

Cheselbourne Village School

Friday 10th September 2021



Dear Parents

WOW, what a week of weather it has been. Who would have thought that we would have needed our sun-hats, sun-cream and wellies all within three days...

A gentle reminder that the children need to enter school, prepared for the weather on each day. One day, it may be suitable to have already applied sun cream and have a sensible sun hat. On the other hand, you may wish to pack a waterproof coat for playtime. Of course, in true British fashion, the weather can change very quickly so it's important that we are all prepared.

Scarecrows toddler group

We are really happy to announce that Scarecrows will be starting up again next week, **TUESDAY the 14th September 2021**. The new times are 9.30am until 11.00am. We will be in the village hall setting up from 8.45am, so if you have dropped the older children off at school and are hanging about you are welcome to come in and help with the set up.

We will be doing all the wonderful activities that we used to do from singing to painting, cooking and art, along with snack time and play. Tea and coffee will be available for grown ups and a relaxing chat.

Please let your friends and family know about the Mother and Toddler group starting up again as we would like to see as many new parents as possible, so spread the word.

Looking forward to seeing you all next week.

Swimathon - returns....

When: Sunday 17th October 2021

Starting at 12:00pm at Wareham Sports Centre. It's run by the Lions club of Wareham, we keep 75% of funds for school, the Lions have 25% for their local charity. It's a really good fun day out.



A letter will be coming out soon with more information. If interested see Miss McIntyre.

Dorset Reading Challenge

Reminder: Pupils have until September 11th to come into the library and speak about their books and get their stickers and medal, then have their certificate sent to school. They can complete after this date but the certificate will be given to them in the library rather than going to school.

Dorchester library opening hours are

Mon 10am – 5.30pm Tues 9.30am – 7pm Weds 9.30am – 1pm Thurs 9.30am- 5.30pm Fri 9.30 – 7pm Sat 9am – 4pm

Cheselbourne School Friends



We want to invite you all to our first CSF meeting for the new school year and also the first one that we've been able to arrange in a long time, due to Covid. We are planning to meet on Wednesday 22nd September, at 7pm in the Fox pub in Ansty.

We would be delighted if you could all join us to discuss a plan for this year to raise some funds for the school.

Everyone welcome, please don't be shy, the more the merrier!

Clubs

It has been fantastic to launch our extra curricular clubs this week, after such a long time of restrictions. The children have thoroughly enjoyed getting back to activities and I would urge you all to use this opportunity to expand your children's school experience. We aim to offer a diverse range of activities to cater for all interests and passions.

Some of these clubs have more of an uptake than others. Please book on to these clubs to ensure your place.

Football (Fri) and Wild Art Club (Thurs) currently have plenty of vacancies.





Today, you will receive your child's class 'Welcome Letter' via email. This will be sent from the class email account (check junk folders). We are doing this to make sure that you know and have the class email address. Please can you respond to the welcome letter email to confirm that you have received it.

I hope your return to school routine has been a smooth transition and I would just like to say how proud I am of all of the pupils. They have settled extremely well and I look forward to watching their progression over the coming months.

Have a great weekend,

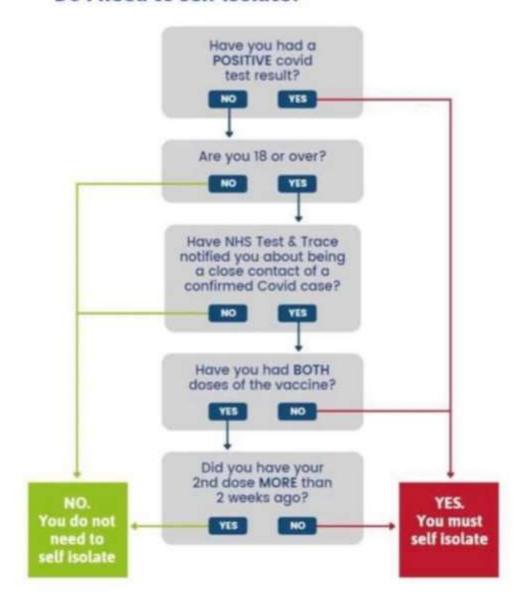
Kind regards,

Mr & Perry

Mr C. Perry

Headteacher

Do I need to self-isolate?



Safeguarding Support

If you ever have a concern about a child, please contact our Designated Safeguarding Lead Mr Perry

In the absence of Mr Perry please speak to our deputy Designated Safeguarding Leads:

Mrs Collett or Mrs Mowlam



2021-22 Term Dates

AUTUMN TERM 2021

Thursday 2 September - INSET day - Children not in school

Friday 3 September - Children return for new school year

(3 INSET DAYS - Children not in school - 20, 21, 22 October)

AUTUMN HALF TERM - Monday 25 October - Friday 29 October 2021

Monday 1 November - start of second half of Autumn Term

Friday 17 December - Last day of Autumn Term

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY

Newsletters and Information - Please remember that key information and copies of letters are on the school website: www.cheselbourne.dorset.sch.uk

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