

HEADTEACHER'S MESSAGE

Dear Parent/Carer,

Many parents will have seen recent national news around the "[Everyone's Invited](#)" website. This has allowed people to confidentially share their own distressing experiences on the site. Many of these are totally anonymous whilst some provide details of schools where such incidents happened. This has understandably caused great concern to parents and carers up and down the country. Although Churchfields is in no way implicated in anything relating to this site, I would like to reassure all members of the school community that we take our responsibility to safeguard children incredibly seriously. I strongly believe that the systems we have in place to keep our pupils' safe are robust. However, this national issue reminds us that no school can be complacent so we will be taking the opportunity to review the effectiveness of safeguarding at Churchfields over the summer term. I hope this provides peace of mind to members of the school community in light of the recent news.

Thank you to parents who have already signed up for the upcoming virtual parents' evenings using our online system. We have included details on how to do this in case you missed this last week. We encourage all parents to book an appointment to meet virtually with their child's classteacher at one of these evenings.

Kind regards,

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Simon Fletcher.

Mathletics

We are keeping it in the family this week with lots of siblings achieving this week. Fantastic to see yet

another gold certificate too - well done Emily.

GOLD: Emily M

SILVER: Eleanor, Emily M

BRONZE: Theo, Ezra, Oliver CJ, Florence, Ethan, Josiah, Alexis, Maddox, Oliver H, Emily J, William J, Leighton, Ted L, Vinnie, Violet, Emily M, Eleanor, George R

Parents' Evening Guidance

□ Please book an appointment to see your child's classteacher at <https://parents-booking.co.uk/churchfieldsvillage>. You do not need a password, simply use your child's legal name and date of birth to sign in. Contact the school office on admin@churchfields.wilts.sch.uk or 01225 703026 if you encounter any problems. You will need to be able to access your account on the night itself to join the meeting so please let us know if we can help.

□ Before your meeting is due to start, log on to your account to check everything is ready to go. We have found that it is best to use Google Chrome web browser for this if using your PC/laptop. Internet Explorer did not work for us.

□ Ensure your webcam and speaker/microphone (or headset) is set up and you have given your web browser access permission if required (often found under 'privacy' settings).

□ Several minutes before your meeting, a blue 'JOIN VIDEO APPOINTMENT' button will appear in your parents' booking account. Click this then wait for the teacher to finish their previous meeting. You will then be connected automatically.

□ If you are unable to connect with your child's classteacher during the time of your appointment due to technical issues, this will be logged by them and you will be contacted by the school office the following day to rebook. Please do not telephone the school at the time.

□ Appointments are ten minutes in length. In order to prevent you from having to wait at your computer, etc. for your meeting to start, the system will start and end every appointment on time. A timer will be shown during your video call to inform you how much time you have left. All teachers are very willing to continue any important discussions if necessary outside of your designated slot at another mutually convenient date and time.

Booking Dates:

□ The appointment evenings available are Tuesday 18th and Thursday 20th May for all classes.

□ Bookings can be made for these evenings using the online system from Monday 3rd to Sunday 16th May for all classes.

□ Kestrel class has an additional evening available for appointments on Wednesday 12th May. You may book these from Monday 3rd May to Sunday 9th May

HEADLICE

If you are concerned at any time that your child may have head lice, advice on what to look for and how to treat them can be found [here](#)



Class Photos Thursday 27 May

Tempest Photography will be visiting each base to take whole class photos on Thursday 27 May.

Contact details:

E: admin@churchfields.wilts.sch.uk

T: 01225 703026

www.churchfields.wilts.sch.uk



Churchfields
The Village School
Atworth Monkton Farleigh



News from Churchfields PTA

Our PTA and friends have been busy making plans and have lots of great fundraising ideas for Atworth and Monkton Farleigh. Newly appointed members Chairperson Georgie Charles and Co-chairperson Emma Bennet recently met with Mr Fletcher to discuss ideas. We will be revealing more in the coming weeks, so watch this space!

In the meantime, if you're free on **Sunday 9th May, the PTA will be at the White Hart in Atworth for the Artisan Fair**; you'll find us on a stall with cakes, a wonderful raffle, bric-à-brac and wine!! We'd love to see you there, it starts at **11am and finishes at 4pm**.

Finally, if you are interested in volunteering for us and/or joining the PTA, please let Georgie or Emma know, we can be contacted through the school office. The next PTA Meeting will be announced in the coming weeks.

See you on Sunday!

Georgie, Emma and our wonderful PTA"



The Lookout Holiday Club!

Tuesday 1st June, Wednesday 2nd June

And Thursday 3rd June.

Care available from 9am – 6pm, flexible to suit the needs of parents.

Our days will be planned around the children who attend and their interests! But they will include – sports and games, woodland activities and skills, den building, wood work, craft and handywork, adventure walks using the local woods, general fun and frolics! We also have the opportunity to bring in different activities and skills, such as sports coaches, artists etc to suit the children ☺

More details on our website - www.thelookoutdaynursery.co.uk or call us on 01225 858859 to discuss

Cost £5.50 per hour and includes all snacks, meals and activities.

Part-time job opportunity

Eynon Catering are looking for a person to help with kitchen duties for two hours a day Monday to Friday term time only at our Atworth base from June. Duties will include setting up the dining hall; serving lunches, clearing away and washing up. If you are interested and would like further details, please contact Steve at Eynon Catering on 01225 782623 or 07746488905



AT 8AM ON 07/05/21 JUNE HALF TERM HOLIDAY CAMPS WILL LAUNCH!

Time: 9am - 3pm (additional hours available)

Dates: Tuesday 1st June - Friday 4th June 2021

Venues:

Corsham Pound Pill School - Corsham (all 4 days)

Aloeric Primary School - Melksham (all 4 days)

Queens Crescent Primary School - Chippenham (all 4 days)

Bathford Primary School - Bathford (Tues - Thurs)

Cost: £22 per day (additional £3 for 8am start or 4pm finish)

Book early to avoid disappointment. Primary aged children of all abilities are welcome.

PLEASE NOTE

ON THE WEBSITE YOU WILL SEE OPTIONS FOR GROUP 1 or GROUP 2. PLEASE BOOK YOUR CHILD INTO THE SAME GROUP FOR THE ENTIRETY OF THE HOLIDAYS TO ENSURE WE KEEP CHILDREN IN SMALL, CONSISTENT GROUPS.

For a full description of each camp, information on how we will be keeping your children safe during COVID-19 and our terms and conditions head over to our website, you can also BOOK YOUR PLACE on there from **8AM ON 07/05/21**.



Term 5	
Tuesday 18 May	Virtual parents evening until 7pm
Wednesday 19 May	YR. Reception Vision Screening
Thursday 20 May	Census Day roast dinner
Thursday 20 May	Virtual parents evening until 6pm
Thursday 27 May	Tempest class vista photos
Friday 28 May	End of Term 5
Term 6	
Monday 07 June	Start of Term 6

Future INSET days for Academic Year 2020/2021: **Thursday 22 July and Friday 23 July**

INSET days planned for academic year 2021-2022

Wednesday 01 September 2021

Tuesday 04 January 2022

Friday 08 April 2022

Monday 06 June 2022

Monday 25 July 2022

