



Chestnuts Primary School Newsletter



21st April 2017

Dear Families,

Thank you so much for making my first few days at Chestnuts so wonderful. It has been great to meet lots of you and get to know you and your children. I feel privileged to be your new Head teacher so thank you for making me feel 'at home'.

From Monday morning we will only be opening the main gate at the beginning of the school day and at home time. This is to ensure your child's safety at all times in school. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to ask.

We have recently changed our email systems and I know that some emails have been lost or not delivered. I am sorry for this and can reassure you that emails are now up and running! Have a fantastic weekend,

Mrs Horwood

A plea...

I am looking into grants to apply for some new and improved IT equipment. If any of you have any suggestions or contacts, please let me know!
Thank you.

Holiday Playscheme

To ensure that our holiday playscheme is successfully up and running for the summer holidays, there will be no holiday playscheme during the half term holiday (29th May – 2nd June).

If you have any questions about this, please speak to a member of the office team or make an appointment to meet with me.

Coffee morning

I will be holding a coffee morning to give you an opportunity to meet me on Friday 28th April at 9:00am. I look forward to meeting more of you then!

Uniform

Please make sure that your child/ren are appropriately dressed for school. Our school uniform consists of a gold polo shirt, brown or gold jumper and grey/black/brown trousers or skirts. We ask that children wear sensible, black shoes that are fastened to their feet for safety and no jewellery is worn. From September trainers can only be worn in the Nursery or Reception classes)

Dates for your Diaries

Wed 26 th April	Reception Parents Evening 1
Mon 1 st May	Bank Holiday (School Closed)
Wed 3 rd May	Reception Parents Evening 2
Wed 10 th May	Maple Class
Friday 12 th May	Blue Class
Wed 17 th May	Elm Class
Wed 24 th May	Sequoia Class
Friday 26 th May	Purple Class
Fri 26 th May	End of Half Term
Monday 5 th June	Back to School
Wed 14 th June	Palm Class
Friday 16 th June	Red Class
Wed 21 st June	Beech Class
Friday 23 rd June	Green Class
Wed 28 th June	Cedar Class
Friday 30 th June	Orange & Yellow Class Performance
Tuesday 11 th July	KS1 Sports Day
Wed 12 th July	KS2 Sports Day
Friday 21 st July	End of Term

School Dinner Reminder

Please remember that from now on the children can either have school dinners OR packed lunch for the entire half term. Please make sure your child's Teacher knows which option you are having.

We are turning towards being a cashless school. Please make all your payments through Parent Pay or credit/debit card.
Thank you

PSA News

REMEMBER THE DATE

BARN DANCE

FRIDAY 12TH MAY

5PM - 8PM

Ticket prices: 2 for adults, 50p for kids and £5 for a family ticket (for families with 3+ children)

LIVE BAND

BAR AND BBQ TOO