



Charlton Church of England Primary School

Newsletter

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Dear Parents/ Carers,

We are excited to share the latest news from our school as we head into another sunny week!

Firstly, our Year 2 class had a fantastic trip to Connaught Park this Friday. The children enjoyed a day filled with lots of sight-seeing about nature.

In addition to the trip, every class participated in an engaging online session held by the NSPCC, featuring presenters Ant and Dec. The children learned crucial lessons about staying safe and speaking out. It was both informative and entertaining - they enjoyed the chance to shout out the Childline phone number!

Looking ahead, we want to remind everyone that Sports Day is next week! Don't forget the house colour t-shirt— if you do not know your child's house, please see the office and they will be able to help. Let's make it a day filled with excitement and friendly competition! Don't miss our Summer Fair happening on the same day! It's a great chance for families to come together, enjoy delicious treats, and support our school. We hope to see you all there! Meanwhile, our Year 6 students have been hard at work preparing for their play. Practice is in full swing, and we can't wait to see their performance!

Thank you for your continued support!

Best wishes,

Mrs Pettersen, Mrs Moat, Mr Ives and Mrs Plummer

Baby and Toddler Group

Baby and Toddler Group will run every Thursday morning during term time between 9am—10am



- ◆ Drink and snack for the little ones
- ◆ Activities, games and toys
- ◆ A chance to chat and meet new people



The first session will be held on Thursday 26th September

Please keep spreading the word—this is open to the whole community so please do bring friends and relatives with little ones.

Mrs Hazelden and Miss Kew



Pastoral Lead

Message from Miss Kew

Contact details:

Phone: school number and select line 2

Email: kkew@charltonprimary.school



As the Pastoral Lead at Charlton, I am available to support families in many different ways, whether this be any concerns for your child or your own wellbeing, difficulties at home and financial support which could consist of:

Food Bank: If anyone would like to access the food bank please do contact Miss Kew. Fuel Bank: This is accessible for pre-paid meters. Again, please do contact Miss Kew if you would like support with this.

Any support offered to you will always be treated with the strictest confidence.

Reminders:

Named Uniform

This term we seem to have a large pile of leftover uniform and unfortunately these items have no names on them which makes it difficult to return to the correct child. Please could you ensure that all uniform is named and checked regularly to ensure the name is still clear and visible.

Road Safety

Please ensure that you use the crossing, as we have been made aware of incidents of children crossing the road unsafely.

Attendance

Regular attendance is essential for your child's learning and well-being. The attendance target is 96%. Please be aware that holidays in term time will usually be unauthorised and a referral may be made to KCC for a Penalty Notice. Please see our Attendance Policy (on the website) for further guidance. Please ensure that you phone the Office to inform of your child's absence by 9:30am.

Communication

Please email (office@charltonprimary.school) or phone the office with any queries or to arrange an appointment with your child's teacher.

Collection from school

A reminder that all children, apart from Year 6, need to be collected from school by an adult. Year 6 children can walk home alone if their parents have given permission. These Year 6 children will be given a pass. Safeguarding is our highest priority. If parents have arranged for another adult to collect their child, the office must be informed and a message will be passed to the class teacher. Thank you for your support with keeping our children safe.

Morning Gate

Just a reminder that parents are not to enter the school grounds during morning drop off.

Attendance:

Duckling	92.8%	Jackdaw	91.9%
Wren	87.8%	Starling	91.7%
Robin	89.4%	Owl	91.7%
Swan	97.5%	Whole School	91.7%

Certificates:



Congratulations to the following children who have been awarded a certificate. Well done!

Duckling: Mason, Sophia and Stacey
Wren: Harrison, Willow and Braedon
Robin: Amelia and Taylor
Swan: Aarush, All Swans and Maxi
Jackdaw: Mia, Matthew and Oscar
Starling: Cass, Elizabeth and Heilly
Owl: Shannel, Zain and Dolly-Ann

House Points:

<u>Diamonds</u>	<u>Emeralds</u>	<u>Rubies</u>	<u>Sapphires</u>
628	735	682	810

Congratulations to Sapphires

Diary Dates

Date	Event	Year groups
Monday 23d June	Year 4 Visit to Fort Burgoyne	Jackdaw Class
Tuesday 24th June	Year 6 First Aid Training	Owl Class
Wednesday 25th June	Year 4 Cake Sale	Whole School
Friday 27th June	Sports Day at The Danes 10:00—2:30	Whole School
Thursday 3rd July	Transition Day	Whole School
Friday 4th July	Summer Fair 3:00—5:00	Whole School
Friday 11th July	Year 6 Lunch Concert in Church	Owl Class
Monday 14th July	Rocksteady Concert at 9:00 am	Parents of Rock steady children
Monday 14th July	Year 6 Bikeability	Owl Class
Wednesday 16th July	Year 4 Trip to Marlowe Theatre— The Lion, The Witch and the Ward- robe	Jackdaw Class
Friday 18th July	Last Day of Term 6	Whole School
Tuesday 2nd September	First Day of Term 1	Whole School

Year 6 Leavers Activities

Wednesday 16th July

6:00—Year 6 Production to parents

Thursday 17th July

1:30—Leavers Service in Charlton Church

6:00—Prom

SUMMER FAYRE

FRIDAY 4TH JULY 2025

Lemonade Stand GAMES
Tombola Tattoos
Teddy Stall FACE PAINTING
Hook a Duck Soak a Teacher

