



CHESSWOOD JUNIOR SCHOOL

**Weekly Communication
Edition 17
Friday 19th January 2018**

**Upcoming key dates for the diary
(please see diary for extensive
list):**

Monday 22nd Jan: School
photographs

Friday 2nd February: School Disco

Thursday 8th February: Non School
Uniform Day – Make a wish
foundation

- 1. Reports – all – Information**
- 2. Inset Day Childcare facilities – all - action**
- 3. Sport News – All – Information**
- 4. World Book Day – all – action**
- 5. Celebrating Children’s Achievement – All – Information**
- 6. School Disco – all - information**
- 7. Current Vacancies – all – information**
- 8. External Events – all - information**

REMINDER SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS ON MONDAY

1. Reports – all – Information

Apologies due to a redesign of the pupil reports to make them easier to read and understand this has taken a little longer than expected.

Parents will receive a hard copy of the new simplified report by Wednesday. In addition to this simplified report a more detailed and thorough report will be available in the parent portal.

The simplified report will include parent details for the portal, so don't worry if you have forgotten them.

2. Inset Day Childcare facilities – all - action

Due to the arrangements we have with our part time teachers, all of whom work on a Wednesday, we typically need to hold our Inset days on Wednesdays during term time. We understand this can be inconvenient for working families so we plan to arrange child care facilities, at school, on Wednesday 14th March for families who need it.

The children will be cared for throughout the day by members of our school support staff, all of whom are suitably qualified, DBS checked and hold first aid qualifications.

Should you wish your child to attend, please request a form from Reception and send back to school, together with your cheque payment of £25.00 per child, in a sealed envelope for the attention of Kate Brown, School Finance Officer.

Alternatively, the form can be completed on our website and payment made via SchoolsBuddy. All forms and payments must be returned no later than Friday 2nd March 2018, please.

3. Sport News – All – Information



Girls Football Match

Girls from across Years 5 and 6 represented the school in a friendly match against West Park last Friday.

For many of the players this was their first experience of a full match.

The team started well against a strong opposition, but West Park managed to score a few goals before half time.

Second half was a much better performance and the team started to click, with Mya Houston scoring a fantastic goal

from 20 yards out.

Team: Mary-Grace, Izzy, Ella, Isla, Caitlin, Shania, Harriet, Mya and Olanna.

Year 4 Football League

3 matches this week in the league at Worthing FC. A difficult start against the favourites Orchards, was followed up with wins against Durrington (4-0) and Broadwater (5-1). The goals were spread among Alfie (2), Tate (3), Riley (2), Seb and Arthur and solid work from Harry in defence.

Team: Daniel, Harry, Tate, Seb, Bongani, Alfie, Arthur and Riley.

Swimming Gala

In early February the school will be trying to retain the swimming gala trophy won last year. We are looking to select a team for both Y3/4 and Y5/6. If your child wished to be considered for the event (Gala experience is a big advantage) please could you send me (tquick@chesswood.w-sussex.sch.uk) their times for the following events:

Year 3 & 4	Year 5 & 6
25m Front Crawl	50m Front Crawl
25m Back Stroke	50m Back stroke
25m Breast Stroke	50m Breast Stroke
	50m Butterfly

Upcoming Events

Tuesday 23rd – Y3 Girls Inter-House Football (Chesswood) **Girls will need to change at lunch**

Wednesday 24th – Indoor Athletics Areas Finals (Davison)

Thursday 25th – Y5/6 Mixed Basketball (Worthing High)

Friday 26th – Cross Country Area Finals (Windlesham House School)

Tuesday 30th - Y4 Football League (Worthing FC)

Thursday 1st Feb – Y6 Blue Football Team Vs Goring (Chesswood)

Friday 2nd – Y5 Blue Football Team vs Orchards (Orchards)

Club Cancellations:

Wednesday 24th Jan – Hockey

Thursday 25th Jan – Lower School Netball

4. World Book Day – all – action

Advance notice that on 1st March the school will be celebrating World Book Day. More details will follow nearer the time, but children will be invited to come to school dressed as their favourite book character. So please start thinking of costume ideas. We will be issuing prizes for the best costumes (voted by the Children, in Assembly).

