

Newsletter – 5th July 2021

On this day - 1994: Amazon.com founded in Bellevue, Washington, by Jeff Bezos. **Birthdays** – 1968: Susan Wojcicki, American businesswoman and CEO of YouTube.

Dear parents, carers and families,

As the country's football fans eagerly await the semi-final of 'Euro 2020', it is my pleasure to welcome you to a new week at Chesterton Primary School. We do find ourselves in the curious position of seeing rising Covid-19 cases across the county's schools as we approach the planned removal of Covid-19 restrictions from society on July 19th.

We will not be changing any measures in school before the end of term, including arrangements for parents on site and those for children in the school. As per my letter last week, we all need to contribute to a successful end of term with our efforts to stay safe. Many of you were affected by the postponement of the Year 5 Bushcraft trip last month; I am very hopeful the trip will take place from next Wednesday and that we can support the Year 5 class, and everyone else, with our safety on site and around school.

This week in school, the children will meet their new class teachers during a short session on Tuesday morning. Our class teachers are already in place in the year groups they will teach, so I am very hopeful the transition for all our groups will be successful and smooth.

On Thursday, we are having our Sports Day, which will have a Tokyo Olympics theme. Our bubbles will each access a short session with Premier Education on the sports court, with school adults supporting them. Unfortunately, we cannot invite spectators into school for this event.

With best wishes for the week ahead, Richard Martin.

DIARY DATES

Thursday 8th July: Sports Day – all year groups.

Wednesday 14th – Friday 16th July: Year 5 Bushcraft residential.

Thursday 15th July: School Reports to parents / carers.

Thursday 22nd July – Last day of term! Non-uniform day.

SOCS NEWS

Book Fair

The Travelling Book Fair was very well supported by the school community. An amazing total of £379 was raised for the school to spend on books.

Tea Towels

Tea towel have arrived in school and will be distributed soon.

Non-uniform day – 22nd July

Please support SOCS by donating £1 for wearing non-school uniform on the final day of term.

Attendance data...

| 1 st | Beech Class | 99% |
|-----------------|----------------|-------|
| 2 nd | Elm Class | 98% |
| 3 rd | Elder Class | 95.3% |
| 4 th | Hawthorn Class | 94.8% |
| 5 th | Pine Class | 92.2% |
| 6 th | Oak Class | 92.1% |
| 7 th | Hazel Class | 91.4% |

Punctuality data...

| 1 st | Pine Class | 99.04% |
|-----------------|----------------|--------|
| 2 nd | Oak Class | 99.03% |
| 3 rd | Hazel Class | 98.95% |
| 4 th | Beech Class | 98.9% |
| 5 th | Elder Class | 98.4% |
| 6 th | Elm Class | 95.8% |
| 7 th | Hawthorn Class | 93% |