

**SUMMER TERM
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June**

CHERRY TREE PRIMARY SCHOOL



Our Mission Statement

Bringing out the best in each other as we blossom and grow

Our Values

*Happy, Aspirational, Resilient, Independent,
Open-minded, Compassionate*



SCHOOL NEWS

Sports Morning

For the first time in a few years, the weather was kind to us and we were able to hold our Sports Morning on the original day planned! Indeed the conditions were perfect and our Sports Morning was enjoyed by all. We were all very proud of our children who encouraged and supported one another in their house groups. I was particularly impressed with the children's resilience during the mini marathon. Some of our children have strengths other than running, but this did not stop them from having a go. Huge congratulations to all of our children and also to the winning house 'Morello' (Red)!

Of course, we did have a competitive element to our Sports Morning as well as cooperation and team spirit, therefore I am also proud to announce the winners of the competitive events as follows:

Class	Girls' Flat Race	Boys' Flat Race	Girls' Javelin	Boys' Javelin	Girls' Marathon	Boys' Marathon
F	Cora	Sam	Darcey	Jake	Ella H	Luke
1	Temi	Krzysztof	Temi	Archie	Jess	James
2	Emma	Archie	Lulu	Will	Emma	Jake
3	Bethany	Alex	Nuria	William J	Sophie	Finlay
4	Liana	Joseph	Elisa	Nathan	Elisa	Felix
5	Sophia S	Connor	Emily	William P	Sophia S	Jean-Louis
6	Lily-Rose	Ben	Beth	Ben	Imogen	Ben

Please have a look on our website where you will find some photographs taken during our Sports Morning.

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New Intake Visits

Our new intake children had the second of their three visits to school last week and spent time in Class F with their September teacher Mrs Kennedy and their parents. The new children enjoyed their time and explored what we have to offer in Class F. We look forward to their next half day visit on Thursday, 5th July.

Year 1 Trip to Warrington Museum

Class 1 enjoyed a fantastic trip to Warrington Museum on Wednesday, where they learnt about the difference between old and new toys. The children made a simple toy and played with replicas of old ones. Two of our governors accompanied the children on the trip and reported that the children's behaviour was wonderful and the language used to describe the old fashioned toys was very sophisticated.

Year 5 Trip to Lymm Canal

On Wednesday, our Y5 class walked to Lymm Village to take part in the Lymm History Project. The children found out about the history of the canal and had a ride on a barge. One of our new parents who accompanied them, said to me she was very impressed with how knowledgeable the children were and at how well-behaved they all were. Well done Class 5, you gave a very good first impression to a new parent.

Pirate Ship/School Grounds

Our Pirate Ship has been renovated thanks to our successful bid to Tesco, who donated £2000 to repair the ship. We then had a team of volunteers who kindly painted the ship for us. It is looking May I remind parents to closely supervise children once collected at 3:15pm/3:30pm. Once school has finished your children are your responsibility and should not be allowed to play unsafely on our grounds. We have a number of extra-curricular clubs and our After School Club who use our grounds at this time and we would ask that all parents and children not attending clubs vacate our premises by 3:45pm. Thank you

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Hope Journey- Tuesday, 26th June

Visitors from Lymm Methodist Church will be coming to deliver a workshop with our Class F children on the beliefs and traditions of the Christian Church in the modern world today.

Crucial Crew- Wednesday, 27th June

Our Year 6 children will be attending a series of safety workshops taking place at The University of Chester (Warrington Campus). The workshops are lead by members of the emergency services and will be ideal for our oldest class who are about to embark on a new adventure at their secondary schools.

Key Stage 2 Show- 'The Rocky Monster Show' Wednesday, 11th and Thursday, 12th July

Keep the date free for three fantastic Key Stage 2 shows at 2pm and 6:30pm on Wednesday, 11th July then 6:30pm on Thursday, 12th July!

You will be able to order tickets soon- look out for a separate letter that will be sent home next week.

Talent Show

On July, 16th we are holding a talent show; entry is open to all children who have a talent that they are developing. In the past we have had musicians, gymnasts, dancers, cookery demonstrations, magicians etc. This will be held in school hours for school children only. Please look out for further details.

Musical Extravaganza – Tuesday, 17th July at 9:15am

Our Music teacher, Fran, will be leading a 'musical extravaganza' with our Year 4, 5 and 6 children. The children will demonstrate what they have learnt during their weekly lessons. Parents and wider family members are welcome to come along and watch. The children will entertain you for approximately half an hour.

Year 6 Treat Trip – Tuesday, 17th July at 11am

Our Year 6 children have reached their final weeks in school after seven years (for the majority) at Cherry Tree. Every year our PTA provide some kind of a treat for the Year 6 children. This year they are funding a trip to Jump Nation for the whole class.

Meet the Team- Wednesday, 12th September- 5pm-7pm approx.

There will be an opportunity to 'Meet the Team' at an informal meeting in the Autumn Term on **Wednesday, 12th September**. At this event, each teacher will provide a short talk to the parents to provide specific, introductory information about how their class operates. There will also be an opportunity to meet our governors, teaching assistants office staff and our school cook. Exact timings to follow in September.

SPORTING EVENTS

We have had a few competitive events that have taken place this term and two more to come. Our cross country running teams took place in an event at Lymm High School on Monday 30th April. The Boys came 2nd and the girls came 1st. At the Culcheth Cross Country on the 23rd May – 4 teams took part, securing 1st place in 2 races. Then on Tuesday, 19th June at the Broomfields Hay Bale Race 2 teams competed, finishing 4th & 5th.

As you can tell, running continues to be a strength for us.

We also entered an athletics competition, where our Year 6 team took part in 4 different events: Bean Bag Toss, 600m run, 75m sprint and standing long jump. Scarlett Spink (Y6) gave me the following feedback: "We came second overall and the competition was great fun."

SPORT	DATE & TIME	YEAR	VENUE	TRANSPORT
CRICKET	Monday, 25 th June 3-5:30pm	Year 4	Lymm High School	To be arranged by parents
CRICKET	Monday, 2 nd July 3:15-5:30pm	Year 6	Lymm High School	To be arranged by parents
CROSS COUNTRY	Tuesday, 10 th July 3:30pm- 5pm (approx.)	Year 2 and Year 3	Bradshaw Primary School	To be arranged by parents

PTA NEWS

PTA Ladies Lunch The joint PTA Ladies Lunch at Beechwood took place last Friday. I have heard that the ladies who attended from Cherry Tree looked very glamorous; I hope they had a wonderful time whilst fundraising for the local schools. We await to hear the final amount.

Lymm Ladies Circle

Our PTA have received a kind donation of £500 from the Lymm Ladies Circle. This money has been added to the PTA funds that will be used for the benefit of the children over the coming year.

Non-Uniform Day On Friday, 6th July. The children are invited to come into school in non-uniform and bring a bottle/filled jar for the tombola for the Summer Fair which takes place on Saturday, 7th July.

Forthcoming PTA Events		
Event	DATE & TIME	Details
Non Uniform Day	Friday, 6 th July	Bring a jar/bottle for the summer fair
Summer Fair	Saturday, 7 th July	3pm-7pm
Ice Pop Friday	Friday, 13 th July	Ice pops on sale

Kind regards,



Helen Graham
Head Teacher

Reminders:

- Please remember to teach your children how to apply sun cream and to provide them with a labelled bottle of sun cream for them to use in school. Alternatively once a day varieties could be applied before school. We do teach children about sun safety and encourage all children to develop safe habits in the sunshine.