

CASTLE HILL ST. PHILIP'S C.E. PRIMARY SCHOOL



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CASTLE HILL'S GOT TALENT

A separate letter will be sent out shortly offering parents the chance to purchase Castle Hill's Got Talent Show tickets. Please note that we have to limit the number of tickets we sell in order to adhere to fire regulations. Tickets always sell quickly so please purchase your tickets well in advance.



June 2016 Newsletter

TRANSITION DAY

On Wednesday 29th June, children will be spending the morning in their next class to meet their new teacher and spend time in their new classroom. Please send your child into school by the appropriate door (eg Y2 children use KS2 door).

The last half term of this academic year is set to be a very busy, action packed time. Please keep this newsletter as it contains many dates/times of school events.

WALKING DAY

We would like as many children as possible to join us on Sunday 12th June at 1.40 p.m. for Walking Day so we can show the people of Hindley how proud we are of our school. The walk starts at 2.00 p.m. from Hindley Business Centre, Atherton Road, and will last approximately one hour. All children who attend will be rewarded in school the week after.

SPORTS DAYS

Dates are as follows, weather permitting

KS1—Wednesday 15th June—9.30 am

KS2—Thursday 16th June—9.30 am

Parents, grandparents, friends, etc. are very welcome to join us.

Please note—admin staff will update the school website, Facebook page and telephone system with updates regarding Sports Days. If we cancel/postpone the events we will text parents to let you know. Please avoid telephoning the school office since high numbers of calls from parents prevent staff from completing other duties.

SUMMER FAYRE

Our Summer Fayre will take place this year on Friday 17th June from 3.20 pm to 5.00 pm. There will be refreshments, tombola stalls, bouncy castle, cake stall and children will have their Enterprise Week produce on sale and games too! Please come along or contact Laura Adamson if you are available to help set up or run a stall.

E-SAFETY

Many children say they use social media sites at home. The following website explains the most appropriate ages for many social media sites and is intended to offer guidance and support for parents/carers:

www.net-aware.org.uk



Class	Attendance May %	Attendance Sept –May %	Lates May
Reception	95.9	95	23
Year 1	91.8	95	21
Year 2	95.2	96.7	19
Year 3	96.3	94.8	7
Year 4	97.5	95.6	19
Year 5	94.4	95.1	27
Year 6	95.6	96.5	26
WHOLE SCHOOL	95.2	95.5	142

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 get it changed.

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.

Congratulations to **Year 4** for having the best attendance for the month of May and **Year 2** for topping the leader board for the school year so far.

REFERENDUM

Please note that school will be closed to children on Thursday 23rd June since the building is being used as a Polling Station for the referendum.

DIARY DATES

Wednesday 8th June		Y2 visit to Tesco Store, Hindley
Sunday 12th June	2.00 pm	Walking Day—meet at 1.45 at Hindley Business Centre
Monday 13th June		Enterprise Week
Wednesday 15th June	9.30 am	KS1 Sports Day
Thursday 16th June	9.30 am	KS2 Sports Day
Friday 17th June	9.00 am 3.20—5.00 pm	Clothing Bag Collection Non-uniform Day—Fine is £1 or some cakes PTFA School Fayre including Enterprise Stalls
Wednesday 22nd June		YR visit to Windmill Farm Y6 Visit to Tesco Store, Hindley
Thursday 23rd June	School Closed	School being used as a Polling Station for the referendum
Tuesday 28th June	9.00 am	Y6 Liverpool Museum and Cathedral for Leavers' Service
Wednesday 29th June	8.55 am 2.45 pm	Transition Day YR Class Assembly
Friday 1st July	5.00 pm doors open 5.30 pm—start 7.00 pm doors open 7.30 pm start	Castle Hill's Got Talent Reception, Year 1, Year 2 and Year 3 Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6
Wednesday 6th July	9.00 am	Y5 visit to John Moores University
Tuesday 12th July	2.00 pm	KS2 Production in Church
Wednesday 13th July	2.45 pm 6.30 pm	Year 3 Class Assembly KS2 Production in Church
Thursday 14th July	6.00—7.00 pm 7.00—8.00 pm	KS1 Disco KS2 Disco (YEAR 6 TO ARRIVE AT 6.30 PM)
Monday 18th July		Gold Sport Event—Bouncy Day Non-uniform Day—fine £1—Please wear sports clothes suitable for bouncing in. Children must wear or bring socks.
Tuesday 19th July	10.00 am	Y6 Leavers' Service at church
Tuesday 20th July	9.00 am	Leavers Assembly

100% ATTENDANCE REWARD

Children who achieve 100% attendance during the Summer term (from Easter to Summer) will be rewarded on the last day or term. This year we have once again booked the ice cream van to visit school and children will be able to choose any ice cream or ice lolly they fancy!

Children who have achieved 100% for the entire year will have another special reward.

COMMANDO JOE

As this half term is set to be a very busy time, Commando Joe will not be running his usual before and after school sessions. Instead he will be running sessions with Fun Times Before and After School Club children only.