

Churchfields' Weekly Newsletter

Friday 16 June 2023

Dear Parent/Carer,

I hope you are managing to keep cool during this unusually hot weather. Our year five and six pupils have been making the most of the sunshine on their residential with the Wiltshire Outdoor Learning Team. I had the privilege of visiting them yesterday, and their enthusiasm for the plethora of activities they were undertaking was contagious! Well done to every child for engaging so wholeheartedly with the occasion and a huge thank you to Miss Ottner, Miss Blood, Mrs Artus and Mrs Wooster for their round the clock education and care.

I am delighted to be able to confirm class organisation for the beginning of the new academic year. There will be no change to the current Monday/Friday organisation for Kingfisher and Woodpecker classes for the autumn term; Miss Davis will be extending her maternity leave until the end of term two which means we will be thrilled to continue working with Mrs Marsh in Nightingale class during this time; and Mrs Reid will be reducing her teaching days to two per week and sharing her responsibilities with Mrs Evans. All teaching assistants will remain with the same classes, groups or pupils as currently.

Atworth

Kingfisher

Monday - Friday	Mrs Genner
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Woodpecker

Monday	Mrs Evans
Tuesday - Thursday	Mrs Pugh
Friday	Mrs Genner/Mr Kiely

Nightingale

Monday - Wednesday	Mrs Marsh
Thursday - Friday	Mrs Liddiard

Kestrel

Monday - Friday	Miss Ottner
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Monkton Farleigh

Robin

Monday - Tuesday	Mrs Reid
Wednesday - Friday	Mrs Evans

Falcon

Monday - Friday	Mrs Croker
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Tomorrow is the Monkton Farleigh Fete from 2-5pm at the Manor. Everyone is welcome to attend, and you will be treated to watching our Monkton Farleigh base pupils sing and dance for your pleasure. We look forward to seeing you there!

Finally, please remember that next Friday is our 'Extravaganza Day'. Mrs Genner has been working tirelessly to organise this magical day which promises to be one to remember. Please refer to the accompanying poster for further information on timings and spread the word.

Have a lovely weekend.

Kind regards,

Simon Fletcher.



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Mathletics

An unusual week with no golds. Plenty of certificates though!

Well done to all those mathletes earning recognition this week.

SILVER : Sam F, Edie, Hector G, Emily J, Livinia

BRONZE : Bodhi B, Bodhi C, Ezra, Benjamin, Oliver CJ, Teddy E, Sam F, Alexis G, Maddox, Edie, Hector G, Dexter, Rufus, Oliver H, Tomas, Emily J, William, Livinia, Ted L, Morgan, Finlay, Ryley, Bodhi PH, George R, Isabella R, Scarlett, Harrison, Isabella S, Jamie



Birthday Books

We would like to thank, Harry L for donating "Do Not Open This Book" by author, Andy Lee.

Happy 5th Birthday Harry!

Kestrel/Nightingale Swimming Thursday 22 June - Drowning Prevention Week

Melksham Community Campus have sent us information about Drowning Prevention Week. During the schools lesson they will be covering personal survival, what to do in an emergency and how to potentially help someone who has fallen into water without putting yourselves in danger.

They would like to invite children to bring pyjamas to wear over their swimming costumes for their lesson, just so they can get a feel for what it is like to be in water with clothing on. They are aware that not all children will want to do this, so it is not mandatory.

They recommend that lightweight clothing is worn (pyjamas seem to work the best).

Things that cannot be worn are:

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| o Joggers | o Denim |
| o Hoodies | o Onesies |
| o Skirts | o Night dresses |

More information about staying safe in and around water can be found on the Royal Lifesaving Society Website <https://www.rlss.org.uk/Pages/Category/water-safety-information>

Or [Family Water Safety](#) | [Royal Life Saving Society UK](#) (RLSS UK)



Cardboard Donations Needed For Nightingales Iron Age/Stone Age Project

On the week commencing 26th June, Nightingales will be finding out about

different Iron Age tools and weapons and how these differ from those in the Stone Age. As part of this, we would like to create our own using cardboard. It would be a great help if we could have some donations of flat pieces of cardboard from boxes or packing before this time.

Many thanks,

Mrs Marsh



A message from Churchfields Fundraiser

Hi Everyone.

Friends of Churchfields have lots of events coming up next term. Please see the poster for more information.

