



Chipping Hill Times

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Events Diary

If there are any changes to the dates listed, we will notify you as soon as possible.

- 03.07.23:** Year 2 Trip to Barleylands
03.07.23: Reports to Parents
04.07.23: Year 6 Condors Activity Day
04.07.23: Inflatables Afternoon - Reception, Year 1 and 2 from 1pm to 2.30pm and Years 3 to 6 from 2.30pm to 4pm
05.07.23: Online Safety Day - Virtual Parents Meeting 8pm to 9.30pm
06.07.23: EYFS & KS1 Sports Day - Parent spectators from 9.30am to 11.30am
07.07.23: KS2 Sports Day - Parent spectators from 9am to 12pm
07.07.23: Get Witham Reading Initiative - Years 1 and 2
11.07.23: Year 6 Production at 2pm and 6pm
13.07.23: Friends of Chipping Hill School AGM from 1pm to 2pm in KS1 Hall
14.07.23: Year 6 Leavers Party and Celebrations
18.07.23: iRock Concert at 2.30pm - iRock will contact parents directly with further information
19.07.23: Year 6 Falcons Activity Day
21.07.23: Last Day of Term



Community Information

Information regarding the following has been included in the community section of our school website, please take a look if you would like further information. These are all third party events/information, not endorsed by the school, but they may be of interest to you.

- Witham Active Holiday Camp
- Clarks Back to School Appointments
- Wildcats—Girls only football training

Dear All,

It has been a busy couple of weeks with some of our Year 2 pupils going to District Sports, where they performed really well and were amazing representatives of our school. Our Year 1 children went on a trip to Danbury Park and had a fantastic learning experience and again were a credit to our school.

All classes have had an opportunity to visit their new classroom this week and most of Year 6 have had induction days at their new secondary schools.

If you have any unwanted dressing up clothes and/or play jewellery, suitable for school age children, we would be grateful to receive any donations. Please bring them to the school office, thank you.

A reminder that on Wednesday 5th July there is a parental workshop about Online Safety, being delivered by The 2 Johns. This workshop will be online for parents from 8pm to 9.30pm. I would urge all parents to attend this, as it is an important and serious matter in order for us all to keep our children safe. The children will be taking part in age appropriate workshops during that day and staff will also be receiving a workshop.

The link for the workshop is below, further instructions will be resent on Wednesday; <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82327005508>

Have a lovely weekend.

Natasha Robson
Head of School

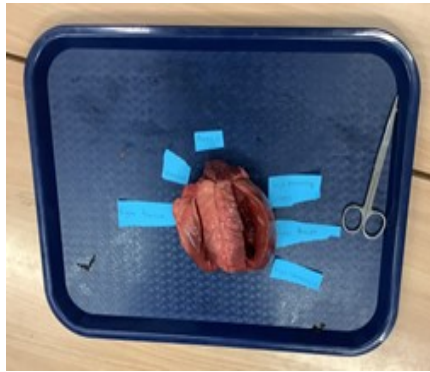
Lots to remember!

We appreciate there is a lot going on over the last few weeks of term so here are a few reminders of important communications that have gone out over the last couple of weeks.

- New School Website - www.chippinghill.essex.sch.uk
- Inflatables Afternoon - Tuesday 4th July; Reception, Years 1 and 2 from 1pm to 2.30pm and Years 3 to 6 from 2.30pm to 4pm. Please ensure a consent form has been completed for children in Years 3 to 6.
- Friends of Chipping Hill AGM on Thursday 13th July at 1pm until 2pm in the KS1 hall. We would be delighted to see as many of you as possible who would like to volunteer with the Friends. If you are unable to attend the meeting but are interested in getting involved please email admin@chippinghill.essex.sch.uk and we can pass your details on to the Committee.
- Many of the summer term clubs are coming to an end over the next couple of weeks. Please check the last dates for clubs which are listed at the end of this newsletter.

