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# CHPS Greenbank Campus

# NEWSLETTER

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Website: <https://www.castlehillprimary.net/>

## UPCOMING DIARY DATES:

### [CHPS WEBSITE CALENDAR](#)

**20 July** - Mufti-Day & Last day of term

**21 July** - Inset Day

**22 July** – Summer Holidays begin

**1 September** – Inset Day

**2 September** – Inset Day

**5 September** – First Day of Term

**10 September** – Cranbourne Open Morning

**3-7 October** – Year 6 Stubbington Residential

**1 October** – Cranbourne Open Morning

**11 October** – Individual Pupil Photos

**14 October** – Bag 2 School

**21 October** – Last day of term

**24-28 October** – Half Term Holiday

**31 October** – Inset Day

**9 November** – Nasal Flu Immunisation

**19-30 December** – Christmas Holidays

**3 January 2023** – Back to School

**6 June** – Class Photos

**20 June** – Whole School Photo

**25 November** – Yr 5&6 Twelfth Night

All term dates and inset days can be found here: [TERM DATES](#)

## HPL AMBASSADORS:

Congratulations to the following pupils who, after presenting their short speeches, have been voted to be HPL Ambassadors:

- Year 3 Charlie H & Leo T
- Year 4 Deanna W & Findlay R
- Year 5 Stanley W & Bethany B
- Year 6 Jessica B & Aurora S

Visit our school website for more information on Higher Performance Learning:

<https://www.castlehillprimary.net/our-school/high-performance-learning>



## REMINDERS:

**School Dinners:** Please remember to pre-order and pay for school dinners via Scopay. If you need to register for a Scopay link email [admin@chjs.net](mailto:admin@chjs.net)

**Water Bottles:** We are getting more requests for cups where children have forgotten their water bottles. Please ensure your child comes to school with a water bottle, they can refill these at school.

**NO NUTS:** We have noticed more children are bringing in snack bars containing nuts. We have children with severe nut allergies so please do check what food your child is bringing into school. Thank you.

## THANK YOU:



We would like to thank The Property Explorer, our local Estate Agent <https://www.thepropertyexplorer.co.uk/> for sponsoring our Rooksdawn Fundraising Friends Summer Fayre and the very generous £500 donation.

## BAG 2 SCHOOL:

Thank once again to everyone who donated. All these events help us raise needed funds for the school. At the last collection we raised **£92.80**.

The next collection is **Friday 14<sup>th</sup> October** (please deliver that morning before 9am as we have no storage at school), so have a clear out over the Summer!



## SUMMER READING CHALLENGE:



This reading challenge supports children's literacy during the summer holiday and runs from Saturday 16 July until Saturday 17 September.

This year's theme is Gadgeteers and the aim is to inspire young readers, aged 4-11, to enjoy learning about science and innovation. Find out more here:

<https://www.castlehillprimary.net/news/2022-06-28-summer-reading-challenge>



## GIRLS TAG RUGBY:

The Castle Hill girls Tag Rugby team competed in a 12-team tournament in Oakley last month. The girls represented Castle Hill fantastically. They played great tag rugby, scored lots of tries and every one of the girls played with a smile on their face. The girls finished in 5th place. Well done girls!



## NEWS & EVENTS (click links for more info):

### Spotlight Summer Clubs:



<https://www.castlehillprimary.net/news/2022-06-20-spotlight-summer-clubs>

### Sports Xtra Summer Activities:



<https://www.castlehillprimary.net/news/2022-06-20-sports-xtra-summer-holiday-activities>

### Totally Tennis Summer Camp:



<https://www.castlehillprimary.net/news/2022-06-29-totally-tennis-summer-camp>

### Meet Lennie from The Basingstoke Lions Club:



<https://www.castlehillprimary.net/news/2022-06-06-meet-lennie-the-lion-from-the-basingstoke-lions-club>

## STIKINS CLOTHING LABELS:

We have teamed up with Stikins Labels to help raise money for the school and stop the pile of lost property in the box! We cannot emphasise enough how important it is to label your child's uniform. Go to the bottom banner of our school website and click on the Stikins logo to place an order or via [stikins.co.uk](https://stikins.co.uk) directly quoting ref no. 3768.



## YEAR 5/6 PRODUCTION:

The Mayor and Mayoress visited us on Monday the 4th July. They watched the Troy Story rehearsal and both were amazed with the children and performance. We had so many lovely comments regarding how well the children were prepared and congratulated teachers for their hard work.

Well done to everyone involved in the very successful Troy Story productions, all your hard work paid off and we have received such positive feedback.



## CHPS COMMUNITY, SUPPORTING CHPS:

We do understand that within our school community families are struggling financially. We would like to make you aware that we have access to some funding for certain situations to help those in need. We use multi-day donations and other school events to keep our school hardship fund topped up.

If you would like to talk privately to a member of our team, please email [admin@chjs.net](mailto:admin@chjs.net).



