



## NEWSLETTER – 1<sup>st</sup> March 2019

It has been a busy week back. Thank you to Mrs Andrews, and our great team, for arranging a fantastic 'Chawton Week'; the children have really enjoyed visiting different places around our village and engaging in their historical enquiries – asking some great questions!

This week we were thrilled to receive feedback from our English Monitoring visit from the Local Authority that recognised the hard work of all pupils and staff and the fantastic, engaging and purposeful English learning that is happening in our school. Thank you, also, to our school governors who have been visiting our school over the last week to spend time in classes and looking through books; the feedback has been so positive and reaffirms the excellent teaching here at Chawton and progress being made by pupils.

Next week is 'Book Week' in school – Miss Blandford has led the staff in planning a fantastic week with opportunities for children to listen to a wide variety of stories, share their own favourites, and of course celebrate World Book Day on Thursday by dressing up as their favourite book character.

A big 'well done' to Tori Waller, who came 4<sup>th</sup> in the East Hampshire Schools' Cross Country Competition and will now be representing our school at the Hampshire Cross Country Championships next week – I am sure you will join me in wishing her good luck!

### Worship

This half term we will be building on last half term (generosity) by exploring the value of **service**, as we learn about different people from history and modern times who have selflessly given service to others. Can you think of any 'unsung heroes'? Please do talk about this with your children, suggest people you would nominate as an unsung hero and encourage your child to think about who they might consider an 'unsung hero', both past, present and in their daily lives.

Please do share our assemblies with us – see diary dates for further information!



### Calling all doctors, nurse, vets, dentists, electricians....

We are finding out about how things work this half term and are including a Zoo Vet as our role play. We'd love to have visits from electricians, nurses, doctors, dentists, dental nurses, and vets etc. to share their experiences with the children in order to bring it to life for them. If you have any of these skills or have a friend who does please do let us know.

Many thanks, The Oak Class Team.

### Battery Recycling

We have an opportunity to earn ourselves some prizes with the Big Battery Hunt, and recycle at the same time. We have signed up to collect used batteries at school. A letter and a box to collect the batteries are coming home this week. Once the box is full, it can be emptied into the big container at school. We will send one box per family, if you would like another box for family or friends, please ask in the school office.

### Bird Box update and a Thank you...

We would like to say a massive thank you to one of our parents, Mr Rowe who came and fitted the bird box and camera outside Oak class. We have already had a bird coming to investigate the new accommodation and we're hoping there will be residents this spring.

### School Milk

Children under the age of five get free school milk under the Cool Milk scheme. Once your child turns five they are automatically removed from scheme. If you would like to pay for your child to continue to receive milk at school you need to create an account at the following website <https://www.coolmilk.com/>

Milk via this scheme is subsidised and is available to all children aged 5 – 11.



### Outstanding payments

As the end of the financial approaches could we ask you to please pay any money owed for school dinners and trips by March 15<sup>th</sup> at the latest.

Payments for trips are voluntary contributions (excluding residential trips) but dinner money is not. School dinners cost £2.30 per day, that's £11.50 a week, for all children in Years 3 and above. Your child's account should be in credit **before** they order any meals. The easiest way to keep track of your child's meal account is to use the ScoPay system online. If you are not registered with ScoPay and would like to be, please ask the office staff for a copy of your log in details.

You can also make payments with a cheque payable to HCC or with cash in the school office.

### Southampton FC Talent Club Trials Year 4 – 6 Girls

Southampton FC is currently accepting registrations of interest for their Regional Talent Club trials in June 2019. A regional Talent Club is an enhanced coaching centre for U10, U12, U14 and U16 age groups, and allows players identified as having elite potential the opportunity to access appropriate levels of coaching and support, and is part of England's Elite Talent Pathway. It is a quality-assured programme providing player development opportunities for elite female players. **Please note that trials for Season 19-20 will be invite only and you will receive further information, if invited to attend, once the registration of interest form closes.**

Further details about the RTC programme can be found here: <https://southamptonfc.com/womens-and-girls-football>

You can find the form to register your interest to attend trials here: <https://southamptonfc.com/womens-and-girls-football/trials> . **Applications will close at 5pm on Friday 1st March 2019**

For any other enquiries please email [womenandgirls@saintsfc.co.uk](mailto:womenandgirls@saintsfc.co.uk)



### CSSG

Chawton School Support Group are delighted to present their annual Curry and Quiz Night on **Saturday, 9<sup>th</sup> March 2019, 7pm for a 7.30pm start in the school hall.** To secure your place please complete the reply slip on the letter sent home today and return to CSSG via the post box by the door in the school office.

### Notices

Year 4/5 Swimming – Please remember that a swimming hat is **compulsory** for all lessons. Children without a hat will not be able to take part.

