

# Our School Newsletter

Chandlers Field Primary School

2 February 2024 No. 18

## Our School Values



Aspirations



Perseverance



Courage



Compassion



Respect



Together

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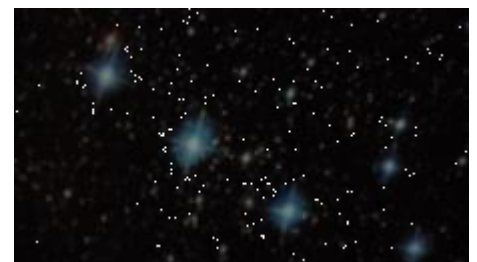
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### 1. News and messages

#### Reception Wonderdome Workshop

This week Reception went into the Wonderdome to support their learning with their Space topic. They learned the names of the planets and some fun facts about each. They discussed why astronauts have to wear space suits and Chloe spoke to them about Buzz Aldrin and Neil Armstrong— they even saw a picture of a footprint on the moon! At the end they learned some facts about the moon and got to watch a video about what NASA thinks the moon might look like in the future.



## Author Visit

On Tuesday this week we were thrilled to welcome John Row to our school. John is a story teller, poet and author and delivered workshops for all the children from Reception to Year 6. He told some of his fantastic stories and even created some stories with the children. The children were mesmerised by John and his story telling ability and left feeling inspired to start telling their own stories. What a great day!

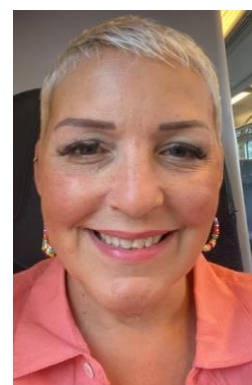


## Meet Mrs Cole

Hi, my name is Kim Cole and I am the new **Parental Support Advisor** at Chandlers Field School.

I am here to support you and your child/children by helping you navigate through any challenges you may be facing that are impacting on school or family life.

If you would like an informal chat please contact me by phone or by emailing [info@chandlers-field.surrey.sch.uk](mailto:info@chandlers-field.surrey.sch.uk). Alternatively, I am on the High Street gate during drop off and pick up daily.



### Support for parents/carers

- One to one support, listening ear and advice.
- Signposting to other agencies i.e. Information of local services.
- Access to community support and courses.
- Support groups for parents/carers.
- Support in accessing Early Help Intervention.

### Who might need my help and support?

- Parents/carers experiencing behavioural issues with their children.
- Families who are reacting to change, such as parental separation or bereavement.
- Parents/carers to improve attendance and punctuality.
- Difficulties impacting on family life e.g. illness, domestic violence, disability, financial.
- Signposting – information on local services, benefits and community activities.
- Support or signposting for help with benefit applications.
- Children who are experiencing difficult times or are withdrawn or anxious.

## Girls Football

After school girls' football will be cancelled next Thursday 8th February 2024 due to Mr Cambray being at the Year 6 Dodgeball Tournament, please collect your child at the end of the school day. Thank you.

## Reminder - Non-Uniform Day

On Friday 9 February we will be having a non-uniform day. Children can come to school in their own clothes, suitable for school and the weather, in return please bring in a donation of a minimum of £1.00. The money raised will go towards new classroom chairs.

## Safer Internet Day

The minimum age to use social media sites is stated below. Many children access sites who are below the minimum age. Advice is that it is up to parents and carers to monitor children's use while children are on the internet. The following link to Internet Matters provides excellent support to parents as well as insight into surveys of parental concerns. Online Safety Tips - <https://www.internetmatters.org/resources/social-media-advice-hub/>

- Talk to your kids about what they do online – do you know what they are doing online? Ask them who they interact with online and always mention for them to not to accept friend requests from strangers.
- If you are video-calling, ensure you either review or set up privacy and security settings on the device beforehand. Check out our parental controls where you'll find various settings for different platforms, apps and devices.
- Teach them to limit what they share, i.e., their personal details such as their full name, school, address, family/friend information, etc. Use a safe screen name. · Ensure yourself and your kids know how to block, mute or report on different platforms.
- Remind kids that once they post something online, they can't take it back. Even if the info is deleted from a site, you have little to no control over older versions that may exist on other people's computers and may circulate online.
- Review your kids' friends' lists regularly – you may want to limit their friends' list to only people you/they know · Create a digital agreement to set some digital rules about tech use in and out of the home.

