## A note about uniform



It is great to see so many children dressed appropriately for the weather, however please make sure that if your child is wearing shorts that they are appropriate for school. Thank you.



## **Summer Play Scheme**

Places for the Summer Play Scheme are filling up fast! If you would like your child to attend please email your application form to Louise in the office as soon as possible. office@chestnutsprimary.com



## Coffee morning

There will be a coffee morning with Mrs Horwood on Friday 14th July. Please come along and join me for a cup of coffee or tea as I reflect on my first term at Chestnuts. There will also be an opportunity for a Q and A session.

# Charity Fun Run

Mr Spours would like to invite children and parents to a charity 5K fun run.



Where – Chestnuts Park

When – Friday 7th July at 4.00pm

Donation of £1 per runner for charity

In September 2017, Mr Spours is running the Berlin Marathon for the charity Street Child. Street Child is a UK charity, established in 2008, which aims to create educational opportunities for some of the world's most vulnerable children. Street Child began its work in Sierra Leone helping children who are living on the streets with no access to education or a home, and they have since helped to transform the lives of more than 50,000 children across Sierra Leone. Liberia and Nepal. All of the money raised from the run will go directly to charity - Mr Spours is covering all the run and travel costs.

As this is an after school event, all children taking part need to be supervised by an adult. Refreshments will be provided. Hope to see you there!

# Year 6 Careers Day

### Friday 7th July between 9am - 10:30am

Parents, carers and friends – we need you. Could you come and talk to groups of year 6 children at school about your career? Please leave your name in reception or email the PSA to find out more. chestnutsprimarypsa@gmail.com

# **Chestnuts Bake off Competition**

### Friday 7th July

Get your baking hats on and enter the Chestnuts Bake Off. There will be prizes awarded to the best cake in KS1 and KS2. Please make sure all entries are in by Friday morning. The cakes will be sold at the Chestival the next day.





# Chestnuts Primary School NEWSLETTER

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### Dear Parent and Carers.

Wow, what a hot week it has been! Thank you to all families who have provided their children with hats and water. Our staff have done a great job of slowing things down and ensuring children are cool. Please remember to put sun cream on your children before they come to school and provide them with a hat and water bottle. We now start the count down of all the fun end of year events and I am so excited to see sports day and Chestival in action. Thank you for all your continued support, the community of Chestnuts is truly a special thing.

#### Mrs Horwood

### Leavers



As we come towards the end of the year we are very sad to be saying goodbye to some members of our team.

Mr Cornet is leaving us to explore pastures new in Kent with his family. He is very much looking forward to having more support from his extended family but we shall miss his creativity and energy terribly. Good luck Mr Cornet and stay in touch.

We are also very sad to be saying farewell to Miss Slovackova. She has been a huge support to our children with English as an additional language. Miss Slovackova has also supported our Year 6 this year and has truly made an impact on these children. We will miss your fun nature and can do attitude. Good luck!

Sondella in our Nursery will also be leaving in July and our youngest children and all of our community will miss her caring and fun attitude. Sondella is returning to education and hoping to complete a degree. We look forward to welcoming her back at some point in her future. Sondella good luck and we will miss you.

We are really excited for Mrs McNicholl as she takes up a one year secondment as Deptuy Head Teacher at West Green Primary school. Mrs McNicholl made a clear impact when acting as Deputy here and I know she will be fabulous in this role. We will miss you dearly and can't wait for you to return in September 2018.

# Dates for your dairy



- Fri 23rd June..... Green Class Assembly
- Wed 28th June Cedar Class Assembly
- Fri 30th June..... Orange & Yellow Class Performance
- Friday 7th July.. Year 4 violin concert at 10.00am
- Friday 7th July.. Year 6 Careers Day 9.00am - 10.30am
- Friday 7th July.. Chestnuts Bake Off Competition
- Tues 11th July.... KS1 Sports Day
- Tues 11th July.... Parents Evening
- Wed 12th July... KS2 Sports Day
- Wed 12th July... Parents Evening
- Tues 18th July ... Y6 Performance to Families
- Thurs 20th July.. Y6 Leavers Assembly
- Fri 21st July ...... End of Term

### Meet your new teacher

Your child will meet their new class teacher on Wednesday 5th July. At 3:30pm on the same day there will be an opportunity for parents and carers to informally meet your child's new class

## **Den Day**

As I am sure lots of you heard, Den Day was a huge success. All children thoroughly enjoyed making dens and being creative. It was wonderful to see so many children outside and learning! Thank you Mrs Kidner for organising such a wonderful event. We also raised nearly £500 for the Grenfell tower community, another example of our community pulling together.



















# Chestival - now only 2 weeks away!

Thank you to everyone who came to school in their own clothes today and donated prizes for the tombola.

We are also looking for Bric-a-Brac - and will be selling second hand



uniform, so please bring in any unwanted items that your children have outgrown. Donations of both can be given in at reception and will be stored in the Parents' room. Thank you!

**Years 5 & 6:** This year we are inviting years 5 & 6 to help run the stalls and games at Chestival. Please send back your application forms by Monday letting us know which stalls and games you would like to run.

Chestival does Talent forms are also due in next week – so let us know if you want to perform on stage and show us your talents! We've already had lots of interesting applications, so it looks set to be a good show.

Chestival Bake Off is back by popular demand. Please bring in your cakes on 7th July. We will award prizes for the best cakes and then serve them up at the Tea and Cake stall at the fair.

And last but not least.... Volunteers. Thanks to everyone who has volunteered so far. We are so grateful for all the offers of help. Please fill in the sign up sheet (online www.volunteersignup.org/WX34Y or at reception) – or speak to one of the Chairs, if you can spare an hour on the day to help.

Thanks again

**PSA Chairs**