Maple and Beech classes – Miss Blandford will be away on the residential trip for the week commencing 1<sup>st</sup> April. Maple and Beech classes will be taught by Miss Andrews and Miss Walley.

Head Lice – We have had reports of head lice in school. Please check your child's hair and treat if necessary.

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/head-lice-and-nits/>

### House Points

	FALCONS	EAGLES	HAWKS
PREVIOUS YEAR TOTAL	2537	2765	2451
WEEK TOTAL	164	237	161
NEW YEAR TOTAL	2701	3002	2612

Letters home this week

CSSG Curry and Quiz Night

Oak Class Trip to Amery Hill

### Attachments

Get into Teaching

### Our Achievements

Congratulations to Phoebe and Lily for successfully completing, and receiving certificates for, their level two/three ice skating courses last Sunday.



### Next week at Chawton

w/c 04.03.19	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
AM		Hampshire Music Service Y1/2  Y4/5 Swimming	Violin Lessons	World Book Day – children to dress as their favourite book character	Guitar Lessons
Lunch Time					
PM					2.45pm Sharing Worship
After School	Badminton 3.15-4.15pm	Netball 3.15 – 4.15pm		Year 3 & 4 Cooking Club 3.15 – 4.30pm  STEM Club 3.15 – 4.15pm  4 – 5pm Rugby Coaching Session, Eggar's School	PH Sports Rugby Training Y4, 5, & 6 3.15 – 4.15pm

**Sharing Worship:**

(Sharing our half term value)  
 08.03.19 – Sharing worship  
 03.05.19 – Sharing worship  
 14.06.19 – Sharing worship

**Sharing Assemblies:**

(Certificates, achievements and some of our learning)  
 22.03.19 – Sharing worship  
 23.05.19 – Sharing worship

**Class Assemblies:**

(Sharing topic learning from the half term)  
 03.04.19 – Maple/Beech  
 04.04.19 – Year 4 East Meon Assembly  
 24.04.19 – Calshot Parent Assembly  
 15.05.19 – Oak Class Assembly  
 08.07.19 – Maple/Beech  
 11.07.19 – Yew/Sycamore

**Theme Weeks:**

04.03.19 – Book Week (Miss Blandford leading)  
 20.05.19 – Technology/STEM Week (Mrs Ross leading)

**Open Classrooms (3:15 – 4:00pm):**

(A chance to share your child's learning in their classroom with them)  
 09.05.19  
 20.06.19

**Music Assemblies (2:45pm):**

(Choirs and peripatetic musicians will perform to everyone)  
 16.07.19

**Inset Days:**

24.05.19  
 03.06.19

**Dates for your diaries:** Please note that for the majority of these events further details will be sent nearer the time. We will ensure that new dates, or any changed due to unforeseen circumstances, are in red.

Spring 2
04.03.19 – Book Fair 07.03.19 – World Book day 08.03.19 – Sharing Worship <b>08.03.19 – Oak Class Trip to Amery Hill</b> 22.03.19 – Sharing Worship 27.03.19 – Easter play to parents 5:30pm 28.03.19 – Easter Play to parents 2:00pm 29.03.18 – CSSG Cake & Uniform Sale Organised by Yew Class 01.04.19 – 04.04.19 – Calshot 01.04.19 – 03.04.19 – East Meon <b>02.04.19 – 9.30am Year 1/2 African Drumming Assembly, Parents welcome</b> 03.04.19 – Maple/Beech Class Assembly - 2.45pm, Parents welcome 04.04.19 – Year 4 East Meon Assembly 05.04.19 – Easter Service – 2:30pm and collection from church.
Summer
22.04.19 – BANK HOLIDAY 24.04.19 – KS2 SATs Meeting 3:15-3:45pm – Esme 25.04.19 – KS1 SATs Meeting 3:15 – 3:45pm – Kirsty 29.04.19 – Year 5 Bikeability 06.05.19 – BANK HOLIDAY 10.05.19 – CSSG Cake & Uniform Sale Organised by Maple Class 13.05.18 – SATS Week (Year 6)

14.05.19 – Class Photos  
07.06.19– CSSG Cake & Uniform Sale Organised by Sycamore Class  
10.06.19 – Phonics testing (Year 1)  
21.06.19 – CSSG Summer Fair  
25.06.19 – Sports Day – 1:15pm on field  
28.06.19 – Race for Life – 2:00pm  
02.07.19 – Reserve Sports Day  
05.07.19 – CSSG Cake & Uniform Sale Organised by Oak Class  
16.07.19 – Year 5 Perins Taster Day  
16.07.19 – Year 6 production – 6:30pm  
17.07.19 – Year 6 production – 6:30pm  
22.07.19 – Year 6 Leavers' Assembly – 2:00pm  
22.07.19 – Year 6 Leavers' BBQ  
23.07.19 – Leavers' service – 9:30am