4TH JUL | 2.30PM - 4.30PM | CHARLTON SCHOOL PLAYGROUND | FREE ENTRY | ALL WELCOME

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Clubs for Term 6

Wednesday	Multi-Sports—Dynamic Sports—Years 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 There is a total cost of this trip of £36, booking information can be found on Dojo	25th June 2nd July 9th July 16th July
Thursday	Dungeons and Dragons Club—Mr Ives—Years 5 and 6 6 children to begin with but will increase to 12 later in the term	26th June 3rd July 10th July
Thursday	Computing Club—Mrs Plummer—Years 3 and 4	26th June 3rd July 10th July

PE for Term 6

Please see below for this term's PE schedule:

Monday	Year 4
Tuesday	Year 2
Wednesday	Year 1
Thursday	Year 5
Friday	Reception Year 3 Year 6

Children can still come to school wearing their PE kits consisting of:

White t-shirt

Navy blue/ black shorts/ tracksuit bottoms/ leggings

Trainers

School jumper/ fleece/ hoody

Jewellery: only studs are to be worn in school. Hoops are unsafe at school due to the risk of tearing during playtimes and games. Children/ parents will be asked to remove hoops

CERAMIC ART DOVER PRESENTS

CLAYDATE

2025

EXPLORING

GEOLGY

THROUGH

CLAY

JULY 6TH 11AM → 4PM

BIGGIN HALL, DOVER



CERAMIC
ART
DOVER



KENT DISABILITY
FOOTBALL LEAGUE

KDFL PREMIERSHIP

CHAMPIONS

23/24 - 24/25

SOUTH EAST GULLS

DISABILITY FOOTBALL CLUB

South East Gulls FC



EVERY
SUNDAY
1-3PM

DOVER GRAMMAR
SCHOOL FOR BOYS



COME ALONG TO DOVER & DEAL'S ONLY DISABILITY
FOOTBALL CLUB OPEN TO ANYONE AGED 5+ WITH A
REGISTERED DISABILITY OR ON THE SEN REGISTER

1ST SESSION FREE

£3 PER SESSION THEREAFTER PAID MONTHLY

CONTACT MARIA - 07944762119

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FOR MORE INFORMATION

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CINQUE PORTS FC MINI-KICKERS SATURDAY FOOTBALL

Is your child ready to start their football journey? Fun football sessions for boys and girls every Saturday morning at Marke Wood. First session starts 26th April 2025 for children in:

- Pre-school (ages 2.5 - 4 years)
- Year R
- Year 1

9:00 - 9:50 AM

Ages 2.5 - 4 years

10:00 - 11:00 AM

Year R and 1

📍 Marke Wood Pavillion, Dover Road, Deal, CT14 7JQ

£ £3.50 per player (first session free)

📅 Starts Saturday 26th April and every Saturday thereafter

WHAT YOU CAN EXPECT:

- ✓ FA QUALIFIED COACHES
- ✓ PATHWAY TO JOIN OUR NEW U7'S TEAM
- ✓ UPDATES AND NEWS VIA OUR WHATSAPP COMMUNITY
- ✓ CLUB CAFE OPEN FOR REFRESHMENTS



CINQUE PORTS FC GET INVOLVED



PLAYERS

- » All youth age groups from U7's to U18's
- » 5 senior sides (First Team, Reserve Team, U23's, Veterans and Sundays)
- » Looking for players to form a ladies side

MANAGERS & COACHES

Perfect if you are looking to start your coaching journey <<<
 The club will cover the cost of required coaching courses <<<
 On going coaching support and progression opportunities <<<



SPONSORS

- » Various ways you can support the club no matter how big or small
- » Give back to the local community by supporting a club that prioritises development
- » Join a group of incredible businesses already supporting us today and make a difference



VOLUNTEERS

Do you have a passion for Football? <<<
 Want to help your local community? <<<
 We have numerous opportunities where you can help <<<



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TO BOOK YOUR PLACE

CAN YOU HELP?

We are looking for players, coaches, managers, volunteers and sponsors to help the club.



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JOIN US FOR A

FAMILY FUN DAY FESTIVAL

ALL AGES WELCOME

**SATURDAY
12TH JULY
MIDDAY UNTIL 6:30PM**

FREE ENTRY

LIVE MUSIC

MAGICIAN

FACE PAINTING

BARNSTORMERS (PUNK / INDIE)

KIM JENKINS

ELLIE LOUISE MUSIC

IZZY WOODLAND

BOUNCY CASTLE

FOOD STALLS

FUN & GAMES

MEET STITCH!

ALL PROCEEDS TO



British Heart Foundation

Plus, Penalty Shootout, Gladiator Duel, Sensory Bubble House, Meet The Rescue Hedgehogs, Raffle, Tombola, Stalls & Lots More



In Kent, the Summer Reading Challenge runs from **Saturday 5 July to Saturday 6 September**. It's free to sign up at the library or online and is open to all children aged 4 to 11. This year's theme is *Story Garden – Adventures in Nature and the Great Outdoors*. This exciting new theme will inspire children explore the magical connection between storytelling and nature.

Summer Reading Challenge:

- Significantly **improves reading confidence** and independence
- Ensures pupils are **ready for their autumn return**, preventing the summer reading 'dip'
- Aids the **successful transition** between year groups and key stages
- Contributes to all pupils' **achievement** and encourages **extra-curricular activity**

Develops links between your school, the library and the **wider community**

How it works:

- Children can sign up at their local library for free, where they will receive a special sticker booklet
- They work towards a summer reading goal, choosing from thousands of free books, eBooks, audiobooks and more, all free to borrow from Kent Libraries
- They receive a special sticker booklet and collect rewards for reading, all for free.
- Children who complete the Challenge are presented with a certificate and a medal. You could **organise a special assembly to present the certificates** in the new term.

Children can also take part online

at summerreadingchallenge.org.uk