Churchfields' Weekly Newsletter

Friday 10 March 2023

Dear Parent/Carer,

I am delighted to inform you that we have appointed Emma Bennett to the position of Fund Raiser for the school. Emma will be joining us with a wealth of experience including as an active member of our PTA. A warm welcome to Emma to the staff team.

Unfortunately we have not been as successful with filling the Teaching Assistant position at our Monkton Farleigh base. As you are aware, Mrs Game will be leaving the school at the end of next week when the position will become vacant. I have re-advertised the role on the Wiltshire vacancies website. If you would be interested in an incredibly rewarding role in our friendly, hard-working school, please do consider applying. No experience is necessary as on the job training would be provided. If you would like an in-confidence informal conversation with me about the what the role entails, please contact the school office.

Kind regards,

Simon Futcher.



Congratulations to Nightingales not one but two golds this week! It's always brilliant when those weeks of consistent work

pay off and the top of the podium is achieved.

GOLD: Oliver CJ, George R

SILVER: Bodhi B, Oscar BH, Oliver CJ, Teddy E, Alexis G, George R, Kaan, Branwen

BRONZE : Bodhi B, Oscar BH, Bodhi C, Benjamin, Oliver CJ, Teddy E, Josiah, Alexis G, Maddox, Hector G, Henry H, Oliver H, Emily J, William J, Leighton, Livinia, Morgan, Alexis M, Finlay, Ryley, Christina, Joseph, George R, Kaan, Scarlett, Harrison, Branwen

Cool Milk - School Milk

We are starting to find that we have quite a lot of milk left over at the end of the school week. Although children under the age of 5 receive milk for free, parents/carers that pay for the service for older children may want to consider whether this should continue. For more information go to https://www.coolmilk.com/fags/

Floating gardens project

Next week, Falcons and Kestrels are working on a DT project to make floating gardens. We would be very grateful for donations of suitable



materials which would otherwise be recycled: plastic drink bottles, small plastic and polystyrene food trays, straws, packaging with air pockets, cartons, corks, yoghurt cartons and bubble wrap.

British Science Week 2023



13 March to 17 March is British Science week and as usual Churchfields the village school will be getting involved and there is a letter alongside this newsletter with what you need to know ahead of next week.



Parents Evenings
Tuesday 21 March and Thursday 23 March

Please make sure you book for parents evening, sign-up sheets are available at both bases before and after school.

Thank you





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Term 1: Thursday 1 September – Wed 19 October Thursday 01 September – children back to school Wednesday 19 October – INSET DAY (school closed)	Term 4: Monday 20 February – Friday 31 March Monday 20 February – children back to school Friday 31 March – INSET DAY (school closed)
Term 2: Monday 31 October – Friday 16 December • Monday 31 October – children back to school	Term 5: Monday 17 April – Friday 26 May Monday 17 April – Children back to school Monday 1 May – Bank holiday (school closed) Monday 08 May – Bank holiday (school closed)
Term 3 Tuesday 03 January – Friday 10 February • Tuesday 03 January – INSET DAY (school closed) • Wednesday 04 January – children back to school	Term 6: Monday 5 June – Tuesday 25 July Monday 05 June – children back to school Monday 24 July – INSET DAY (school closed) Tuesday 25 July – INSET DAY (school closed)

TERM DATES FOR 2022 - 2023

DATE	EVENT
Monday 13 March – Friday 17 March STEM Week	
Monday 13 March	SATS information for parents/Carers – Monkton Farleigh 3pm & Atworth 3:15pm
Tuesday 14 March	Science Day whole school Atworth Base
Wednesday 15 March	Governors meet parents/Carers at 6pm-7pm at Atworth – Academy close
Thursday 16 March	Swimming Nightingale Class
Friday 17 March	Catherine Barr Scientist author visit both Bases
Friday 17 March	No GEM Learner Monkton Farleigh
Friday 17 March	Red Nose Day
Monday 20 March – Friday 24 March No teacher led clubs this week	
Tuesday 21 March	Parent's evening until 7:30pm
Thursday 23 March	Swimming Nightingale Class
Thursday 23 March	Parent's evening until 6pm
Friday 24 March	Easter concert 2:30 -3:30 Atworth school hall
Monday 27 March	Indoor Cricket Melksham Community Campus KS2
Tuesday 28 March	Easter Service Atworth Church 1:15pm all welcome
Thursday 30 March	Swimming Nightingale Class
Friday 31 March	INSET DAY school closed to pupils
Friday 31 March	End of term 4





