



CHURCHFIELDS PRIMARY SCHOOL



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2nd July 2023

Dear parents and carers,

Can you believe we only have 3 weeks left of the summer term? We break up for the summer on Thursday 20th July at 2:00 for Nursery – Year 5. Year 6 will leave at 2:15 and I hope many of you will stay to wave them off as they leave Churchfields for the last time.

A letter will come out this week with classes for next year. I am pleased to say we have appointed a new teacher, Miss Bailey, who will be starting in September and Mr Sinclair, who will be joining us as a sports coach and will help us to develop our PE curriculum further.

REMINDER

Re: Strike action – Wednesday 5th July and Friday 7th July

As you may be aware from recent news coverage, following a further national ballot the members of the National Education Union - the largest teaching union in the UK - recently voted to take strike action again. This is strike action in relation to national issues and the vast majority of schools in the country will be impacted.

The next strike action will take place on the following dates:

- Wednesday 5th July
- Friday 7th July

As you will appreciate, the number of staff who will potentially be on strike on those days will have a significant impact on the running of the school. As such, the following decisions have been made in relation to each of the strike days:

Wednesday 5th July – school will be closed to all year groups. Currently year 6 will still be attending their year 7 transitional day at the high school. We will still have our transitional day for our new Nursery and Reception intake for September.

Friday 7th July – school will be closed to all year groups.

If your child is in receipt of free school meals, a Microsoft form link will be sent to you so you can order a packed lunch for the two days.

School dates

Summer Term 2023

Staff & Pupils: Monday 5th June – Thursday 20th July

Training Day: **Friday 21st July - School closed**

Summer Holiday: Monday 24th July – Friday 1st September

School Terms and Holiday Dates 2023 / 2024

Autumn Term 2023

Teacher Training Day 1: Monday 4th September

Teacher Training Day 2: Tuesday 5th September

Term Starts: Wednesday 6th September.

End of Half Term: Friday 27th October

Holiday: Monday 30th October to Friday 3rd November

Teacher Training Day 3: Monday 6th November

School Starts: Tuesday 7th November

Term Ends: Friday 22nd December.

Holiday: Monday 25th December to Friday 5th January

Spring Term 2024

Term Starts: Monday 8th January

End of Half Term: Friday 9th February

Holiday: Monday 12th February to Friday 16th February.

School Starts: Monday 19th February.

Term Ends: Friday 22nd March

Holiday: Monday 25th March to Friday 5th April

Summer Term 2024

Term Starts: Monday 8th April

May Day: Monday 6th May

End of Half Term: Friday 24th May

Holiday: Monday 27th May to Friday 31st May.

School Starts: Monday 3rd June.

Term Ends: Friday 19th July
Holiday: Monday 22nd July

Two more training days to be arranged for academic year 2023-2024

Other important dates

Wednesday 5th July Transition Day (new Nursery and reception intake and Y6 at high school)

Wednesday 12th July 1:45 Nursery graduation

Thursday 13th July 1:45 RSL graduation

Friday 14th July 1:45 RSN graduation

Friday 14th July 7:00 – 10:30 Year 6 FEST Festival evening

Tuesday 18th July 6:00 Yr 1,2 and 3 awards evening

Wednesday 19th July 6:00 Yr 4,5 and 6 awards evening

Thursday 20th July 9:30 Year 6 Leavers assembly

Friday 21st July Training Day

Stars of the Week

Nursery	Archie Whelan for having a super week of learning
Reception Mrs Locker	Erinjade Hewitt for always being the best she can be
Reception Mrs Nixon	Kiera-May Whitehurst for being the best she can be
1B	Jaxson Statham for having an excellent week of learning
1M	Lukas Brookes for trying hard to recall sounds during phonics
2M	Ivy Weaver for showing excellent independent writing skills
2R	Lottie Cope for showing a fantastic attitude and independence towards her learning
3HS	Oscar Barrow for always being the best he can be
3RS	Leighton-Blake Amison for excellent effort in his learning this week
4B	Harley Wallace for being resilient with his independent work
4S	Junior Hall for being the best he can be throughout the week
5A	Amelia Elkins-Shaw for consistently demonstrating the school values
5S	Martin Weaver for excellent effort in all areas
6C	Vaughan Weaver for pushing himself out of his comfort zone
6S	Caoimhe Holland for working hard all year to improve her writing

Blues

On 30 we have: Lois Barlow, Evie Cartwright, Paulina Cypryanska, Jay Tugrul, Indiana Birks, Olivia Pitchers, Emily Naylor, Dexter Blaczkowski, Mariette Obioha, Ronnie Clewes, Joel Arrowsmith, Sullivan Moore, Lucy Millward

(and joining, this week) Ayla Gajewski (Reception Locker) Zach Jenkins (4B) Evie Hill (6C)

On 20 we have:

Alarya Carnall, Logan Jackson, Maya Ward, Minnie Clewes, Elsie Podmore, Remi Spilsbury
Lottie Lockett-Dutton, Isaac Forshaw, Leo Fox, Reggie Harding, Rebeca Sinitari
Evie Hastings, Grace Copeland, Daisy-Mae Dale, Hannah Nash, Eloise Chadwick, Lily Gallimore
Ruby Sargeant, Nova-Rae Roberts, Arya Jones
Ivy Weaver, Max Harper, Martha Murinas, Eddie Titley, Charlotte Hammonds
Linkin Sargeant, Riley Tipping, Kadie Brown, Oliver Tondos
Liam Daley, Olly Birks, Shiloh Richards, Parkerjai Williams, Ella-Rose Petrillo, Molly Weaver Bobby
Kirkham, Charlie Sidebottom, Imogen Hollinshead, Lacie Critchlow
Kayla Leese, Myla Brown, Myles Brown, Joshua Jackson, Isobel Woodcock
Blake Christer, Heidi Podmore, Tobias Lindsay-Cope, Leon English, Dexter Podmore, Logan Harrison,
Angel Colton
Leah Bennett, Holly Currie, Lottie Lee, Darcy Viggars, Alexis Oliver, Reuben Poole

Joining the 20 team, this week are: [Harley Maddox \(Reception Locker\)](#) [Ava-Mae Diskin \(3RS\)](#) [Lucas Hackney \(5S\)](#)

Head Teachers awards

NUR	Minnie Clewes for always living up to our school values
RECEPTION	Jayden Wilkinson for always trying his hardest in everything he does
Y1&2	Ivy Weaver & Julia Cypryanska for fantastic writing
Y3&4	Finlay Haden for super swimming
Y5&6	Kayla Leese for being the best she can be

Attendance

Year 6 best attendance for year so far on 96% (Y1 are on 95%)
Year 6 best year group attendance of the week on 94%
Attendance best class this week = 2R 98%
We must also praise: 6C on 97%
Whole school attendance for the week is 92%

Any general queries or if you are unsure who to contact – office@cfp.school or headteacher@cfp.school
Thank you for your continued support,
Diane Beardsmore
Headteacher