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Dear Families,

Being the Head of School at Chilton fills me with immense pride and joy every day. Witnessing the happy faces of the children as they come through our gates is incredibly rewarding and fuels my passion for education. It's a privilege to be part of a community where children's happiness is at the forefront of everything we do. Their smiles remind me of the importance and impact of our work, and I am deeply grateful for the opportunity to contribute to their joy and growth.

As we near the end of another exciting term here at Chilton Primary School, I wanted to take a moment to celebrate some of the fantastic events and achievements that have taken place over the past few weeks.

Firstly, I am thrilled to welcome Ms. Kennedy to our teaching staff, along with Ms Stevens and Ms Skelsey. Their dedication and passion for education will undoubtedly enrich the learning experience for all our students.

A huge round of applause to all the Reception students who participated in our superhero dress-up day. It was a joy to see their creativity and enthusiasm shine through as they embraced the theme with such excitement. Year 3 have had some special visitors this term, with both a nurse and a police officer taking the time to come and speak with our children. These visits provided valuable insights and sparked curiosity among our young learners. Our Key Stage 2 students were treated to a captivating science assembly delivered by Pfizer, which left the audience in awe. Year 2 had an exciting excursion to Ramsgate Harbour, where they had the opportunity to explore and learn about their local environment firsthand. Similarly, Year 6 had a memorable visit to Margate Mosque, where they gained valuable insights into different cultures and traditions.

Our spectacular Young Voices trip to London was a highlight of the term, with our students showcasing their talent and dedication on a grand stage. It was a moment of pride for our school community.

Looking forward to next term, we will be looking forward to Parent Teacher Consultations. Events such as Come Dine With Me, will make their return, which are always extremely popular. Our Easter celebrations promise to be 'egg-citing', filled with fun activities and surprises. World Book Day will transport us into magical realms and Science Day will ignite curiosity and discovery. Get ready to put on your red noses and join us for Red Nose Day as we come together to make a difference. Please see a full list of key dates below.

I will add a polite reminder of the importance of respectful communication with our staff. Should you have any questions or concerns, we encourage you to discuss them respectfully with your child's class teacher or a member of the senior leadership team. Open and respectful dialogue is key to fostering a positive and supportive school community.

I hope you all have a restful and enjoyable time with your families. We look forward to welcoming everyone back for Term 4, filled with more opportunities for learning, growth, and success.

Mr McAuley



Links to Useful Website Pages:

Year Group Blogs
Calendar
Information for Parents
Letters

Dates for the Diary:

- Monday 19th February Term 4 begins
- Friday 23rd February Year 4 to Discovery Planet
- Wednesday 28th February Year 3 to Dover Castle
- Saturday 2nd March KS2 Cross Country at Quex
- Monday 4th March National Offer Day for Year 6 Secondary places
 - Thursday 7th March World Book Day
 - Thursday 7th March Autism workshop in school hall 9:00
 - Thursday 14th March Year 4 Assembly 9:00 Parents invited
 - Monday 11th Thursday 14th March Book Fair in school
 - Friday 15th March Red Nose Day
- Friday 15th March Parent Book Look 3:15 for Parent-Teacher Consultations
- Monday 18th Thursday 21st March Parent-Teacher Consultations dates and times coming soon
 - Thursday 21st March Rock Your Socks Day in support of Down Syndrome Awareness
 - Thursday 21st March Year 2 Assembly 9:00 Parents invited
 - Friday 22nd March The Speaker Finals at Royal Harbour Academy
 - Monday 25th March Come Dine With Me for Reception & Year 6
 - Tuesday 26th March Come Dine With Me for Years 1, 4 & 5
 - Wednesday 27th March Come Dine With Me for Years 2 & 3
 - Thursday 28th March Easter Egg Hunts
 - Thursday 28th March Easter Bonnet Parade 10:30 for Reception, Year 1&2 (parents invited)
 - Thursday 28th March Term 4 ends (normal time @3:15)
 - Friday 29th March Good Friday

Term 5 begins - Monday 15th April

2023-2024 TERM DATES

Term 4

Term 4 begins – Monday 19th February 2024 Term 4 ends – Thursday 28th March 2024

Term 5

Term 5 begins - Monday 15th April 2024

Bank Holiday – Monday 6th May 2024

Term 5 ends – Friday 24th May 2024

Term 6

Term 6 begins – Monday 3rd June 2024

Term 6 ends Friday 19th July 2024

Development Days – Monday 22nd and Tuesday 23rd July 2024

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