We are looking for volunteers to help us on sports day,

- We need help on **Thursday 13th July** in the evening to put our new marquee up. If you can spare an hour or so that evening, please let us know.
- We need volunteers on **Friday morning, 14th July** to get set up ready for the fete
- We need volunteers on **Friday afternoon, 14th July** to run the stalls and help pack down and tidy up

Please let us know if you can help by contacting either Emma or Georgie or email us on thevillageschoolpta@gmail.com

Fundraiser



Atworth Outdoor Swimming Pool

As most of you are probably aware, at our Atworth base we are lucky enough to have an outdoor swimming pool. Unfortunately since the pandemic we have been unable to open the pool and it has fallen in to disrepair.

Tasked with a very optimistic ambition of opening the pool this summer, a fantastic team of parent volunteers have worked incredibly hard to revamp the pool. We can't thank these volunteers enough, who have given up their afternoons, evenings and weekends to bring our pool back to life.

Together we have removed all the weeds (and continue to do so), the paving slabs have been pressure washed, fences and gates have been repaired. The changing rooms had the original, leaky roof removed and new roof felt was fitted, the windows have been replaced, it's had a fresh coat of paint and the insides will be refurbished. Pool World from Corsham have been in numerous times this week to get the pump running and get the pool clean and ready for use.

So far, we've gone from this ... to this!



We would like to thank all of the parent volunteers who have helped with this transformation. We could not have done this without you.

Emma Bennett

Zoe Gibbs

Alex Jenn

Laura Grant

Keeley Hampton

Gregg Carter

Louise Alford

Rob Densem

Carlo Rinaldi

Iwan Williams

Viv Kenchington

Heather Johnson

Allie Mitchell

Al Bennett

Jack Grant

James Milne-Smith

With just a few finishing touches to be made, we are hoping by the end of next week the children will be able to use the pool - let's hope this glorious weather continues.

This is a fantastic resource for our small school and we don't want to lose it. We need to keep fundraising to keep the pool running year after year, enabling the children to practice to swim, improving their levels of physical exercise and contributing towards improving their mental health.

So please look out for our future fundraising opportunities and support us if you can.

If anyone would like to join the swimming pool committee and help us with the day to day running of the pool please either speak to Emma Bennett or email EBennett@churchfields.wilts.sch.uk If we have enough volunteers we may be able to open the pool during the summer holidays, so please do speak up if you think you can help out at all.

We are very much looking forward to opening the pool and seeing the children spending many happy hours splashing around.

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Term dates for 2023/2024

Term 6: Monday 5 June – Tuesday 25 July (2023)	Term 1 Monday 4 September – Friday 18 October (2023)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Monday 24 July – INSET DAY (school closed) Tuesday 25 July – INSET DAY (school closed) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Friday 1 September – INSET DAY (school closed) Monday 25th September – INSET DAY (school closed)
Term 2: Monday 30 October – Wednesday 20 December (2023)	Term 4: Monday 19 February – Thursday 28 March (2024)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Monday 30th October – INSET DAY (school closed) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Monday 11th March – INSET DAY (school closed)
Term 6: Monday 3 June – Monday 24 July (2024)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wednesday 24th July – INSET DAY (school closed) 	

Term 6	
Saturday 17 June	Monkton Farleigh Fete
Tuesday 20 June	Atworth R23 Induction afternoon 1pm -3pm
Wednesday 21 June	Cluster music project St Laurence
Wednesday 21 June	Monkton Farleigh R23 Induction afternoon 1pm -3pm
Thursday 22 June	Kestrel class swimming
Friday 23 June	Extravaganza day
Tuesday 27 June	Melksham Oak taster day YR 6
Tuesday 27 June	Atworth R23 Induction afternoon 1pm – 3pm
Wednesday 28 June	Monkton Farleigh R23 Induction afternoon 1pm -3pm
Wednesday 28 June	ST Laurence YR 5 Cluster Curriculum Day
Thursday 29 June	Kestrel class swimming
Friday 30 June	Y6 Corsham induction day
Tuesday 04 July	YR6 leavers trip to Bath
Tuesday 04 July	R23 Teddy Bears picnic 1:30 pm – Both bases
Thursday 6 July	Kestrel class swimming
Thursday 06 July	YR6 Induction day St Laurence (1 of 2)
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Friday 07 July	Non-uniform day for Tombola
Monday 10 July	Castle Combe race track 5-8 pm
Monday 10 July to Friday 14 July	Sports Week
Tuesday 11 July	Rocktopus – Atworth
Tuesday 11 July	BMT Piano lessons cancelled at Atworth – (Due to sports week)
Tuesday 11 July	Ukulele lessons cancelled at Atworth – (Due to sports week)
Thursday 13 July	YR6 Induction day St Laurence (2of 2)
Thursday 13 July	Kestrel class swimming
Friday 14 July	Sports afternoon with PTA event 1pm onwards
Friday 14 July	Pupil Reports go home
Tuesday 18 July	Move up morning
Wednesday 19 July	Leavers service St Michaels Church 1:15pm
Thursday 20 July	Summer disco 5:30 – 7pm
Friday 21 July	Last Day Term
Monday 24 July	Inset Day
Tuesday 25 July	Inset Day



