

# Chertsey Primary School

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Term 1 Week 8 Newsletter

Tuesday 20/03/2018



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### *From the Principal's desk*

Congratulations to all of our zone swimming competitors at the carnival last Tuesday. Chertsey children were great competitors and well behaved. Thank you to the parents for getting them to the pool and home again along with Mr McLeod and Miss Gay for escorting them and working hard at the carnival to ensure the day ran as smoothly as possible. A lot of work goes in behind the scenes for such a carnival to take place and it was good to hear the day was a success. Thank you to everyone involved.

The school fundraising committee has organised a Cookie Dough drive and notes along with order forms were sent home last week. Thank you to all of the families who have already returned these notes along with the money. Please return these to the front office by Thursday March 22 as our P&C have to place the orders the following day. If you need another order form you can get one at the front office.

Last Tuesday we held our Annual General Meeting (AGM) for 2018 P&C committee. I would like to congratulate the following on their executive roles and we look forward to working closely with the P&C committee throughout 2018. Mrs Michelle Frazer – President, Mr Francis Doherty Bigara – Treasurer, Mrs Nada Potter – Secretary. It was lovely to welcome new families who came along to the meeting and we hope to see you all there again next month. Our next P&C meeting will be April 10 at 6:30pm in the staffroom. Everyone is welcome.



Thank you to all of the families who were able to purchase the Maths text books. If you are unable to pay for these in one payment please see Mrs Denning at the front desk to organise a payment plan.

Harmony Day was celebrated last Friday here at school and what a lovely day it was. The children started the day with a silent breakfast in brekkie club, had the opportunity to wear a piece of orange clothing, bought pet rocks, hair ties and celebrated with a special assembly in the afternoon. Thank you to Donna Knee and Miss Gay for organising this event. We were able to collect \$392.50 to donate to Stewart House and we would like to thank all of the students and parents for supporting this day.

Our K-2 children are having their Easter Hat Parade on Thursday March 29 and we are all so excited to be a part of this fun event. Parents and family members are invited to attend and watch their children participate. On Monday next week our K-2 students will start making their hats with their buddy classes. On Thursday the parade will start at 10:30am and everyone is welcome to come along and watch. After the parade you are welcome to stay and have a picnic lunch with your child. The raffle will be drawn on this day so don't forget to have your raffle tickets in on or before Thursday.

Our Easter scripture service will be on Wednesday March 28 and parents are welcome to come along. The service starts in the hall at 2pm.

School will break for the Easter holiday on Thursday March 29 and return Tuesday April 3. I wish you all a very happy and safe Easter break. I hope the Easter Bunny is kind to all of our families.

Toni Skinner  
Principal

## Creative and Performing Arts

Congratulations to our students who were successful in gaining a position in our Choir and Dance groups. We look forward to all of the performances there will be throughout the year!

## Zone Swimming Carnival

On Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> March Mr Mcleod and Miss Gay took several students to Woy Woy Peninsula Leisure Centre to compete in the 2018 Zone Swimming Carnival. Congratulations to all students involved, for their behaviour, sportsmanship and efforts in the carnival. The competition was tough, and our swimmers did their best and displayed our three school expectations throughout the day. Well done to Jye from 2-6G who will progress to Sydney North Carnival in a few weeks.

Congratulations to:

Ryan  
Lachlan  
Tahlee  
Max  
Jye  
Taylor  
Tiana  
Kohen  
Arseniy  
Amelia  
Clare  
Ashleigh  
Jye  
Marlon  
Nikita  
Hunter  
Geordan  
Eva  
Addison  
Andrew  
Jamie

Well done to our Zone  
competitors!





## Harmony Day

On Friday 16<sup>th</sup> March Chertsey Primary School celebrated Harmony Day! We started our day with a silent breakfast at breakfast club, including pancakes with orange icing! As you can imagine, Breakfast Club was very busy!

Our students raised money for Stewart House by wearing orange and purchasing pet rocks and crafty items.

We finished the day with a very inclusive assembly and a performance by our lovely Choir! Thank you to all involved for another wonderful Harmony Day.

Diversity really is our strength.





Chertsey Primary School  
Easter Hat Parade  
Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March 2018  
Time: 10:30am-11:00am  
Where: COLA



All parents and friends are invited to the parade.

K-2 children will be making their hats at school with their buddy class on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> March. 3-6 children are welcome to make a hat and participate in the parade.

Children should start collecting things at home to bring to school to decorate their hat. eg cotton balls; pictures; flowers; streamers; stickers; chicks; feathers; tinsel; corks; leaves. Children may bring in their decorations prior to Monday in a plastic bag clearly labeled with their name or on the Monday.

