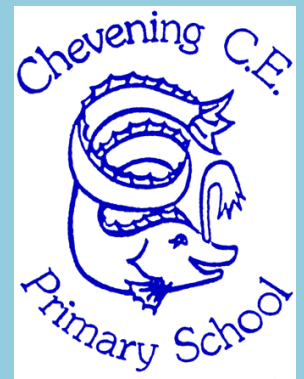


Chevening (St Botolph's) CE Primary School

Newsletter 29 - 8th June 2018

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Lion King Production

Our very exciting production is getting closer and preparations are now in full swing. We are in the process of ordering all the resources and materials we need ready for our messy, creative and very musical 'Lion King Workshop' on the 3rd, 4th and 5th of July (more details to follow).

Are you able to help with any of the following:

- cardboard (in any size, shape or form)
- pipes or tubes (large and small)
- cargo nets/camouflage material
- animal print material
- African print material
- feathers/faux fur/interesting fabric
- felt
- anything you think might be useful/interesting (we will turn it into something creative!)

Please leave any of the above in the School Library from Monday.

Many thanks in advance - Alex Robinson

Safeguarding

After a review of some of our safeguarding procedures, please note that with effect from Monday 11th June, the gates will open for parents and carers at the end of the school day at 3:15pm. Organisers of PTA cake sales or second hand uniform sales should liaise with the school office to make arrangements for early entry.

Snacks and Lunch boxes

Please note we are a **nut free school** and therefore any items containing nuts are prohibited in snack and lunch boxes. Many of the 'healthy' snacks are now containing nuts, so please check if they are suitable to be brought into school. Snickers, Naked bars, Nutella, some chocolates spreads and peanut butter etc. must all be avoided.

In addition, we have noticed a rise in the proportion of processed foods included in children's lunchboxes. We strive to teach children about healthy eating in school and are always grateful when packed lunches reflect this message. If your child is keen to have lots of processed foods in their lunch, please remind them about healthy eating and help their understanding by including a greater proportion of unprocessed foods and fresh fruits and vegetables.

Early Morning Club and Active8

Please note that we currently have a few spaces at Early Morning club on a Friday and Active8 on a Monday and Thursday. Early Morning Club runs every Monday to Friday from 8.00 - 8.45am and Active8 runs every Monday to Thursday from 3.15 - 5.30pm. If you would like to find out more or book a place for your child at one of these clubs, which support working parents, please e-mail the school office at reception@chevening.kent.sch.uk or discuss with office staff.

School uniform rules

A uniform reminder: Please ensure long hair is secured with a navy hair band, no nail varnish is worn and that children have the correct footwear. Thank you for supporting the school in ensuring that children are in the correct uniform.

Diary Dates

Every Friday

Parent Prayer Meeting
after school drop off

14th June

Sex/Relationships Education
Information meeting for
parents (year 5/6) - 14:00

17th June

School Service at St
Botolph's Church - 10:30

20th June

District Sports at Knole
Academy - 17:00 - 19:00

21st June

Welcome Meeting for new
Reception parents - 19:00

22nd June

PTA Meeting
9:00 - 10:00

22nd June

PTA Cake Sale
Class 1 - 15:15

22nd June

Class 3 Sleepover

27th June

New reception children
'Stay and Play' Session 1

29th June

Sports Day

29th June

PTA Lolly sale at Sports Day
Class R

200th Anniversary

This year the school is celebrating 200 years since the first school in the parish. There will be more information about this over the coming weeks but the aim is to hold celebratory events in September. We have a small committee planning these and would be grateful if a parent would be able to join this group. If you would like to do this, please contact the school office.

Important date reminders...

Sports Day - Friday 29th June 2018. Parents will be invited for a picnic and an afternoon of races starting at 12.00pm and finishing at (approx.) 3.15pm.

Lion King - Friday 20th July 2018. Two performances of The Lion king at 2pm and 5pm.
Please save the above dates and we will send out information nearer the time.

Kind regards,

Kathy Taylor
Headteacher

Reminder of useful contact information for parents

Attendance/sickness information - Mrs Grobbelaar reception@chevening.kent.sch.uk

EMC or Active8 bookings/cancellations - Mrs Grobbelaar reception@chevening.kent.sch.uk

EMC or Active8 bills - Mrs Thewlis bursar@chevening.kent.sch.uk

Admissions - Mrs Weller office@chevening.kent.sch.uk

School lunch orders/changes/cancellations - Mrs Grobbelaar reception@chevening.kent.sch.uk

School lunch payments - online at www.principals-catering.com or correct cash (no cheques) in a named envelope to the office or pay by debit/credit card via telephone 07483 425779

Diary Dates cont.

1st July

PTA Summer Fair
At Chevening House

2nd - 4th July

Class 6 Residential

4th July

New Reception children
'Stay and Play' Session 2

5th July

Secondary School Induction
Day/Class swaps

6th July

Reserve Sports Day

11th July

New Reception children
'Stay and Play' Session 3

12th July

Open Classrooms
3:30 - 4:30pm

13th July

INSET DAY
(No children in school)

16th July

End of year reports

17th July

Class 6 Chevening House visit

20th July

The Lion King Production
14:00 and 17:00

23rd July

Year 6 Leavers' BBQ
18:00

24th July

Leaver's Service
9:30 @ St Botolph's Church

24th July

Last day of term 6 and the
academic year