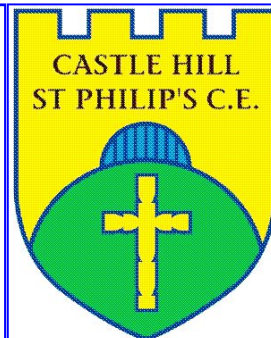


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July 2017 Newsletter



ENTERPRISE MARKET

Our Enterprise Market stalls raised an amazing £692.36. Thank you to all children, staff, parents and friends of school who supported the event. The funds will be spent on new reading books.

FAREWELL

At the end of term we will say farewell to Jack Roden, our caretaker. Jack will be retiring after 18 years at Castle Hill and I'm sure you join me in wishing Jack a long, happy and healthy retirement.

Our staffing structure will be shared with parents and children in the next few weeks once all appointments have been confirmed.

100% ATTENDANCE AWARE

All children with 100% attendance during the summer term will be rewarded with an ice-cream or lolly of their choice on the last day of term. The visit from the ice-cream van created quite a stir last year and the 'funny face' ice-cream cones were a big hit!

Children with 100% attendance across the whole 2016-17 academic year will be presented with extra special awards.

CASTLE HILL'S GOT TALENT

Tickets are being sold on a first come, first served basis and numbers are strictly limited due to fire safety rules. Tickets must be purchased in advance. Adults—£3.00, Children—£1.50 available from the school office.

SCHOOL TERM DATES

Please find attached a handy 'School Holiday Pattern 2017-18' purse/wallet sized chart. We hope you find this useful—please keep it in a safe place for reference.

BOUNCE DAY AND NON UNIFORM DAY

Our Gold Spot/Gold Star event to end the year is a day of bouncy castle fun. On Monday 17th July children are invited to wear sports wear or comfortable clothes suitable for bouncing—Fine £1.00. Children need to wear or bring with them a pair of socks.

HAIR STYLES

Our governing body are proud of our high standards of uniform and appearance and have a strict uniform policy. Please be aware that boys must not have hairstyles where hair is very short in places and long elsewhere, have patterns cut into the hair or wear hair gel. Parents of children with unsuitable hair styles will be asked to take their child for a more suitable haircut.

If you are considering having your child's ears pierced or a holiday hairstyle, please wait until after we break up for the summer holiday.

DIARY DATES

Wednesday 5th July	2.45 pm	Y3 Class Assembly
Thursday 6th July	2.20 pm	Y4 Musical Performance
Friday 7th July	KS1—6.00 pm KS2—7.30 pm	Castle Hill's Got Talent
Tuesday 11th July	1.30 pm 6.30 pm	Y6 End of Year Production
Monday 17th July	8.55 am	Bouncy Castle/Non-uniform day—Fine £1.00
Tuesday 18th July	10.00 am	Y6 Leavers' Service in church
Thursday 20th July	KS1—6.00 pm KS2—7.00 pm	Discos
Friday 21st July	9.10 am 3.20 pm	Y6 Leavers' Assembly Break up for summer holidays
Tuesday 5th September	8.55 am	Return from summer holidays

ATTENDANCE

Class	Attendance %	Attendance %	Lates
	June	September —June	June
Reception	96.2	96.2	18
Year 1	95.9	96.1	17
Year 2	94.8	94.8	18
Year 3	95.3	95.4	22
Year 4	95	95.3	16
Year 5	95.6	96.2	15
Year 6	96.6	96.8	17
TOTAL	94.4	95.8	123

Congratulations to **Year 6** for having the best attendance for the month of June and **Year 6** for topping the leader board for the school year so far.

ATTENDANCE

This year's attendance target is 96%. We are currently under our target at 95.8%.

Please support your child by making sure they arrive on time, every day, ready for learning.