

# Information CHESSWOOD JUNIOR SCHOOL LEWS Published - 16/09/2022



## **Weekly Communication Roundup**

School Calendar here - Don't miss out!

### **Important Please Note**

#### Bank Holiday School Closed - Monday 19th September

Year 5 Pop Up Planetarium in school – 20<sup>th</sup> September

Harvest Festival – Wednesday 21st September 'Dress as a Super Hero'

#### Homework

Please Click here for information and guidance regarding your childs homework.

### Do you have a concern?

We hope you and your child have a great school experience. However, if you hold a concern about an experience at Chesswood Junior School, please share it with us. We always try to provide the best school experience we can for all members of the school community and we are interested to know where we can make improvements, small or large. Please use this email to share concern@chesswood.wconcern: sussex.sch.uk We will always respond within 5 working days and often much quicker than that. You may also tag specific individual professionals but we would ask that the concern@ email address is always used to ensure senior leaders are kept well informed of experiences for children and families.

## Keeping up to speed

We are very aware both professionally and personally how hard it is to keep up with communications from school and from everywhere else for that matter. And, nobody has the time to search for letters they think they might have missed and are experiencing understandable parent anxiety of the

understandable parent anxiety the consequences of missing important communications.

We hope the very clear links and organisation below will ensure you are able to find any school communication quickly and easily.

You may find the current and all previous newsletters for this academic year for reference on our website -Chesswood Junior School - Latest Correspondence

Newsletter from previous academic years may be found at -

Chesswood Junior School - Previous Academic Year Newsletters

You may find all current term correspondence for the whole school -

Chesswood Junior School - Current Academic Year Correspondence

Current and previous correspondence for specific year groups

Year 3 - Chesswood Junior School - Year 3

Year 4 - Chesswood Junior School - Year 4

Year 5 - Chesswood Junior School - Year 5

Year 6 - Chesswood Junior School - Year 6

Assembly information - click here

## **Weekly Attendance**

Bright Sparks – Turn up, Turn up on Time, Turn up Ready for Action!

The following classes have won the year group attendance trophies for Week beginning 5thth September. Well done!!

| Year 3      | Year 4     | Year 5                 | Year 6      |
|-------------|------------|------------------------|-------------|
| 3DH<br>100% | 4EV<br>99% | 5AL/5JS/<br>5HM<br>99% | 6PO<br>100% |



## Parent Governor Vacancies





Our governing body currently has vacancies for 2 parent governors.

Parent governors are people who wish to make a positive contribution to:

- the leadership and direction of the school
- · the quality of education of all children on roll now and in the future.

## Could that be you?

## If you

- are a parent of a child at Chesswood
- are interested in the bigger picture of school life and children's school experience.
- want to make a positive difference for all children
- are available for monthly meetings on Mondays 6:30-8:30p.m.

## We want to hear from you - Apply Online!

We are particularly interested in increasing the diversity of our governing body and would encourage interest from across our school community, helping us to represent ALL families more effectively.



Please visit <a href="https://www.chesswood.w-sussex.sch.uk/">https://www.chesswood.w-sussex.sch.uk/</a>
To find out more information (School Info > Governors > Governor Election)
Email: clerk@chesswood.w-sussex.sch.uk

Nominations close 12:00p.m. Friday 7th October 2022

Dream Aspire Achieve



#### Friends Of Chesswood



We will be holding our Annual General Meeting for the Friends of Chesswood on Friday 30<sup>th</sup> September at 9am. This is open to all so please come along and join us in the Staff Room after dropping the children off.

We are obliged to hold our formal AGM meeting to commence the new year but will keep this as brief as possible and will the continue with an informal chat to discuss events and fundraising for this school year.

Everyone is welcome, whether you are able to come to meetings to help plan, help with preparation behind the scenes or help at an event. Please com and speak to our team.

There will be coffee and cake available prior to the meeting which will start at 9am. We are happy for pre-school children to join us.

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#### **PE Timetable**

| Day       | Morning | Afternoon |
|-----------|---------|-----------|
| Monday    | All Y3  | All Y4    |
|           | Classes | Classes   |
|           | 6AH     |           |
| Tuesday   |         | All Y3    |
|           |         | Classes   |
| Wednesday | 6SJ     | 6NS, 6NB, |
|           |         | 6PO, 6RW  |
| Thursday  | All Y4  | All Y5    |
| _         | Classes | Classes   |
| Friday    | All Y5  | All Y6    |
|           | Classes | Classes   |

A Reminder that on PE days all long hair (shoulder length or longer) must be tied up and away from the face. All jewellery (earrings/necklaces/watches) should be removed before lessons for safety reasons. If earring have been recently pierced (within the last 6 weeks) they must be covered by tape or plasters. If your child is unable to take earrings out independently, please remove them at home before school on PE days.

