



24th May 2019

Dear Parents,

The Chilmark Fayre looks to be the biggest and most exciting event in the village for years.

It is being held on the 20th July in the field next to the church and a show schedule is coming home today.

As you can see, the event has lots of competitions for pupils in the school to enter. It is a great chance to show the community that Chilmark pupils are inventive and creative. I expect to see multiple entries and a raft of winners from the school. If recent homework projects are anything to go by we are in with a chance of winning in all categories (How great would this be?)

SATs have been completed by year two and year six, we are very proud of the hard work our pupils have put in. Please remind your children that the next seven weeks are just as important and will also have the same high level of expectation. With this in mind a week's rest is a good idea, so please enjoy the coming half term!

Mr Smith

Oak's New Mud Kitchen

Oak class was very excited to be given a new mud kitchen last week. This has been made for the school by Mr Dubinkas who is Daniella's Dad. This has replaced the old kitchen that the class loved using but, sadly has fallen apart.

Huge thanks to Mr Dubinkas from us all.



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Chilmark and Fonthill Bishop School BIG 2000Km Sponsored Walk!!

Dear Parents,

Over the next 8 weeks the Friends are running Chilmark and Fonthill Bishop 2000km 'BIG WALK'. We are hoping to raise money for sporting activities at the school, including the Elm residential.

We have provided you with a paper sponsorship form and have set up an online donation page:

www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/big-walk-2019-2. The link is available on the Chilmark and Fonthill Bishop School Facebook page (fb.me/ChilmarkSchool). We would be grateful for lots of shares on any social media you use and any sponsorship money you are able to collect over the next 8 weeks.

In order to reach the BIG 2000Km we would love as many families as possible to get involved by letting us know your kilometres or minutes walked each week. It can be a family walk, a quick morning walk with the dog, a group run, a dad hike, a mum trek or any other combination.

E.g.

1 person x 5km

Family of 4 walked for 1 hour

Family of 3 Jogged for 30 minutes

1 adult walked 30 minutes 5 x a week

You can let us know your kms or minutes in any of the following ways;

Email: chilmarkschool2000k@gmail.com

Message on Facebook: fb.me/ChilmarkSchool

Message on Twitter: @ChilmarkBig

Drop a note into reception.

Let Amy (George's Mum) know.

Keep an eye out for 'Big Walk News' over the coming weeks as well as a chart showing our progress.

Happy Walking

The Friends

Diary Dates

Wednesday 5 June – Kingfisher Award field visit to Manor Farm Sutton Mandeville (Years 2, 3 &4)

Wednesday 5 – Friday 7 June Years 5&6 to Osmington Bay

Thursday 13 June – "Woodland Alive" trip to Oysters Coppice in Semley (Oak Class)

Kwik cricket tournament at Fonthill Cricket Club (Elm Class cricketers)

Friday 21 June – Sports Day

Friday 19 July – Leaver's service – 2pm at the Church. Break up for summer holidays.

Saturday 20 July Chilmark Fayre

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School Year 2019/20

There will be a staff training day on Monday 2nd September 2019 so the Autumn Term for the children will begin on Tuesday 3rd September 2019.

After consultation with Governors & staff and looking at the holidays set by both Wiltshire Council and the Southern Academy Trust we have decided to have a longer Autumn Half Term. We will break up on Tuesday 22nd October and return on Monday 4th November.

Autumn Term 2019 School commences Tuesday 3rd September
Half term holiday Wednesday 23rd October to Friday 1st November
Term finishes Friday 20th December
Spring Term 2020 School commences Tuesday 7th January
Half term holiday Monday 17th to Friday 21st February
Term finishes Friday 3rd April
Summer Term 2020 School commences Monday 20th April
Half term holiday Friday 22nd to Friday 29th May
Term finishes Friday 17th July

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