ATWORTH HISTORY GROUP

1973 - 2023

Presents an Illustrated Talk
to celebrate its 50th Anniversary

A HISTORY OF ATWORTH FROM THE ROMANS TO THE THIRD MILLENNIUM

in the Village Hall

on Saturday 24th June at 2:30 pm
and Monday 3rd July at 7:30pm

FREE ENTRY

FRIENDS OF CHURCHFIELDS

EVENTS

17th
June

**MONKTON FARLEIGH
FETE**

4th
July

TEDDY BEARS PICNIC
1:30PM

FOR 2023 NEW STARTERS AT ATWORTH & MF

7th
July

NON UNIFORM DAY

PLEASE BRING PRIZES FOR THE TOMBOLA

10th
July

**CASTLE COMBE
RACE TRACK**
5-8 PM

14th
July

**SPORTS DAY
& SUMMER FETE**

BBQ, BAR, BOUNCY CASTLE, ICECREAMS, GAMES

20th
July

SUMMER DISCO
5:30 - 7PM

More info on [ChurchFieldsWilt.com](http://www.ChurchfieldsWilt.com)

Spurgeons
Together with families

Course Dates July 2023
Request your place: 0800 970 4669

Please note details may be subject to change.
Information correct as of 02/06/23

We have even more sessions coming up across
Wiltshire in August and September. Dates out soon!



Ready To Start School

Helpful tips and strategies to prepare your
little one for starting school. Join us for
our 2 week programme starting:

Windmill Hill Children's Centre, Tidworth

Tuesday 11th July, 1.30pm - 2.30pm

Devizes Children's Centre, Devizes

Wednesday 12th July, 1.30pm - 2.30pm

Five to Thrive

Join us for 5 fun filled practical sessions
where we can share ideas to develop the
positive connection between you and
your child.

Little Folly Children's Centre, Salisbury

Wednesday 5th July, 10.00am - 11.00am

Online via Microsoft teams

Thursday 6th July, 1.30pm - 2.30pm

Being a Parent

Via Microsoft Teams

7pm-8.30pm, Wednesdays from 5th July

A 9 week course run by parents for parents of
children aged 2-11 years. Parents learn practical
communications for everyday life to bring up
happy, confident and co-operative children.

Baby Massage

For parents and their non-mobile babies. Join
us for 4 weeks learning how to encourage
bonding and communication through touch.

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Monday 3rd July, 1.30pm - 2.30pm

Little Folly Children's Centre, Salisbury

Wednesday 5th July, 10.00am - 11.30am

Devizes Children's Centre, Devizes

Thursday 6th July, 1.30pm - 2.30pm

Windmill Hill Children's Centre, Tidworth

Monday 31st July, 1.30pm - 2.30pm

Bookstart

4 fun weekly sessions where you and
your child can explore stories and
rhymes in fun and creative ways.

Tidworth Library

Monday 3rd July, 10.30am - 11.30am

Devizes Library

Tuesday 4th July, 10.00am - 11.00am

Salisbury Library

Tuesday 4th July, 10.00am - 11.00am

Marlborough Library

Thursday 6th July, 10.00am - 11.00am



What Parents & Carers Need to Know about MONEY MULING

Money, making involves individuals – very frequently young people – being recruited to banks, legal chambers, and other offices for the purpose of carrying out a variety of tasks. In the past, these tasks have been the kind of activity they've become entangled in. And of course, given the fact that many of these young people are themselves in a legal form of trouble, they're often being recruited to carry out these tasks for the sake of their own legal defense. This is a kind of legal defense that is often associated with money, making, and people's parents and others with whom they're up to help a certain young person's legal defense. So, in essence, by the way, in the past, the kind of

WHAT ARE THE RISKS?

