

Chilton Foliat Primary School Newsletter Thursday 5th September 2024



1 - With thankfulness, courage and love, we strive to improve heart and mind' Jesus said, "Everyone who drinks of this water will be thirsty again, but whoever drinks the water I give him will never thirst". John 4:13

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Dear Parents and Carers

A very warm welcome to school! We hope you have had an enjoyable summer and fingers crossed we can look forward to a few warm and sunny days yet. The summer pixies have been busy at school over the break receiving welcome help from volunteers from Medmix Ltd. Medmix Ltd, a local company based at Charnham Park, offered assistance as part of their community action plan which we gratefully accepted. Their enthusiastic support and painting skills were especially welcome as we carried out an internal building project, creating an extension to Muntjac Class and re-deploying space needed for a new staff room area. Wise Owls, Woody and our play tyres also got a new lick of paint. As well as making improvements to the physical layout of the school, our outdoor space has also developed. With the summer mix of rain and warmth, the organic meadow has bloomed. The building of our new Nature and Nurture structure has also begun. Once again we have lots to look forward to; friendships to be renewed and made; exciting learning to experience; a variety of enrichment opportunities to enjoy. With thankfulness, courage and love.



Meet Your Teacher – Tuesday 10th September 2024

Fallow, Muntjac and Sika classrooms will be open from 3.20pm until 4.00pm for parents and carers to drop in and have an informal chat with your child's new or existing teacher. Information about key areas of learning/homework will be available. Roe Class will be organising phonics sessions for parents and carers a little later in the year. You are welcome to bring your children into these sessions although we are unable to provide supervision.



PE Provision

Very sadly, Innov8 are unable to continue to help support us with our PE and Sports Provision due to a business re-organisation. The news was reluctantly shared by Innov8 at the end of the summer term. We are grateful to all the Innov8 coaches and instructors for enabling such a broad and balanced PE and Sports Curriculum and we have promised to keep in touch. Fortunately and after thorough research and recommendation, we are pleased to welcome FACE Sports, a coaching and sports activity company, who share a similar ethos and approach to Innov8.

We look forward to welcoming FACE (Fun, Active, Creative Events) to school from today, Thursday 5th September. Muntjac and Sika will have their PE lessons on a Thursday morning and afternoon and PE kit needs to be in school for the children to change into. Fallow Class will have their PE lesson on a Friday afternoon and they need to come into school in their PE kit on a Friday. Separate PE arrangements are applicable to Roe Class and further information will follow.

KS2 PE Muntjac and Sika Class – Thursday – PE kit in school.

KS1 PE Fallow Class – Friday – Children to come to school in their PE kit.



New School Website

We are looking forward to launching our new school website shortly. The intention is to enable exceptional access using any device, mobile phone, tablet, PC or other. As we begin the new academic year, we have several curriculum documents ready to send to you and to post onto our existing website. As we make the transition to our new website additional curriculum information will also be added. More news soon.

Dates for your diaries



Tuesday 10th September - Meet Your Teacher - 3.20pm to 4.00pm

Friday 13th September - The Friends - New Parents Meet and Greet - 9.00am to 10.30am in the Club House

Friday 20th September - The Friends - New Parents Meet and Greet - 9.00am to 10.30am in the Club House

Friday 27th September - Macmillan Coffee Morning organised by The Friends in the Club House Tuesday 1st October - Tri Golf Sports Cluster event (team from Year 3 & 4)

Tuesday 8th October - Tempest Individual Photographs - 8.30am to 11.00am

Thursday 10th October - Open Morning for prospective parents - 9.00am 12.00 noon

Thursday 10th October - Sika Class Team Building Day - Oxenwood

Monday 14th October - KS2 Football Festival - 10.00am to 2.00pm

Thursday 17th October - Parents Meetings - All Year Groups

Monday 21st October - Parents Meetings - All Year Groups

Tuesday 22nd October - Harvest Service, St Mary's Church, Chilton Foliat 1.30pm - 2.45pm

Wednesday 23rd October - TD Day - School closed to pupils - End of Term 1

Monday 4th November - Autumn Term 2 begins