## YEAR 6 TREAT DAY & LEAVERS ASSEMBLY:

"Treat day was really FUN! The activities that we did were rock climbing, crazy golf, sumo wrestling, hit the button and inflatable laser tag. This amazing event was my favourite day of the school year and I will never forget it. We were allowed to do whatever we wanted and go with whoever we wanted to. In summary, treat day was PHENOMINAL!

We've like to wish all our lovely Year 6 pupils all the very best in their next path through senior school.



## LEAVERS YEAR BOOKS:

Our Year 6s have received fantastic Leavers Books from Fundraising Friends. They are so excited to get all their friends and teachers to sign them. An amazing gift full of memories. Here are Joshua and Archie:



## SPORTS SUCCESS IN YEAR 5:

Miss Scarles would like to share her classes recent sporting achievements:

**Caleb D** and **Finlay F-B** won their trophies at the U10s Champions League in Aldermaston for their Rookdown FC team. There were 16 teams there and they came 2nd.



**Nina G** and her family completed the Inflatable 5k Race.



**Ryan R** with his shield for being U10 player of the Year 2021-22 for the Winklebury Wizards FC.





## EASYFUNDRAISING:



Summer is here! Whether you are looking to upgrade your garden furniture, do some DIY, or treat yourself to a new wardrobe, remember to go through #easyfundraising first and you can raise donations for Castle Hill Primary School - Basingstoke! Shop the latest offers here: [Raising Fund in the Summer!](#)

We've added 2 new supporters but would love many many more to have us raise funds. It REALLY is so simple and cost NOTHING...honestly....NOTHING!

## ROCKSTEADY CONCERT:

Another Rock-Tastic concert from all our musicians and singers. The parents gave us such amazing feedback, so everyone involved should be very proud of their performances. Thank you again to Brian from Rocksteady who has encouraged, enthused and rocked-out with all our pupils this year.



## MESSAGE FROM MR MARTIN:

It is that time of year again when we say a fond farewell to valued colleagues, both teachers and PTPs who have given us great service and will always remain a part of the Castle Hill family. We wish you all the best in your next ventures.

On a theme of families very special mention to a very special lady and her family. The Rowe family have had a relationship with Castle Hill for 32 years! Mo Rowe has been an outstanding governor for more than 2 decades. Her commitment as a supportive parent, member of the PTP team, art club leader, incredible governor with the passion to support all SEND children is second to none. We have a "cunning plan" not to lose contact with Mo, so more to follow in September! Thank you Mo.



To all our parents and friends of CHPS, it has been the most unusual year but your support and partnership has been greatly appreciated. On behalf of the team may I take this opportunity to wish you a safe and happy Summer Holiday.

Lastly, if you do find time to read a book I would recommend the novel I am currently reading called "Zero Gravity". I can't put it down!!

## FUNDRAISING FRIENDS SUMMER FAYRE:

Thank you so much to everyone who stayed after sports day and attended the FF Summer Fayre. Even though the weather was unpredictable, it was a huge success and helped us raise £1300. We could not have run it without all the volunteers and staff plus the generous donations from B&Q, Morrisons, Basingstoke Garden Centre and Homebase.





## KIDS EAT FOR FREE OR LESS DURING SUMMER 2022



### MORRISONS

Spend £4.99 to get a free kids meal after 3pm daily, normally all day during half term.

### ASDA CAFE

Kids eat for £1 every day with NO need for a paying adult from 25th July - 4th Sept, 2022.

### DUNELM

One free mini main, two snacks and a drink for every £4 spent in the in-store cafe.

**YO!** Kids eat free from 3pm-5:30pm Mon-Thurs for every £10 spent on food.

### BEEFEATER & BREWERS FAYRE

Free breakfast for two children under 16 with every paying adult.

### HUNGRY HORSE

Free kids breakfast with an adults breakfast from 9am-12pm daily.

### IKEA

Get TWO kids hot meals, fruit, drink and jelly for £5 in their Swedish restaurants (subject to availability).

### BELLA ITALIA

Kids eat for £1 with each adult meal from 4-6pm on Mon-Thurs.

### DOBBIES

Kids eat free with an adult main meal.

### TABLE TABLE

Two children under 16 get a free breakfast with one paying adult every day.

### CAFE ROUGE

Kids eat for £1 with an adult meal excluding Saturday.

### MORE TO COME!!

M&S, TESCO and more expected soon, see websites for latest information.

## HEAD BOY & HEAD GIRLS:

Huge congratulations to all the pupils who have received responsibilities for Year 6 in September 2022.

To view all the names and categories visit:

<https://www.castlehillprimary.net/year-groups/head-boy-girl/>

Head Boy – Sol and Head Girls – Nina, Raya and Chi Chi



## SPORTS DAY:

What a fun packed morning, the children had such a good time competing for their 'house'. The overall winner was **CHESTNUT!**



## LEAVERS DISCO:

What a wonderful way for all our Year 6s to get together, have fun and celebrate their time at CHPS. Thank you to everyone who made this event so special.

