

As the end of the academic year draws near, it is often a time of reflection. In addition to activities week next week, our Year6 will be preparing for their Leavers' Service which is being held at Chalford Baptist Church at 11am. We look forward to hearing the children's memories of their time at Chalford Hill and what they are most looking forward to in their new secondary schools.

Activities Week

It is Activities Week next week and so staff are making final preparations for the diverse range of activities on offer. Thank you to those people who have kindly volunteered and to all families who have forwarded their contributions - we really couldn't run the activities without your support!

GHLL Relationships & Sex Education Talk

Thank you to all the parents and children who came along to the RSE talk earlier this week. We have received lots of positive feedback from parents about how useful this has been. This has supported the Jigsaw curriculum that teachers are using in class and we have to say that we have been really impressed with how sensibly the children have engaged in their learning.

TWILIGHT - staff training

On Wednesday, the staff met to look at our curriculum long term planning. Mrs Stokes and Miss Tucker also joined us for the evening and were excited to make suggestions and contributions moving forward. We shall be continuing a review of curriculum provision next academic year and so it was good to get the ball rolling now.

Year 1 visit to the woods

Year 1 had their last trip of the year to the woods this week and enjoyed having fun on the rope-swing and did a brilliant job of sorting the branches and logs from old dens into useable and un-useable piles for next year's visitors. Year 1 said a big thank you to Mr and Mrs Parrott who kindly let our children visit their woods. Then Mr Jarvis got a big surprise as lots of Year 1 parents turned up!

"Dear Y1 Parents,

I'd like to say thank you very much for the lovely card and gift you gave me on Tuesday. It was very touching and somewhat unexpected - as you may have guessed from my somewhat incoherent words of thanks!

For those of you not able to be there, I'll repeat the key part of the message; that while I had no idea last September this class would be my last, had I been given the opportunity to design a group to see me off, I think it might well have looked rather like this one.

Thank you all so much for the present, but more importantly, for the kind words and great support over the last year.

Best Wishes,

Chris Jarvis

(P.S. As agreed, I shall send a photograph of the item lucky enough to be chosen to accompany me to the mountains!)"

Sportability

Well done to all the children who took part in the Sportability event held at Archway on Wednesday. The children worked exceptionally hard and represented the school brilliantly.

Thomas Keble Mini Olympics

Monday afternoon, twelve Year 5/6 children competed in the Thomas Keble Primary School Mini Olympics. This consisted of four events: football, basketball, athletics and quicksticks hockey. The sun was beating down, but this did not deter either team. The afternoon culminated in Team 1 (Saxon, Finn, Freddie, Lennie, Lucus and Meg) coming 1st in their group and being the large school winner! Well done also to Team 2 (Oscar, Evan, Sidney, Jake, Ella and Phoebe) who showed real focus and commitment throughout the afternoon. All children got to meet British Paralympian Athlete, Jordan Howe and even got to wear his medals from the 2012 Summer Paralympics and the World (2017) and European (2014, 2016) championships!

PTA News

Recycle with Michael - there will be a collection of clothes, shoes, toys and books on **16th September** so please keep all your recycling over the Summer holiday for our next collection. You can also bring in your unwanted second hand uniform for the PTA to sell.

Website Update

Please visit our website to see the latest photos of what the children have been up to this term.

Year 1's last visit to the woods

http://www.chalfordhill.gloucs.sch.uk/our_children/classes/y1/y1_photos.html

Sporting events: Swimming, Y3 Tennis, District Sports & Thomas Keble Sports Awards

http://www.chalfordhill.gloucs.sch.uk/news_events/sporting_events/sporting_events.html

Success Stories

On Sunday July 7th Mimi (Year 1) performed in the West End Production 'Trouble's a Brewin' at Her Majesty's Theatre with the theatre group PQA. Mimi had a fantastic time.

Esther, Martha and Orla (Year 3) all achieved their Grade 1 in Imperial Classical Ballet recently.

REACH

Congratulations to the following children who have been awarded REACH certificates this week.

Reception

Erin	Achieve
Daisy-Mae	Achieve
Phoebe	Achieve
Plum	Achieve
Aj	Achieve
Pearl	Achieve
Ollie	Achieve

Year 1

Grace
Tabitha
Archie H-M
Rory
Imy

Year 2

Riley	Effort
Harrison	Respect
Fleur H	Respect
Vinnie	Effort

Year 3

Leo	Challenge
Harrison	Achieve
Harper	Effort
Ozzie	Effort

Year 4

All of Year 4

Year 5

All of Year 5 Respect

Year 6

Meg Achieve
All of Year 6

99 Club

Congratulations to the following children who have been awarded badges as part of the 99 Club.

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 4
Ewan	Hazel	Milo	Zachary
	Sophie	Edie	Clement
	Aria	Millie	Barnaby
	Erin	Oscar	Chris
		Monty E	Ben
		Edie	William
		Madeleine	River
			Eddie



Thank you Mr & Mrs Parrott



Mr Jarvis gets a surprise!



Success Stories

Dates for your Diary

ALL – Activities Week
 Y1 walk to the bottom park
 Y6 Leavers' Service

Monday 15th – Wednesday 17th July
 Thursday 18th July
 Friday 19th July, 11am