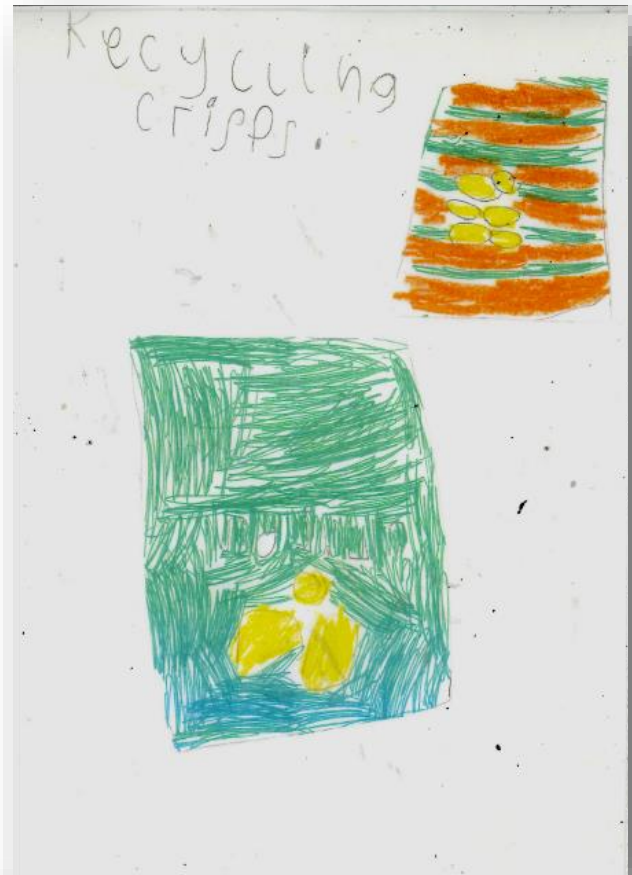
Thank you for reading this and we hope that it will make a difference.





## Eco Team

Below are some of the posters the Eco Team have created.



## Dates For Your Diary!

### July 2021

8<sup>th</sup> Teddy Bear's picnic for new Reception class

13<sup>th</sup> Sycamore trip to Branching Out

14<sup>th</sup> FGB meeting

15<sup>th</sup> Oak Class Pirate Day

16<sup>th</sup> Reports out to parents

16<sup>th</sup> School production dress rehearsal

19<sup>th</sup> Summer production 2.30pm and 6.30pm (details to follow)

20<sup>th</sup> Parent consultations-reports only

20<sup>th</sup> Leavers' service (details to follow)

**22<sup>nd</sup> End of term 6**

23<sup>rd</sup> Inset Day

### September 2021

1st INSET day

2nd INSET day

3rd Term 1 begins for Beech, Willow and Sycamore



# INSET and Term Dates for 2021-22

## School Term and Holiday Dates 2021-2022



	SEPTEMBER 2021	OCTOBER 2021	NOVEMBER 2021	DECEMBER 2021
Monday	6 13 20 27	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27
Tuesday	7 14 21 28	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30	7 14 21 28
Wednesday	1 8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24	1 8 15 22 29
Thursday	2 9 16 23 30	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25	2 9 16 23 30
Friday	3 10 17 24	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26	3 10 17 24 31
Saturday	4 11 18 25	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27	4 11 18 25
Sunday	5 12 19 26	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28	5 12 19 26
	JANUARY 2022	FEBRUARY 2022	MARCH 2022	APRIL 2022
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	MAY 2022	JUNE 2022	JULY 2022	AUGUST 2022
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### Bank and Public Holidays 2021 - 2022

Christmas Day*	Monday 27 December 2021	Early May Bank Holiday	Monday 2 May 2022
Boxing Day Holiday*	Tuesday 28 December 2021	Spring Bank Holiday	Thursday 2 June 2022
New Year's Day*	Monday 3 January 2022	Platinum Jubilee Bank Holiday	Friday 3 June 2022
Good Friday	Friday 15 April 2022	Summer Bank Holiday	Monday 29 August 2022
Easter Monday	Monday 18 April 2022		