Year 6 - Heart Dissection

Our Year 6 classes had a lot of fun dissecting hearts back in May. This was part of their science work learning about the circulatory system. The pupils had a great time gaining some practical experience of inspecting and labelling the parts of the heart.



Mr Bevan's Golf Marathon

Mr Bevan, our Site Manager, has asked if as many people as possible can "support a sad old man with a golf fixation!"

He will be representing our school in a marathon 26-mile golf day, playing 72 holes over 16 hours. This is taking place on Monday 31st July from 5am to 9pm at Maldon Golf Club.

The aim is to raise as much money as possible for Prostrate Cancer UK, "due to my personal struggle in recent times I would, on behalf of our school, like to give something back, please sponsor me, even a little something would be lovely."

Mr Bevan will be making himself known on Sports Days if you would like to sponsor him!



Payment Reminders

If you are experiencing any difficulties with payments to the school please contact the school office and we will do our best to assist.

- Year 6 Falcons Activity Day: Please ensure permission and payment is received at school by Tuesday 4th July. This can be done online via Scopay or by returning the slip and payment to the school office.
- Super Supper Club Bookings for Autumn Term: Booking forms for the Autumn term will be sent out on Friday 7th July. All payments for this school year will need to be cleared before bookings for the new school year can be placed.

Child Safety

Unfortunately we have been notified of a number of concerning incidents regarding the actions of some parents and carers at school drop off and pick up. Please ensure you are parking sensibly and not creating a hazardous situation by your actions at these times of the day.

We also need to ask if consideration could be given to those children crossing from Wide Awake Club to their classrooms in the KS1 building of a morning. Please give way and ensure that these children are not split from their group. Thank you.



Recent Letters And Communications

- Year 6 Leavers Party and Celebrations
- Get Witham Reading Initiative - Years 1 and 2
- New School Website—www.chippinghill.essex.sch.uk
- Year 5—Residential Instalment Reminder
- Summer Raffle 2023
- Beresfords Advertising Boards
- Inflatable Afternoon
- September Updates for each Class
- Teacher Update for September
- Letter for Kingfishers Class
- Barleylands Trip Payment Reminder
- Friends AGM—Thursday 13th July
- Osprey Class Update



Summer Term Clubs

Please ensure you keep a note of the dates and finishing times of any clubs your child attends.

MONDAYS:

Choir (Year 1-6): End of term singing party on Monday 10th July 3.15pm to 4.15pm

Summer Multi Sports (Year 1, 2 & 3): From 24th April to 3rd July, finishing at 4.15pm

Boys Football (Year 3 & 4): From 24th April to 3rd July, finishing at 4.30pm (£35)

TUESDAYS:

Art Club (Year 1-Group 3): From 20th June to 11th July, finishing at 4.15pm

Tennis (Year 1 - 6): From 25th April to 11th July, finishing at 4.05pm (£55)

Girls Football (Year 3 - 6): From 25th April to 4th July, finishing at 4.15pm

Football (Year 1 & 2): From 25th April to 4th July, finishing at 4.30pm (£50)

WEDNESDAYS:

Hip Hop (Year 3 - 6): From 7th June to 12th July finishing at 4.15pm (£27)

Boys Football (Year 5 & 6): From 26th April to 5th July, finishing at 4.30pm (£50)

Athletics (Year 3 - 6): From 26th April to 5th July, finishing at 4.15pm

THURSDAYS:

Hip Hop (Year 1 & 2): From 8th June to 13th July finishing at 4.15pm (£27)

Athletics (Year 1 & 2): From 27th April to 6th July,



Dinner Menu Rotation

Week commencing 03/07/23: Menu 2

Week commencing 10/07/23: Menu 3

Orders for the weeks commencing 03/07/23 and 10/07/23 have now closed.

Menus for the final week of school will be sent out on Friday 7th July. This will include an option for the Year 6 American Themed Buffet which will be taking place for Year 6 in their classrooms at lunchtime on Thursday 20th July. The cost is £2 per child, payable via Scopay or cash to the school office unless your child is entitled to Free School Meals.