5. Celebrating Children’s Achievement – All – Information

It is very important that Chesswood celebrates the achievements of its pupils, not just within school, but outside of school as well. Many of our pupils take part in numerous activities outside of school and regularly achieve fantastic results! If your child has achieved something outside of school that you feel we should know about, please contact Miss Taylor on staylor@chesswood.w-sussex.sch.uk

Well done to William in Year 3 who has passed a double grading in karate and moved up two belts to orange! He is taught the traditional Japanese style by an independent black belt karate teacher.



6. School Disco – all - information

Spring Term Disco

Friday 2nd February!

Years 3 & 4 - 5.00 - 6.15pm

Year 5 & 6 - 6.30 - 7.45pm



Tickets are £2 on the door

Hot Dogs 50p

Drinks, Tuck & Glow sticks will be
on sale on the night

7. Current Vacancies – all – information



Chesswood Junior School

Chesswood Road
Worthing
West Sussex
BN11 2AA
Tel: 01903 204141

Email: jobs@chesswood.w-sussex.sch.uk
www.chesswood.w-sussex.sch.uk
Head Teacher: Andrew Jolley

Teaching Assistant Required

N.O.R: 579: Years 3 to 6

Position: Teaching Assistant to commence 19 February 2018

Hours: Term Time Only – 18 hours and 45 minutes per week.

Pay scale: W03 Point 11, £15,807 pro rata, term time only

Contract: Temporary to July, possibility of becoming permanent in September 2018

Would you like to join a good school at an exciting time of development? Working with super staff, cheerful children, a creative curriculum, a helpful head, good governors, fantastic facilities and great grounds – now's your chance!

Chesswood Junior School are continuing to make significant changes to learning, teaching, the curriculum and assessment securing consistent best practice throughout the school. We are seeking an enthusiastic Teaching Assistant to join our team and provide good academic and pastoral support to our most vulnerable children. You would be working 1:1 with pupils with emotional needs, so experience with working with such needs would be an advantage, though not essential.

If you are:

- Highly motivated and committed to providing vulnerable children with a high standard of additional support
- Patient, caring and kind, and able to help vulnerable children understand how to communicate with peers effectively.
- Confident in your ability to successfully lead learning with individuals and small groups of children, under the direction of the class teacher.
- Ready for a positive challenge that will require you to be imaginative and creative

we would love to hear from you!

A copy of the job profile, application form and safer recruitment form can be found on our school website. Or please contact Mrs Diane Lycett, Administration Manager, by email as above, for further details. Visits to the school by potential candidates would be warmly welcomed. Applications will only be accepted on the correct application form.

- Closing date 10 a.m. Monday 5th February 2018
- Interviews on Thursday 8th February 2018

Chesswood is committed to the safeguarding and welfare of our children and young people and expects all staff to share this commitment. The post will be subject to an enhanced DBS check, health check and satisfactory references.



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Head Teacher: Andrew Jolley

Mid-Day Supervisor

N.O.R: February 2018 - 578 (21 classes) possibly rising to 720 over the next few years : Years 3 to 6

Position: Mid-Day Supervisor

Year Group: All

Pay scale: West Sussex Grade 2

Contract: Permanent contract

Commitment: 12.10 – 13.25, Monday – Friday, term time only (8hrs 15mins per week).

Would you like to join our good school at an exciting time of development? Working with super staff and cheerful children – helping supervise during the lunch time period?

If you are:

- Motivated and committed,
- Confident in your ability to work with children, giving them the best you can give,
- Ready for a positive challenge that will require you to be imaginative and creative,

we would love to hear from you!

Please contact Mrs Diane Lycett, Office Manager, by email as above, for a job profile, which can also be viewed on our school web-site, together with the application form. All applications must be submitted on the correct application form, please. Visits to the school by potential candidates would be warmly welcomed.

- Short listing: Monday 05 February 2018 from 09.00
- Interview date: Wednesday 07 February 2018 a.m.

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8. External Events – all - information



Whiteboard content:

- Educational Psychologist
- Teacher
- Headteacher
- NQT
- Train to Teach
- Business Manager
- Teaching Assistant
- Teacher Apprenticeship
- Governors & Clerks
- Apprentice

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