### Age restriction guidelines for the current most popular Apps



## 2.Events diary for the year

### Dates for your diaries

2023 -2024	
06 Feb 2024	Safer Internet Day
08 Feb 2024	Year 6 Dodgeball Tournament
09 Feb 2024	Non uniform day – minimum donation of £1
09 Feb 2024	Friends of Chandlers Field Silent Disco
09 Feb 2024	End of half term
19 Feb 2024	Children return to school

19 Feb 2024	Art Week
28 Feb 2024	Art Exhibition
01 Mar 2024	Year 5 History Workshop
04 Mar 2024	Inset day (no children in school)
06 Mar 2024	Drama-based presentation by the NHS for Years 5 & 6
07 Mar 2024	World Book Day
07 Mar 2024	Reception Health Screening
11 Mar 2024	Reception Health Screening
12 Mar 2024	Parent & Carer Consultations
14 Mar 2024	Year 3 Sharing Assembly – 9.05 am
14 Mar 2024	Parent and Carer Consultations
16 Mar 2024	Cross Country Run
18-22 Mar 2024	Year 6 Bikeability (New date)
20 Mar 2024	Year 2 trip to Painshill Park
22 Mar 2024	Reception Stay and Learn session 2.00 – 3.15 pm
23 Mar 2024	World Maths Day
28 Mar 2024	Friends of Chandlers Field end of term ice cream sale
28 Mar 2024	End of Term, school finishes at 2pm
15 April 2024	Children return to school
24 April 2024	Class Photographs
25 April 2024	Coin Unit, Reception and Nursery cake sale
09 May 2024	Year 1 Sharing Assembly – 9.05 am
13 May 2024	KS2 SATs week
14 May 2024	Reception Stay and Learn session 2.00 – 3.15 pm
16 May 2024	Year 4 Sharing Assembly – 9.05 am
18 May 2024	May Fair
22 May 2024	Year 2 trip to Hampton Court Palace
23 May 2024	Year 1 & 2 Cake Sale
23 May 2024	Year 2 Sharing Assembly – 9.05 am
24 May 2024	End of half term
03 June 2024	Children return to school
05 June 2024	Year 5 Trip to Polka Theatre
08 June 2024	Molesey Carnival
19 June 2024	KS1 and KS2 Sports Day
20 June 2024	Reception and Nursery Sports Day
24 June 2024	Inset day (no children in school)
27/28 June 2024	Year 4 Bikeability

27 June 2024	District Sports
27 June 2024	Year 3 & 4 Cake Sale
10 July 2024	Friends of Chandlers field Sponsored Bounce
11 July 2024	Reception trip to Bocketts Farm
12 July 2024	Reports to Parents
16 July 2024	Parent and Carer Consultations to discuss Report
18 July 2024	Parent picnic lunch
18 July 2024	Year 5 & 6 Cake Sale
23 July 2024	Last day of term, school finishes at 2pm

Please note any new dates which are added will be highlighted in red

Please note dates in green are events that parents will be invited to attend

### 3. Celebrations and Attendance

#### 3. Celebration including attendance

#### Attendance for week commencing 29 January 2024

Year Group	Class	% Attendance
Coin unit	Wimbledon	85.5%
Coin unit	Waterloo	85.8%
6	Buckingham Palace	97.7%
5	Windsor Castle	90.8%
5	Regents Park	93%
4	Baker Street	93%
4	Bond Street	92.1%
3	Greenwich	92.8%
3	Kensington	97%
2	Pudding Lane	95%
2	Southbank	96.9%
1	Bloomsbury	94.4%
1	Hyde Park	87.9%
R	Bumblebees	80%
R	Dragonflies	76.4%

#### House Points

Ember	1522
Thames	1187
Mole	1342
Wey	1144



## 4. Friends of Chandlers Field notice

### Fundraising update

- Penny wars raised £612!!

#### Penny Wars! – 8th – 19th January

Thank you for playing. Well done to Regent's Park who won by £1.06 using genius strategy.

Prizes, including a refresh of your class library, will be with you soon.