Please be aware that this is NOT a competition but a fun activity. NO prizes will be awarded. The important aspect of this event is not which hat looks the best but that every child has the experience of making a hat and being in a parade.

Hats can be made from cardboard or a bought hat can be decorated by your child.

Please do not send in chocolate eggs as they may melt and this may upset your child.

The parade will commence at 10:30am in the COLA. K-2 children will parade around the COLA with their primary buddy.

After the parade the P & C will draw 'The Easter Raffle'. You are welcome to stay for a picnic lunch with your children.



Happy Easter from the staff and students of  
Chertsey Primary School  
We wish you a safe and happy Easter break.





## Trash Free Tuesday

Trash Free Tuesdays are designed to encourage children to bring lunches that don't generate much rubbish. This is done by using trash free lunch boxes, re-usable containers and drink bottles.

**Chertsey Primary School is Trash Free every Tuesday.**

Children will receive Chester's and at the end of each term the class and/or stage with the least trash over the term will receive a treat from Mrs Campbell.

Trash Free lunches result in reduced litter and they encourage healthy eating. This will benefit the environment by reducing packaging waste, which in turn reduces energy and resource use.

So **PLEASE** participate in our new health and environmental challenge - no rubbish on a Tuesday. Thanks, Mrs Campbell



**We would love your old magazines!**

Please bring any magazines you have into the school office marked Donna Knee.

Thank you so much!

Donna

School Chaplain



PULL OUT POSTER  
Hang me up in your classroom!

SCHOLASTIC Book Club

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AROUND THE WORLD

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## This Earth Hour, it's time to switch off and #Connect2Earth.

The fight for our planet's future is on!

Australia is home to some of the world's most iconic and breathtaking natural landscapes and wildlife. But just like many of the natural wonders across our blue-green planet, we're facing massive threats to our biodiversity due to climate change.

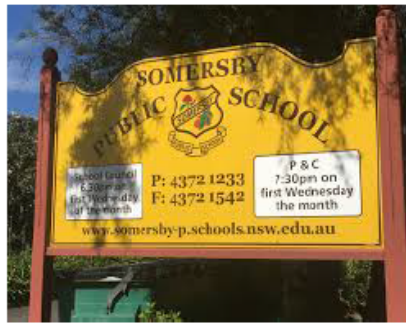
That's why millions of people in over 180 countries are switching off their lights for Earth Hour as a symbolic gesture to show the need for stronger climate action. Are you ready to join the movement, Australia?

It's time to switch off and #Connect2Earth.

**SWITCH OFF - 8:30PM, SATURDAY 24 MARCH 2018**

On Friday at school, all of Chertsey will be participating in National Schools Earth Hour. We encourage you to join in at home on Saturday.





# SOMERSBY SCAMPER CROSS COUNTRY FUN RUN

SUNDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2018 – 8:30AM

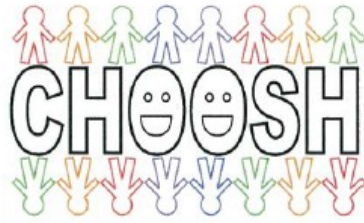
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## Vacation Care Program

### April 2018

**Sun Safety:** CHOOSH Care endorses the Cancer Council's 'Sun Safe OOSH' Policy. Under this policy, a daily UV check is conducted, and at times where the UV level is above 3, SPF 50 sunscreen is applied every 2-3 hours. Children are also required to wear sun safe clothing, including a broad brimmed, bucket style or legionnaire hat, and clothing which covers their shoulders. Singlets and caps are not sun safe clothing. If your child attends Vacation Care without appropriate sun safe clothing, they will be provided with a hat/shirt. Children must also wear sensible shoes for walking and playing (i.e. enclosed shoes or strap-on sandals), and bring a jumper or a jacket and drink bottle each day. Thongs and slip-on style shoes are not permitted. **Caps are not permitted at CHOOSH Care**



**Hand-held video games:** Children are permitted to bring their hand-held games during Vacation Care, but specific times will be allocated for playing their games so that they spend some time participating in other activities. All games, including iPod games, must be G or PG rated as per centre policy. Any games above this classification (M, MA15+) will be confiscated and returned to the child's parent/guardian at the completion of the day. CHOOSH Care is not responsible for any breakages or lost property. Children are not permitted to use mobile phones at CHOOSH Care at any time.

**Hours of operation:** CHOOSH Care is open from 6.30am till 6.00pm Monday to Friday during the school holidays and Pupil Free Days (excludes public holidays). Bookings are essential as places are limited.

