



Chaddlewood Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Week two and it feels like we were never away! Clubs are starting back up and the children seem to have found their feet. Lots to celebrate this week so please read on.

A special welcome to our Foundation parents who may be receiving our newsletter for the first time. We try to ensure the weekly newsletter is a mixture of celebrations, news and information so I encourage you to read it through each week. ☺

Welcome to Foundation!

It was lovely to see all our new Foundation children start this week and how grown up they look in their new uniforms. Mrs Carol Jones organised two coffee gatherings on Monday for parents to meet each other and have perhaps a shoulder to cry on! She has said it was lovely to see so many parents attend as it was the most she can remember. What a great start to the Foundation year.

MTA Jobs

We have two vacancies for MTA's starting ASAP. Please contact Lynn Ebsworth in the office if you would like to apply for this role.

KS2 Playtime Snacks

There seems to have been an increase in the amount of children who are bringing in cereal bars or fruit based chews or wingers for KS2 playtime snack. We discourage these as they can have a high sugar content and cause a sugar high then dip mid-morning. To remedy this and reinforce our healthy eating message, as of Monday we ask that all playtime snacks are either fruit or vegetables. As we said to the children in assembly yesterday, 'if it doesn't grow please don't bring it for play time snack!' Thanks you for your support with this issue.

Upcoming Events

19th September

Meet the Teacher meetings @ 3.45pm or 4.15pm: Change of time

7pm Friday 28th September

Autumn Camp out on the school field. Detail to follow

19th October

Individual photos

6th November

Foundation Open Afternoon for prospective parents and children

28th November

Flu prevention for some children

12th December

Christmas Carol Service at St.Mary's Church

Year 1 Stars of the week:

1SA: Tilly Morris

1CP: James Horton

Times Tables Rock Stars

Most correct answers

1st - Finlay Lyon

2nd - Georgie Jensen

3rd - Poppy Donald

Largest improvement in rock speed

1st - Ethan Thom

2nd - Sasha Kerr

3rd - Emalaini Mucunabitu

This week's KS2 Class Cup Winners:

3BR - Kiera Willey

3AR - Harley Lumsden

4SV Morgan McTighe

4JD Neve Armitage

5DP - Evie Howard

5MS - Fallon Mclaughlin

6LF - Riley Tregear

6KS - Erin Jones



FREE tables and chairs

We have some plastic chairs and fold out tables to give away to good homes that were previously used in the hall at lunchtime; if you would like them please contact the school office. They would be perfect for car boot sales or brownies/scout groups.

Premiersport

We are now working with Hannah from Premiersport on a Tuesday and Wednesday which means we are able to offer additional football and gymnastic clubs on a Tuesday. Please complete payment on the school money system if you would like to sign up to the clubs detailed below.

Tuesday	Wednesday
8.00-8.45am KS1 Gymnastics SPACES AVAILABLE	8.00-8.45am KS2 Gymnastics
3.20-4.30pm Foundation, Year 1 and Year 2 football	3.20-4.30pm Year 3 and Year 4 football SPACES AVAILABLE

Meet the Teacher Evening

Our meet the teacher evening is on Wednesday 19th September and is a chance for your child's new class teacher to share the curriculum, planned experiences and expectations of the year ahead and for you to ask questions about your child's learning this year. Each year group will have two identical sessions. One at 3.45-4.15pm and one at 4.20-4.50pm to ensure you have the opportunity to attend a session if you have children in two different year groups.

The Friends of Chaddlewood School

Our PTA, 'The Friends', have developed a new logo which will help identify the group more clearly. It is a great design and will be used on Friends promotional material from now on. Thanks to Emma Amm for organising it.



School Lunches

Cater-ed have asked me to remind parents that the price for school lunches increased to £2.20 at the beginning of this term.

Exim Dance club

Will be starting again next Friday, available for children in Years 1- 6. To book your child a place please log onto your school money account and pay the £22. There will be 11 sessions running every Friday from 21st September through to Friday 7th December. Times 3:30pm-4:30pm.

This week at Chaddlewood:

* Our Foundation children started and we are already so impressed by their attitudes to learning!

*Our new bike and scooter pod is being incredibly well used and I have never seen so many children cycling to school. We were able to buy the pod by accessing a travel grant through Plymouth city Council. More details will be shared next week.

*This week we elected our new School Captains for 2018-19. A huge congratulations to Ben Street and Poppy Donald (Yellow Team), Thomas Hensman and Alisha Clarke (Blue Team), Finley Smallshaw and Lucy Tompkins (Green Team) and James Wroe and Beth O'Donovan (Red Team).



As ever please contact us with any questions, compliments or concerns.

Kind Regards: *Sarah King* [Headteacher]

2018-19 Dates: These are the dates that the children are in school.

Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
4 th September – 21 st December 2018	8 th January – 5 th April 2019	23 rd April – 19 th July 2019
Half – term: 22 nd - 26 th October. Children return on the 30 th October	Half – term: 18 th – 22 nd February	Half – term: 27 th – 31 st May
		Bank Holiday: 6 th May 2019

