

# Chaddesley Corbett Endowed Primary School Newsletter



**Gold Awards have been awarded to:-**  
**30th Gold Awards - Mitchell Attwood (Yr 3)**  
**40th Gold Awards - Isobel Smout (Yr 3)**



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9th September 2016

Welcome back to everyone as we start the new academic year and especially to all of the new pupils who have started with us not only in Pre-School and Reception but throughout the school. We are looking forward to a busy but exciting year ahead.

### Attendance:-

Our target is 97%

**Rec: 99.45%**

**Yr 1: 99.46%**

**Yr 2: 100%**

**Yr 3: 100%**

**Yr 4: 98.39%**

**Yr 5: 98.28%**

**Yr 6: 100%**

Overall school attendance for this week: **99.37% - Outstanding**

Fantastic attendance. Let's continue to work together to keep our attendance as **Outstanding!!**



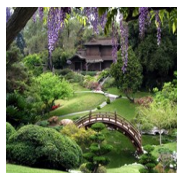
### Japanese Day

Year 1 and 2 spent a day immersing themselves in everything Japanese. We created pretend sushi, created kimonos by tissue paper printing, made our own anime on the computers, looked at Japanese Yen and also learnt to count and speak some words in Japanese to name just a few things. The children can identify where Japan is on a world map and know it is an island just like the United Kingdom. We all had great fun and learnt lots along the way.



### Birmingham Botanical Gardens

As part of our Japanese theme this

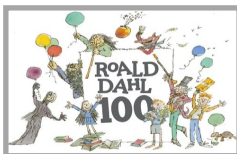


year, on Tuesday 18th October we have arranged for the whole of KS2 to visit the Birmingham Botanical Gardens. They will enjoy a bespoke experience focusing on Bonsai trees and Japanese gardens. Further information will follow in due course.



### New Platform for the Pond

We would like to say a big thank you to the PTFA whose fundraising over the last year has enabled us to have a platform built into the pond so that it can be used safely when studying habitat and pond life. Unfortunately, at the moment, the pond is very overgrown, and until it is cleared it will be difficult to use effectively. If there are any Parents or Grandparents who are knowledgeable about ponds, and who feel they can offer us some advice or time to help clear it, please contact the School Office, your help would be very much appreciated.



A reminder that on Tuesday 13th September year 3 and 4 will be celebrating Roald Dahl's 100th

birthday and we are asking the children to come to school dressed as their favourite Roald Dahl character for the day.

**Reading is Important!!**  
**Please encourage your child to read at least 3 times per week.**

**For younger children, just 15 minutes each day listening to them reading to you and for older children either reading to you or independently reading each day.**

**It really will make a difference!!**

### School Admissions September 2017

A reminder that if you have a child born between **1st September 2012 and 31st August 2013**, you will need to make an application for a school place for September 2017 no later than **15th January 2017**.

If you have any problems applying online please do not hesitate to ask for help at the School Office or contact the Worcestershire Hub on 01905 822 700.

### Starting School in September 2017

- If you live in Worcestershire and
  - Your child was born between 1st September 2012 and 31st August 2013
- You need to apply for a school place by 15th January 2017. For more information and to apply, visit: [www.worcestershire.gov.uk/schooladmissions](http://www.worcestershire.gov.uk/schooladmissions)



**Breakfast & After School**  
**Wraparound Care**  
 A reminder that bookings and payments for Breakfast Buddies, our breakfast club, need to be made half termly in advance. For Mix 'til Six, our after school club, bookings and payments need to be made a week in advance. If you need to use the wrap-around care facilities in an emergency situation payment is required when dropping off or collecting or no later than the following day.

### Car Parking for After School Club Collection

A reminder that if you are collecting your child from After School Club, located in the Pre-School, you need to park in either the drop off zone or the lower playground. Please do not park outside the main entrance of the school.

Future events that will be taking place at Chaddesley Corbett Primary School later in the year and next year.

Shindig Play - Tuesday 18/10/16  
The Last Station Keeper

Tickets for the Last Station Keeper are now available from the school office - £10.00 per adult and £6.00 per child (under 16)

Moirai - Saturday 5/11/16  
Performance and Barn dance

Shindig Play - Thursday 9/2/17  
Fur Coat & Magic Knickers

### Reminder: Holiday Club December 2016

Thank you to those who have already registered their interest, however just a reminder that this year we break up for Christmas on the 16th of December meaning there is still a whole week of work, let alone shopping, wrapping and cooking, for many families.

We will be running a holiday club for Chaddesley children from Monday 19th- Friday 23rd December. High quality activities and childcare will be provided.

Further details will be available in September so please register your interest at the office.

### Pre-School Places

A reminder that if you need to make an adjustment to the days or times of when your child attends Pre-School you are required to give a half term's notice and must be put in writing. We will always do our best to accommodate your requirements but it is subject to availability.

### Dates for your Diary

#### September

Monday 12th - PTFA Committee Meeting (all welcome to attend)

Tuesday 13th - Year 3 & Year 4 dress up as favourite Roald Dahl character to celebrate Roald Dahl's 100th birthday

Friday 23rd September - PTFA Annual General Meeting

Friday 23rd September - 1.30pm - 2.30pm Pre-school Open Messy Play afternoon including tour of the school

#### October

Monday 3rd - Teacher Training Day, school closed to pupils

Tuesday 11th - Parents' Evening

Tuesday 11th - Friday 14th - Book Fair

Thursday 13th - Parents' Evening

Tuesday 18th - KS2 visit to Birmingham Botanical Gardens

Tuesday 18th - Shindig Play - The Last Station Keeper (doors open at 7.00pm, curtain up at 7.30pm)



Get involved in our 150<sup>th</sup> year

## Barnardo's Family Fun Day

18 September / 11am - 3pm

**Halesowen Cricket Club**  
Seth Somers Park, Grange Rd,  
Halesowen B63 3EG

Dudley Zoo, Flip & Dippy, Fair Ground Rides, Bouncy Castles, Dance Demos, Rugby Tots, Time Travelling Toby, Pony Rides, Climbing Wall, Face Painting, Raffle\* & Tombola, Arts and Crafts, Cricket Demos, refreshments and so much more!

FREE PARKING available at Sandvik

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\* Includes: Family Ticket to West Midlands Safari Park, 2 person ticket for The Snowdome, LaserQuest Pass, dining out vouchers and other fabulous prizes!  
For enquiries please contact the team HalesowenFunday@barnardos.org.uk

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