



## **CHESSWOOD JUNIOR SCHOOL**

**Weekly Communication  
Edition 03  
Friday 21<sup>st</sup> September 2018**

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

**Monday 24<sup>th</sup> September:**

Year 5 trip to Hestmonceux

Bristol residential meeting

**Friday 28<sup>th</sup> September:**

Year 5 pop up planetarium

Friends of Chesswood AGM

- 1. Worthless Campaign – All – Action**
- 2. AR Quizzes – All – Action**
- 3. Sports News – All – Information**
- 4. Year 6 Secondary Transfer – Year 6 – Action**
- 5. External events – all – Information**

### **1. Worthless Campaign – All – Action**

The West Sussex Youth Cabinet has put together a petition about the WorthLess? campaign. West Sussex receive less than half of what other constituencies do. This petition is an effort to create fairer funding for schools in West Sussex.

If you would like to support and sign the petition, please find below the link to do so:

<https://www.change.org/p/young-people-worthless-campaign-for-fairer-funding-in-west-sussex-schools>

### **2. AR Quizzes – All – Action**

To provide accuracy and consistency AR quizzes should now only be taken between 8:30 and 16:15 in school only. If any child requires assistance Miss Taylor is available to help guide children during lunch time and will be situated in the Upper School Library. Below is a link to guidance available on our school website:

<https://www.chesswood.w-sussex.sch.uk/page/?title=Accelerated+Reader&pid=255>

### **3. Shrek DVD – All – Information**

A reminder that Shrek DVD's are now available to purchase. They are £6 each, or two for £10 and are available from Reception.

### **4. Sports News – All – Information**

#### **Clubs**

Clubs have been up and running for a week and have been very well attended.

#### **Year 5 Netball League:**

What a start to the netball league for our Y5s – two convincing wins out of 2 matches. First, they beat Broadwater 6-0 and then Whytemead 7-0. The team passed and moved amazingly well.

Team: Thomas, George K, Emily, Sorrel, Alice, Daisy, Rosie and Doris.

#### **Year 6 Football League:**

3 games with a win, draw and loss for the team. The boys beat Whytemead, drew with Durrington and lost to Goring.

Team: Cameron, Reece, Alex G, Oscar, Stan, Otis, Charlie and Hayden.



### Penalty Shootout Y5

The team did fantastically well to finish runners-up in the competition held at Broadwater.

After finishing joint first in the round-robin the boys narrowly lost to Elm Grove in the final play-off.

Team: Harry, Alfie, Seb, George K, Tate and Riley.

### Upcoming Events:

Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup>: Y5 Football League (Worthing FC) & Y6 Netball League (Worthing College)

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> Oct: Y5 Netball League (Worthing College)

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup>: Y3/4 Girls Football Tournament (TAB Juniors)

Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup>: Y5 Football League (Worthing FC) & Y6 Netball League (Worthing College)

Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> (INSET DAY): Year 5/6 Girls Football Tournament (St Andrews)

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup>: Year 3/4 Netball Festival (Worthing College)

## 5. 'Phil the Bag' – All – Action

Year 3 are holding a fundraising event, please see below for further details:



**'Phil'  
the Bag**

[www.philthebag.co.uk](http://www.philthebag.co.uk)

**Year 3** are having a

**'Phil' the Bag**

**fundraising collection!**

**Our 'Phil' the Bag Recycling Day is on**

**Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> September 2018**

#### What can I donate?

Adult and childrens' clothing, hats, shoes, belts, handbags. We even take school uniform! We would love household textiles such as sheets, pillow cases, duvet covers, curtains and towels. As long as it is usable, we'll accept it.

#### What won't you take?

Blankets, bric-a-brac, duvets, pillows, sleeping bags, soft toys or rugs. We can't take carpet, fabric offcuts, wet items or tent canvas. These clothes will be worn again, so no items which are ripped or stained please.

#### What should I put it in?

Any kind of bag. Why not reduce the plastic we collect and put it in an old pillow case? We will recycle an plastic bags used.

#### Where should I take it?

The round tables on the Year 3 playground, before 9am on Tuesday 25th September.

#### Where will my clothes go once 'Phil' the bag collects them?

These textiles are then sold on & distributed to people who can use & enjoy them in developing countries, which at the same time saves our environment from the burden of further resources going to landfill.

## 6. Year 6 Secondary Transfer – Year 6 – Action

Please find below a list of open days and evenings available to parents of Year 6 pupils:

St Andrew's - Open Evening - Tue 2nd October, 5-8pm

- Open Morning for Chesswood - Thu 27th September, 9am (must book)

Davisons - Open Evening - Tue 2nd October, 5-8pm

- Open Mornings - Mon 24th and Tue 25th September, 9-11am

Worthing High - Open Evening - Wed 26th September, 5-8pm

Durrington High - Open Eve - Thu 4th Oct, 6-8pm

- Open mornings - Mon 8th to Fri 12th October, 9-10am

Chatsmore - Open Evening - Tue 9th October, 6-8pm

Bohunt - Open Evening - Thu 27th September, 6-9pm.

## 7. External events – all – Information



**SATURDAY 20TH  
OCTOBER**

**10AM UNTIL 3PM**

**BARNARDO'S OFFICES  
SATELLITE BUSINESS  
VILLAGE FLEMING WAY  
CRAWLEY RH10 9NE**

**BRIGHT FUTURES**  
brightfuturescharity.org.uk

**FREE WORKSHOP**

**UNDERSTANDING  
ADOPTION**

**FOR FRIENDS OR FAMILY OF ADOPTIVE FAMILIES  
IN EAST & WEST SUSSEX**

This workshop looks at the world through the eyes of the child who has experienced early years trauma before joining their new adoptive family, as well as an insight into the adoption process.

We aim to help you understand why they sometimes present with challenging behaviour and difficulties and discuss strategies and approaches which can help support the child and family.

This workshop is for friends & family only (adoptive parents do not attend). This allows opportunity for you to speak openly, honestly and freely. You are able to raise any worries, concerns or issues you might like addressed or for open discussion.

**BOOK YOUR SPACE ONLINE AT  
WWW.BRIGHTFUTURESCHARITY.ORG.UK**



## Need benefits advice?

**Disability Living Allowance,  
Universal Credit, Employment  
Support Allowance,  
Tax Credits and many more...**

If you care for a child or young person  
(0 to 25 years) who has a disability  
or additional needs, and you would like  
help, advice or guidance please contact:

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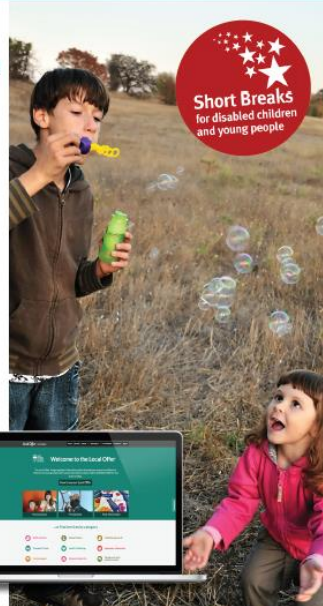
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## St George's Church Light Party

**Weds 31st October**

**5-6.30pm**

**Bring the whole family!**

**7-8.30pm**

**Neon Party**

**for school Year 6+**

**Prizes for the Brightest/Neon  
fancy dress!**

**(no Halloween costumes please)**

**Free Events!**

**St George's Road, BN11 2DS**

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