LEGAL REPERCUSSIONS

Young people may be lured by the promise of quick money, but by doing so they will be courting serious penalties in addition that can have severe legal and financial consequences. Money laundering is a serious offence under UK law. Involvement in such schemes can result in imprisonment and fines (or both). Furthermore, the threshold for criminal responsibility in the UK is 10 years of age.

ONLINE RECRUITMENT

Cyber-savvy animals are increasingly using various online methods, including social media pages and gaming platforms, in their attempts to recruit young people as potential money mules. The criminals often disguise themselves, sometimes posing as girls, to earn initial interest and attention. They seek to exploit their trust and natural

POSSIBLE EXPLOITATION

Money muling is frequently carried out in tandem with other organized criminal activities such as the drug trade or human trafficking. Not only is money muling a criminal offense in its own right, therefore, but it could also expose young people to harmful situations as well as potentially putting them in contact with some seriously dangerous individuals.

FINANCIAL LOSSES

If they (were unknowingly) transfer funds that are traced back to criminal activities, money received can have extraordinary financial consequences. Their bank may freeze their accounts, and they can be held liable for any illegally obtained funds. People involved in money laundering often see and themselves at greater risk of becoming entangled in other forms of criminal financial activity and fraud.

LONG-TERM CONSEQUENCES

Improvements in money rolling can have a lasting negative impact on a young person's reputation, education and employment prospects, and place additional strain on their family life. A conviction of financial fraud would significantly damage a young person's future opportunities; they could be barred from opening a bank account, taking out a mortgage or even becoming a driver license.

Advice for Parents & Carers

EDUCATE AND COMMUNICATE

Talk to your child about the risks and consequences of money muling, emphasizing the importance of making informed decisions and seeking guidance if they feel it. Create an open, non-judgmental space which encourages them to share their concerns and confidences, ensuring they feel comfortable getting help if they suspect they may have become involved in money muling.

MONITOR ONLINE ACTIVITIES

If you have concerns, you might want keep a closer than usual eye on your child's online presence, including their profiles on social media and any gaming platforms that they use. These can often serve as useful early warning systems which might help you to detect any signs of attempted recruitment by criminals or other types of suspicious behaviour.

TALK ABOUT MONEY

Discussions about avoiding being recruited as a money mule are also good opportunities for a talkover with your child about financial responsibility and good money management. It's also a helpful starting point for highlighting the importance of saving their money for instant needs and the potential consequences of getting involved in illegal activities, both online and offline.

STAY INFORMED

Criminola's methods and approaches to recruiting young people as money mules frequently evolve to reflect the online landscape. Try to stay abreast of criminola's current tactics and make time to regularly check out resources provided by activists, law enforcement and financial organizations. The Don't Be Fooled Campaign ([at www.moneymules.co.uk](http://www.moneymules.co.uk)) has plenty of useful information and advice.

REPORT YOUR SUSPICIONS

If you have reason to believe that your child, one of their friends, or someone they know has been recruited into a money muling operation, seek support and then report your suspicions. For your own safety, please don't attempt to directly confront anyone you suspect of organising money muling. Instead, contact Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.

Meet Our Expert

Does everyone have a power rank and is assessing structural stress, finding aspects of your own life interesting – especially in terms of learning? I have never heard about power rank and I am not sure about structural stress. But I will be happy to help you with your questions. I am a professional and I am a professional.



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School's out for summer!

It's always best to be prepared

During the summer holidays, without the distraction of school, internet usage for many young people can increase all the way up to September. This guide is designed to help parents with a realistic approach to help keep their children safe when using the internet, social media and playing online games. Please click on each image below for more information.



A Parent's Guide to Social Media



A Parent's Guide to Sharing Pictures



A Parent's Guide to Gaming



A Parent's Guide to Live Streaming



A Parent's Guide to Online Grooming



A Parent's Guide to Online Influencers



A Parent's Guide to Fake News



A Parent's Guide to Privacy Settings

Online safety is when young people know who they can tell if they feel upset by something that has happened online.

Parents please contact your school if you would like to attend a parents internet safety workshop or have any concerns.

Schools please [contact us](#) if you would like a SKIPS Safety Net session delivered to your parent groups or staff.

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