



CHESTERTON NEWSLETTER

5th February 2020

Dear parents/ carers,

I can't believe there are only one and a half weeks left until the end of the half term – the time seems to have flown by! We've had a great day today with classes working on the SOCs funded mosaic for the school. Y6 worked on it this morning followed by Y5 this afternoon. The rest of the school will have the opportunity to work on it tomorrow and next Wednesday – I am sure it will be fabulous!

Can I remind you all that we are a nut free school. We do have children in school with severe nut allergies and sending your child in with snacks/ food containing nuts could lead to serious consequences for these children.

Please check below for further details of upcoming SOCs events and our Easter Bonnet competition for next half term.

I hope you have a great week.

Toni Jackson

SOCS NEWS

Dates for the diary:

Thursday 6th February there will be a Magic Show in school at 3.30pm

Thursday 26th March there will be an adults only quiz at 7pm.

We are excited to announce the dates for the Great Chesterton Bake Off.

The competition for Key Stage One (Pine, Elm and Beech) will take place on Monday 9th March.

The competition for Key Stage Two (Elder, Hazel, Hawthorn and Oak) will take place on Monday 30th March.

The theme for both competitions will be 'Spring'.

Full details will follow after half term.

ATTENDANCE NEWS!

1 st Place	Pine	100%
	Beech	100%
3 rd place	Hawthorn	99.64%
4 th Place	Elder	98.62%
5 th Place	Hazel	96%
6 th Place	Elm	94.12%
7 th Place	Oak	86.15%

PUNCTUALITY

1 st Place	Elder	99.33%
2 nd Place	Hazel	98.8%
3 rd place	Oak	98.46%
4 th place	Pine	97.86%
5 th place	Beech	97.78%
6 th place	Hawthorn	96.67%
7 th Place	Elm	95.3%

If you wish to see a copy of our attendance policy you can ask for one at the office or look at our website.

Easter Bonnet Challenge

We are holding an Easter Bonnet Challenge this year. The challenge is to see who can produce the best/ wittiest/ most imaginative Easter bonnet.

The bonnets will need to be in school by 31st March. It will cost £1 to enter and every child who enters will receive a prize. The winning entrants will be judged by the Mayor on Wednesday 1st April.

DATES FOR THE DIARY: Thursday 6th February – SOCs magic show. Tuesday 11th February – online safety day. Wednesday 12th February – Elder class assembly. Thursday 13th February – Y6 parent's meeting re SATs. Friday 14th February – Daniel Zeichner (local MP) visiting school. Friday 14th February – break up for ½ term.

Did you know that on this day in

- AD 62 – Earthquake in Pompeii, Italy.
- 1958 – A hydrogen bomb known as the Tybee Bomb is lost by the US Air Force off the coast of Savannah, Georgia, never to be recovered.
- 1997 – The so-called Big Three banks in Switzerland announce the creation of a \$71 million fund to aid Holocaust survivors and their families.