\*Replacement Bank Holiday day when the bank holiday falls on a weekend

### Key

Staff Training Day (INSET DAY)	<span style="background-color: #90EE90; border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; width: 15px; height: 15px;"></span>	Start of term for pupils	<span style="border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; width: 15px; height: 15px;"></span>	End of Term	<span style="border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; width: 15px; height: 15px;"></span>	Public Holidays	<span style="background-color: #FFD700; border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; width: 15px; height: 15px;"></span>	School Holidays	<span style="background-color: #ADD8E6; border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; width: 15px; height: 15px;"></span>
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### Term Length (Days)

<b>Term 1</b>	1 September 2021	-	22 October 2021	38
<i>Autumn term break</i>	25 October 2021	-	29 October 2021	
<b>Term 2</b>	1 November 2021	-	17 December 2021	35
<i>Christmas break</i>	20 December 2021	-	3 January 2022	
<b>Term 3</b>	4 January 2022	-	11 February 2022	29
<i>February break</i>	14 February 2022	-	18 February 2022	
<b>Term 4</b>	21 February 2022	-	1 April 2022	30
<i>April break</i>	4 April 2022	-	18 April 2022	
<b>Term 5</b>	19 April 2022	-	27 May 2022	28
<i>May break</i>	30 May 2022	-	3 June 2022	
<b>Term 6</b>	6 June 2022	-	22 July 2022	35
			<b>Total</b>	<b>195</b>



# Chiddingly School art competition

To help celebrate Chiddingly Village's first ever scarecrow trail this summer, we would like to invite all children at Chiddingly School to take part in a scarecrow art competition!

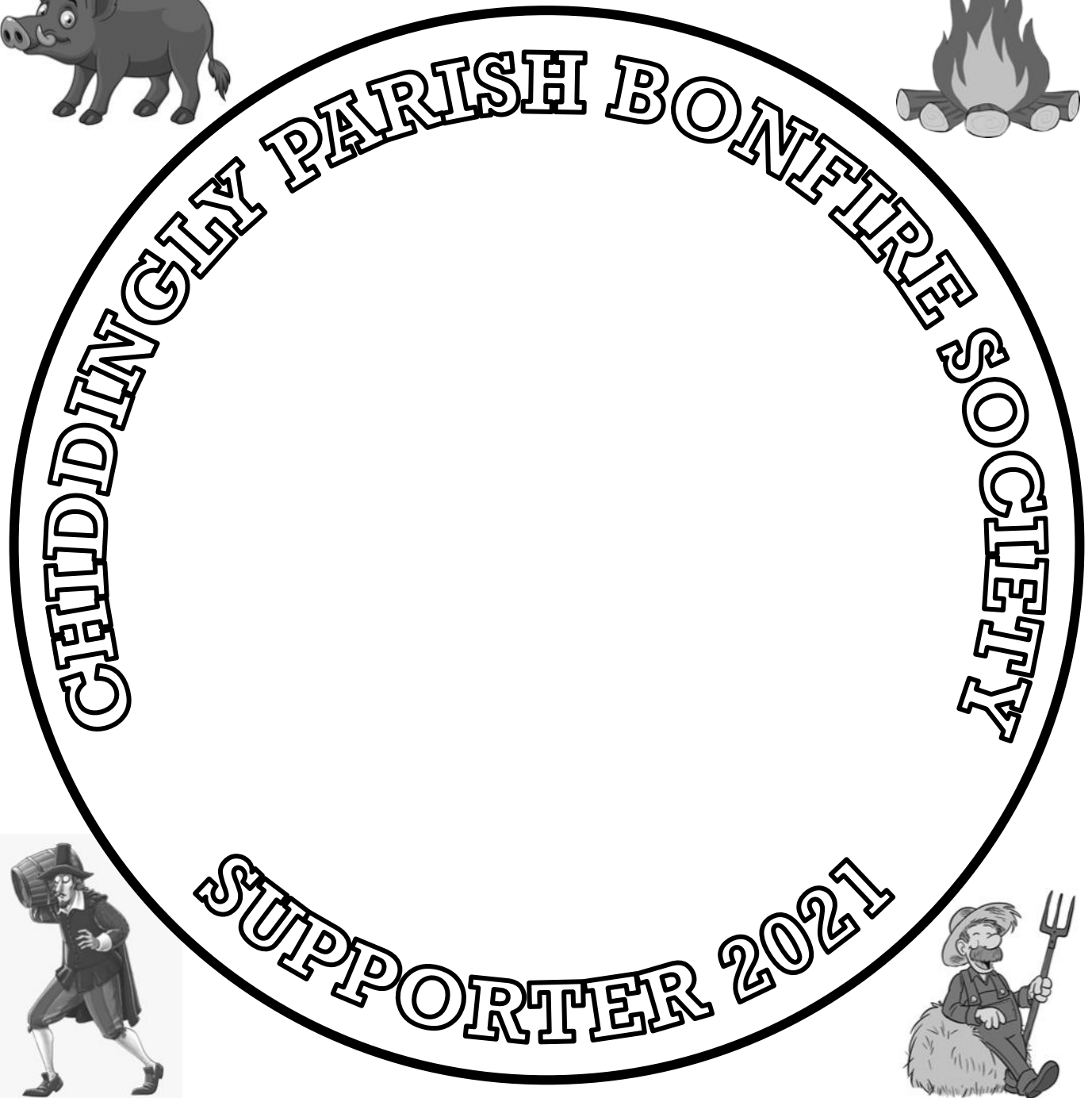
Win yourselves a special (chocolate!) medal and a £10 voucher to spend in Chiddingly Village Shop & Café. Prizes are up for grabs for the 'most creative' scarecrow drawing in three age categories (Reception, Y1 & Y2; Y3 & Y4; Y5&Y6).

