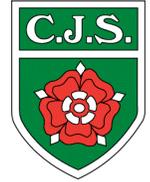


Chellaston Junior School

Weekly Bulletin



Friday, 5 July 2019

Monday	Growth Mindset Assembly Brownlee Triathlon
Tuesday	Photographs for the website Cricket Fun Day
Wednesday	Peak MAT Trustee visit
Thursday	Primary Fest at the Academy
Friday	End of Year Reports to parents

Dates for your diary:

- **Open Evening**
(16 July 4.30-6.00pm)
- **Y6 Leavers' Events**
23 July 2.00pm (Grandparents and Parents who are unable to make the evening event). 6.00pm (Limit of two tickets per child) More information to follow.
- **Y6 Leavers' Disco**
(Wednesday 24 July 6.00pm-7.30pm)

Y3/4 Sports Day



Thursday 4 July saw all children in Y3 and Y4 take part in their Sports Day. We were very lucky with the weather for

both the morning (field) and afternoon (track) events. We started the day with an assembly where we talked about: 1. having an 'I can do it' attitude; 2. achieving your best (instead of trying to be THE best; 3. showing great teamwork skills. I think Y3 and Y4 have covered all the above and had great fun in the process. Thank you to all the parents for your support and to Miss MGinty and Mr Gadsby for all their leadership in promoting school sport at CJS. Mercury were the winners of the Y3/4 trophy, so well done

to them! There is nothing better than seeing 250 children enjoying keeping healthy and being active, while maintaining a healthy, competitive spirit! A great day all round! A big thank you to the PTFA for lending us the gazebos for the day!

Shuffle up Day

On Tuesday 2 July, we welcomed Y2 children who will be the new Y3 in September. All children in Y3, 4 and 5 moved up to spend the morning with their new class teacher. Everyone seemed excited to meet their new teacher and there was a real buzz around school. If any parents have any questions about next September, please come along to Open Evening to meet staff and look round the school.

A message from Miss Fogg

As many of you will know, Mr Emery will be leaving CJS at the end of this term after 11 years as Headteacher.

In lieu of gifts, Mr Emery has requested that he would prefer donations to a charity close to his heart.

If you would like to see further information or make a donation, please click on the link: <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/james-emery2>

Reports

Reports will be sent home with children on Friday 12 July. We ask that if parents require an additional copy of the report, that they contact the school office to request this.

Y6 RSE Lessons

During the next few weeks, Year 6 children will be taught Relationship and Sex Education (RSE) through their PSHE lessons. At Chellaston Junior School, we believe that effective RSE is essential for young people to

help them make responsible and well-informed decisions about their lives. In today's modern society, it is essential that we as a school prepare all children for the future, particularly as they make the transition from being a child to a teenager and into an adult. Please see [more details](#) on the website.

#ThisGirlCan Festival

On Tuesday 2 July 10 girls from Years 3, 4 and 5 went along to the #ThisGirlCan festival. They took part in a variety of different sports throughout the afternoon, competing in different activities and having lots of fun. They had a go at athletics, dodge ball, dance, rugby and basketball. All the girls gave everything a go which was brilliant. One child said to me, "I thought I wouldn't enjoy it or be able to do it but I gave it a try and it was really good." It was a lovely afternoon and hearing all the children say "That was good fun!" was music to my ears. Well done girls! Miss McGinty.

Hot House Music Summer School

Our friends at Hot House Music are running a Summer School at Derby Grammar School over the summer holidays. Sessions are running 5 – 9 August and 19 – 23 August, 9.30am – 3.00pm. The cost is £100 per week and the sessions are open to all ages and abilities. For more information call 07817221860 or visit www.hhmusic.co.uk

Dinner Money

All parents are asked to check that there are sufficient funds in their ParentPay account to pay for school meals. We have a growing number of accounts at the moment that are in arrears. Parents are able to set up alerts within ParentPay to remind them to top up their account when their balance is low. Please ensure that accounts are in credit by the end of term. Thank you.

Trustee Visit

On the morning of Wednesday 10 July, some Trustees from PEAK MAT will be visiting the school and walking round classes with Mr Emery and Miss Fogg.

Kwik Cricket



The school team played in the Derby City Finals on Wednesday 3 July at Spondon Cricket Club. It was a

beautiful day, with blue sky and the backdrop of the rolling fields of Derbyshire. We played 4 games and won 2, narrowly missing out on qualifying for the County Finals. However, the team should be very proud of the way they played. They showed a growing maturity with accurate, pitched-up bowling and struck many sixes into the field over the sight screen! In our last game, the team captain, Kyal Bola, set us the target of getting 300 runs, which we did! (313 to be precise.) The boys enjoyed the day and are a talented bunch of cricketers. The rest of the children who attend the Friday night sessions are due to go to the County Final to take part in a fun day of activities, as a reward for their great teamwork. Jess, our coach from Derbyshire 'Chance to Shine', has led 9 sessions on a Friday after school, with more than 30 children attending. We are lucky to have many local cricket clubs, so why not encourage your child to be involved and have fun playing cricket? Information can be found here:

<http://www.swarkestone.play-cricket.com/>

<http://www.ticknall.play-cricket.com/>

<http://www.elvaston.play-cricket.com/>

<http://www.melbourne.play-cricket.com/>

Basic First Aid for Parents Course

This First Aid course will give you a basic awareness on how to keep your family safe. It takes place on Monday 22 July 2019 9.30am to 11.30am at Osmaston/Allenton Surestart Children's Centre 60 Cockayne Street North, Allenton, Derby DE24 8XB For further information please contact us on 01332 717 900 E: enquiries@derbyals.org www.adult-learningderby.org.uk. Limited Crèche facilities available, to book please contact 01332 715620.

Keeping Safe and Knife Crime



Y5/6 had a very important assembly this week, led by Mrs Price and Mr Beeston. It covered the reality of

knife crime in cities across the UK, including Derby. The children have reflected on making the right choices to keep safe. There were some staggering statistics shared. Thank you to all the children who showed respect and took the subject of the assembly very seriously.

In the autumn, Derby will be hosting this fabulous sculpture, The Knife Angel, also known as the National Monument Against Violence and Aggression.

Sun Safety

A reminder about sun safety at school:

Water bottles: It is essential that children bring in a water bottle filled with chilled, fresh water at the start of the day. Water bottles are on sale at the school office.

Sun hat: Please ensure you send your child to school with an appropriate sun hat (named). Sun hats should be worn for all outdoor activities during the summer term.

Sun screen: Parents are encouraged to ensure that all children have applied a high factor sun screen each day. This should be the single application type so that it does not require re-application during the school day.

Sun glasses: UVA/UVB sunglasses are permitted for those children who need them. Parents who let children wear them do so at their own risk. They are only to be worn outside and taken off once in school.