

Weekly Newsletter

A REMINDER THAT NEXT FRIDAY (20TH JUNE) IS AN INSET DAY AND AS SUCH THE SCHOOL WILL BE CLOSED FOR THE DAY

PTA UPDATE

We're well and truly on the countdown to this years Summer Fair but **without further offers of support from parents there is no guarantee the event will be able to go ahead.** If you are able to offer any time at all to support the event on the day, please email the team at pta.chps@gmail.com

In the meantime, crucial information is as follows:

[Buy your tickets and inflatable wristbands here](#)

Donations welcome in the following forms...

- Chocolate to be brought in Thursday 19th June (also a dress down day!)
- Bottles brought in on Friday 27th June (also a dress down day!!)
- Bake a cake for the cake stall on the day (nut free please)
- Teddies (clean please!) and any other unopened toys, games, crafts brought in anytime from Monday 23rd June
- Any other raffle prizes gratefully received

Further events this year...

Discos - Tuesday 1st July for Early Years (2-3pm), Years 1-3 (3.15-4.15pm) and Years 4-6 (6-7pm)

[Disco tickets can be bought here](#)

Crazy Hair Day - Friday 18th July

Remember we need as much fundraising as we can manage to be able to add the outdoor classroom to the new scrambler before the end of term!

MICHAEL CHURM PARALYMPIAN VISIT

We're all looking forward to the visit of Paralympian sprinter Michael Churm on Monday. Michael will be running workout sessions with the children as well as leading an assembly talking about his successes and overcoming the challenges of having Cerebral Palsy. All KS2 pupils should come in to school in the morning in their PE kits.

The children can still get involved with fundraising for the event (money from which is split between funding the Great Athletes schools project and sports resources for the school) using the link here: <https://sportal.greatathletes.org/events/77644/promo>

Michael Churm is a Paralympian who has represented Team GB in various prestigious events and won a number of silver medals. As well as having a huge amount of resilience, determination and fitness, Michael has Cerebral palsy.

Cerebral palsy is the name for a group of lifelong conditions that affect movement and co-ordination. 'Cerebral' refers to the brain and 'palsy' means weakness or lack of muscle control. Cerebral Palsy occurs when the brain can't properly send messages to muscles, resulting in difficulty with movement, tone, or posture. Symptoms vary from person to person and can include poor coordination, stiff or weak muscles, tremors, and problems with vision, hearing, and speech.

Cerebral Palsy isn't a disease and can't therefore be cured, but as Michael has shown, people with Cerebral Palsy can achieve wonderful things! Michael's top tip for life is to 'treat other people how you would like them to treat you'.

OPEN AFTERNOONS & END OF YEAR REPORTING

Your child's end of year report will be sent out on Friday 11th July and will include details of the end of year assessments the children will take in a few weeks.

To add to this, we are this year introducing end of year Open Afternoons to allow you to come in to school to look through loads of the work the children have done this year. This is also a chance for the children to present their Pupil Profile to you which will reflect their own thoughts on their progress and achievements this year. Their Class Teacher will also be on hand should you like to speak to them while you are in.

We will be splitting these events over two afternoons to allow for a little more space and time for everyone. They will be split by House to ensure those of you who have more than one child in school can visit both classes on the same day. Dates for this are as follows (both 3.20pm-4.20pm)

Tuesday 22nd July: Altius and Citius

Wednesday 23rd July: Fortius and Magnus

Prior to this, the children will have their Transition Day on Friday 11th July, with their new classes being shared with them and yourselves on Friday 4th July.

DIGITAL WELLBEING PARENT SESSION

This will now take place straight after school on Thursday 3rd July. **This is one of the most significant issues we need an awareness of both as parents and educators so we strongly encourage as many of you as possible to join us for this, regardless of the age of your child.**

The session will include a look at a range of issues relating to online safety as well as lots of practical tips for ensuring your child has a positive relationship with technology.

INITIAL TEACHER TRAINING

If you are interested in training to become a Class Teacher with the Laurus Trust, we are taking applications but the deadline is fast approaching for a September start!

[For more information, please click on this link.](#)

SPORTS DAY

We are pleased to invite parents to join us for our Sports Day on Thursday 10th July which will take place on the grounds of Laurus Cheadle Hulme.

Now we are full we feel it is necessary to split the events into the following timings:

9.15-10.45am - Early Years and Key Stage 1

11.00am-12.30pm - Key Stage 2

Please be advised all timings are approximate as we will need to finish the first event before starting the second!

UNIFORM POP-UP SHOP

Our uniform supplier Express Uniform will be on site with a pop-up shop after school on Thursday 26th June.

By this time they expect to be stocking the updated items but in the meantime, discounted existing stock can be found on their website which can be accessed through the [uniform page of our website here.](#)

DATES FOR THE DIARY

[For a full list of dates for the 2024-25 academic year, please see our Annual Planner which can be accessed by clicking on this link.](#)

16th June - Michael Churm Paralympian Visit

17th June - Tom McLaughlin Author Visit

17th June - Y4/5 Bridgewater Hall Performance

20th June - INSET Day

26th June - Express Uniform Pop-Up Shop

27th June - Year 1 Assembly

28th June - PTA Summer Fair

3rd July - Digital Wellbeing workshop for parents

10th July - Sports Day (AM)

11th July - Transition Day

11th July - Reports sent out