All art-work submitted will be included in an exhibition during Chiddingly scarecrow trail week - 31st July to 8th August. You can pop into Chiddingly Village Shop or Chiddingly Village Hall then to see your work displayed!

You can draw and colour your scarecrow on the paper provided. We encourage you to use your imaginations and make your scarecrow as wild and wacky as you like! Feel free to push the boundaries - perhaps you would like to make a multi-media, or miniature model scarecrow instead of a drawing one?

Please just make sure to return your entries to school by **Friday 9th July**. Entry is **free**. Winning entries will be announced on Friday 16th July. We can't wait to see your creations!

# BADGE-TASTIC COMPETITION



**We need YOU to design our 2021 Supporters' Badge!**

A "Supporters' Badge" is an annual button badge collected by members of other bonfire societies and the general public to show their support for an individual bonfire society. The winning badge will be seen and worn by many people from across Sussex and Kent with pride. Now this key custom of Sussex's bonfire tradition is in your hands! - We have missioned you with the task of designing our Supporters' Badge to proudly represent and highlight the very best of Chiddingly and the Chiddingly Parish Bonfire Society.

The design for the badge can be anything you like, however we suggest making use of at least one of the following: the bonfire society's colours (**Navy Blue**, **Sun Gold** and **Sky Blue**), our boar mascot, pre-1950s agricultural workers (old fashioned farmers), village life, Guy Fawkes, fireworks and fire!

**Open to all school age groups. £2 Per Entry.**

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**Manor Primary School - Hailsham Pavilion Cinema**

2nd - 5th August. Premiere 5pm 7th August: 6 - 14 year olds. 36 places available  
9th - 12th August. Premiere 5pm 14th August: 6 - 14 year olds. 36 places available

### **HEATHFIELD**



**Cross in Hand School - Hailsham Pavilion Cinema**

16th - 19th August. Premiere 4pm 21st August: 6 - 14 year olds. 36 places available

### **BRIGHTON**



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