	Total Points	Positive Points	Negative Points	Total in pot
Year 5 Regents Park	5,466	5,866	- 400	£ 62.66
Year 1 Bloomsbury	5,360	7,460	- 2,100	£ 95.60
Year 2 Pudding Lane	3,340	5,140	- 1,800	£ 69.40
Year 3 Kensington	2,537	4,837	- 2,300	£ 71.37
Year 4 Bond Street	2,138	3,138	- 1,000	£ 41.38
Year 2 Southbank	2,064	2,464	- 400	£ 28.64
Nursery	1,967	2,267	- 300	£ 25.67
Reception Bumblebees	1,107	1,507	- 400	£ 19.07
Reception Dragonflies	1,095	1,995	- 900	£ 28.95
COIN Wimbledon	1,017	1,317	- 300	£ 16.17
Year 1 Hyde Park	806	2,306	- 1,500	£ 38.06
Year 3 Greenwich	594	1,594	- 1,000	£ 25.94
Year 4 Baker Street	216	616	- 400	£ 10.16
Year 5 Windsor Castle	150	1,850	- 1,700	£ 35.50
COIN Waterloo	- 400	-	- 400	£ 4.00
Year 6 Buckingham Palace	- 623	377	- 1,000	£ 13.77
Staff	- 2,034	266	- 2,300	£ 25.66
				<b>£ 612.00</b>

#### Silent Disco – 9th February

If you have purchased tickets for the disco, you will receive an email next week.

### Further events

**28<sup>th</sup> March – End of term ice cream sale** Come and get a cool treat!

**25<sup>th</sup> April – Nursery, reception and COIN Cake sale** Parents (and children) of N, R and C please bring your donations to reception or straight to the stall.

**18<sup>th</sup> May – May Fair** Fun stalls to come and browse run by parents AND their children.

**23<sup>rd</sup> May – Year 1 and 2 Bake Sale** Parents (and children) of year 1 and 2 please bring your donations to reception or straight to the stall.

**27<sup>th</sup> June – Year 3 and 4 Bake Sale** Parents (and children) of year 3 and 4 please bring your donations to reception or straight to the stall.

**10<sup>th</sup> July– Sponsored Bounce** Raise money and have fun with a bouncy castle!

**18<sup>th</sup> July - Year 5 and 6 Farewell Bake Sale** Parents (and children) of year 5 and 6 please bring your cakes!

**Get in touch:** Please email: [friendsofcfs@hotmail.com](mailto:friendsofcfs@hotmail.com) or you can message 07816555949.



## 5. List of current clubs across the school

### Our School Clubs

### Spring Term 2023

Some clubs are run by external providers and some by staff. If you are interested in your child joining a club please contact the school office to see if there are spaces and what the charges are.

		Before school	Lunchtime	After school
Year 6	Monday	Dodgeball		Boys Football
	Tuesday		Signing Choir	Football ESP Judo Hungry Lions Cookery Club
	Wednesday	Running Club	Ukulele	Spanish Amigos Guitar
	Thursday		Online learning	Girls football
	Friday			Times tables club Netball
Year 5	Monday	Dodgeball		Boys Football
	Tuesday		Signing Choir	Football ESP Judo Hungry Lions Cookery Club
	Wednesday	Running Club	Ukulele	Spanish Amigos Guitar
	Thursday		Online learning	Girls Football
	Friday			Times tables club Netball
Year 4	Monday	Dodgeball		
	Tuesday		Signing Choir	Football ESP Judo Hungry Lions Cookery Club
	Wednesday	Running Club	Ukulele	Spanish Amigos Guitar
	Thursday		Online learning	Pop Star Performers
	Friday			Times tables club
Year 3	Monday	Dodgeball		
	Tuesday		Signing Choir	Football ESP Judo Hungry Lions Cookery Club
	Wednesday	Running Club	Ukulele	Spanish Amigos Guitar
	Thursday		Online learning	Pop Star Performers
	Friday			Times tables club
Year 2	Monday			
	Tuesday			Football ESP Judo
	Wednesday		Ukulele	Spanish Amigos
	Thursday		Online learning	Pop Star Performers
	Friday			
Year 1	Monday			g
	Tuesday			Football ESP
	Wednesday		Ukulele	Spanish Amigos
	Thursday			Pop Star Performers
	Friday			
Reception	Monday			

	Tuesday		
	Wednesday		Spanish Amigos
	Thursday		
	Friday		

## 6. Community Information Page

### 6. Parent support and courses

**READY STEADY**  
**CAKE**

Half Term Treat

Come with your children to make & decorate cakes, do some crafts & have some fun together

1:30 - 4 pm

Thursday 15th February

St Peter's Community & Youth Hub,  
Ray Road, West Molesey, KT8 2LG

Book via the QR code

 **St Peter's  
West Molesey**

## 7. Vacancies in School

We currently have a vacancy for a Class Teacher. This position is advertised on Eteach ([www.eteach.com](http://www.eteach.com)) where you can find out more information about the positions and an application form.