## Year 4 PE week commencing 19<sup>th</sup> September

Please note that next week, Year 4 children will have PE on Tuesday (20th) and Thursday (22nd) - please send children into school wearing their PE kit on both of these days. The following week, PE will resume on Mondays and Thursdays. Thank you for your understanding.



## **Pupils Birthdays**

We will continue to celebrate pupils birthdays with a card from the whole school PLUS the added bonus of your child being able to wear their own choice of clothes on their special day. If your child's birthday falls on the weekend, or during the holiday period please choose the most appropriate day for them to have their non uniform day.

#### **Extracurricular Clubs**

An extra club has been added to year 3 and year 4. This will be a sports club. Please book this the same way as other clubs are booked using the My Child At School App. Recent communitaction on how to do this was sent this week.

#### Music





#### **Harvest Festival**

'Be a Hero Against Homelessness at Harvest'

On Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> September, we are asking children to dress as a super hero (or in their own clothes if preferred) and ask for a donation from the Turning Tides Autumn Wish List - see poster below.

Turning Tides will be coming to take part in our assembly this day.



# Family Information and Community Support



Girls Net – Rites for Girls

'For the past 6 weeks it was something I enjoyed doing and felt safe doing it with girls who were all individually unique and kind. When we finished tonight's session, I felt so loved and safe and accepted of who I was and nothing more, I stayed with that feeling for 5 minutes absorbing it and it was a feeling I want to go back to as many times as possible – and that is all thanks to you.

 $\underline{www.rites for girls.com}$ 

Please see the link below which is very useful to check if a website or link is a scam, phishing or legit

https://check.getsafeonline.org/

## Out of school achievements

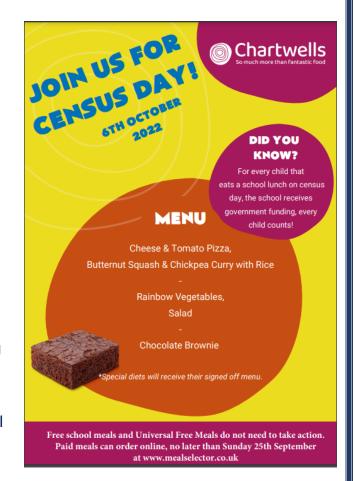


This is a photo of Ben Reeves (Year 6) receiving his cricket trophy from Mr Hicks for being the Under 10s All Rounder of the Year at Worthing Cricket Club this year. It was Ben's first full season playing and he did fantastically well. Well done Ben!



Max Williams-Walsh and Sammy Facey (both in year 6) achieved their 1st KYU in Karate this summer. Their next belt is black belt! Well done Max and Sammy.

Max Williams-Walsh also completed his stage 6 swimming!. Well done Max



#### Lyndhurst Infant School



# Open Day & Evening Sessions for Parents/Carers of Children starting school in September 2023

Thursday 6th October at 9:15am

Thursday 6th October at 10:30am

Wednesday 12th October at 5:00pm

Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> October at 9:15am Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> October at 10:30am

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> October at 9:30am

Tuesday 8th November at 9:15am

Tuesday 8th November at 10:30am

Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> November at 9:30am

Places at each session are limited, so please only book 1 session. Please contact the school office if you would like to book onto one of these sessions:  $\frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{2} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{2} \right) \left( \frac{1}{2}$ 

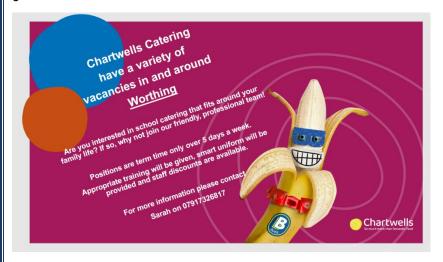
Tel: 01903 235390

Email: office@lyndhurst-school.co.uk

Open days will include a tour of the whole school and an opportunity to meet the Head Teacher.

Open evenings will also involve a tour of the school, but there will be no children 'at work'. The tour will be divided into two groups, one led by the Head Teacher and one by the Deputy Head Teacher.

\*\* These are information sessions for parents/carers only. Please book a session at a time that you can attend without children.







Chelsea FC Foundation is running a taster session for girls aged between Year 2 to Year 6

Tuesday 20 September and Tuesday 27 September

At The Sir Robert Woodard Academy

5.15-6.30pm

3G surface

Wear any kit of your choice

Bring plenty of fluids