**Supervision:** CHOOSH Care is approved for a maximum of 40 school age children per day, however limitations may be placed on maximum number of enrolments due to staffing or transport requirements. Staff to child ratios of 1:15 are maintained during centre days, with increased supervision on excursions. A *Risk Assessment* is conducted prior to each excursion and are available for parents to view upon request. A *Responsible Person* holding their Apply First Aid, Child Protection, Asthma & Anaphylaxis certificate will be rostered on at all times throughout the day. A photograph of the Responsible Person on duty is displayed at the sign in desk.

**Payment:** The cost per day for in-centre activities is \$52 per child for permanent enrolments, and \$56 for casual enrolments. The cost per day for excursions is \$62 for permanent enrolments, and \$66 for casual enrolments. Please note that additional costs may apply to some 'in centre' activities and excursions, particularly swimming excursions to cover increased staffing costs. (Please see the program for these additional charges). Note: Permanent enrolments are those families who attend before and/or after school care, and have paid a bond and registration fee.



**Bookings:** Bookings can be returned to CHOOSH Care via email or in person. *Please note: Verbal bookings will not be accepted.* Bookings must be received by Friday 7<sup>th</sup> April 2018. In the case that a day becomes booked out, a waiting list will be prepared and parents will be notified if a place becomes available.

**Child Care Benefit (CCB):** CCB is available to registered parents for Vacation Care. Please contact Family Assistance Office (FAO) on 136 150 to be CCB assessed.

**Cancellations:** Please notify the Centre of any cancellations as soon as possible. There are no refunds once a booking is made, but it may be possible to swap places for another day within the same week as long as there is a vacancy on the desired day.

**Red Hat/ Shirt surcharge:** During excursions, children are provided with red shirts to ensure children are easily identifiable. Children are also provided with sun safe red hats if they do not have an appropriate hat on any day. To cover cost of purchasing, embroidering and laundering these shirts, a surcharge of \$5 per child per Vacation Care will be added to your Family Statement.

**CHOOSH Care's Vacation Care Program:** We are aware that sometimes programmed activities will not appeal to all children. Be assured that wherever possible we try to provide alternative activities such as craft, games or movies. There are also opportunities for children to assist with activities even if they do not wish to take part in the actual activity.

**Program variations:** The Vacation Care program is subject to change without notice if it is deemed in the best interests of children. E.g. changes to program on wet weather days. Should an excursion change, parents will be required to sign their permission for the new excursion prior to child attending.

**Medication:** If your child requires medication an *Administration of Medication* form must be completed on each day that the medication is to be administered. Please note that no over-the-counter medication will be given (except Panadol - see booking form). Medication must be provided in original packaging with the child's correct name and will be administered as per dosage instructions.

**Food:** Please pack a nutritious morning tea, lunch and some snacks for your children on all days. Afternoon tea is provided and **lunch is provided only on some days** (see program for days where lunch is provided). Water will be freely available at the Centre, but please supply a drink bottle for excursions as these can be refilled as required. Please ensure that your child has adequate food, as Vacation Care days are active and long and the children do get quite hungry.

**Refrigeration:** Please inform staff if any of your child's food requires refrigeration (e.g. dairy products).

**Nut policy:** CHOOSH Care endeavours to be a 'nut free' centre, as per policy, for the safety of all children. Please do not send any nuts or food products containing nuts to CHOOSH Care.







**Breakfast:** Breakfast is provided between 6:30am – 7:30am during Vacation Care. Breakfast options include wholemeal toast, weetbix, cheerios, cornflakes, rice bubbles and plain milk or milo.

**Special diets:** If children are on restricted diets due to food allergies etc. parents are advised to provide alternatives food for their child as we cannot guarantee that the foods available will be suitable for your child's needs.







**Spending money:** Children are not permitted to bring money for an excursion unless the program indicates otherwise as there is no opportunity for them to spend it.



## CHOOSH Care - Vacation Care – Week 1 Monday 16<sup>th</sup> April - Friday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2018

Date	Activity	Please Bring
<p>Monday 16<sup>th</sup> April</p>  <p><b>Obstacool</b> (Incursion)</p>	<p>Today WOOSH will come to CHOOSH to join in some Obstacool fun! The Obstacool Course is made up of a mix of inflatable's including wedges, inflatable tyre run plus our feature attraction, Big Bopper which is 40m long! Along with this, there are walls, tunnels, commando nets and more!</p>  <p><i>Cost for this incursion is \$62 (Casual \$66)</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Sun safe hat</li> <li>✓ Closed in shoes</li> <li>✓ Morning tea</li> <li>✓ Lunch</li> <li>✓ Drink bottle</li> </ul>
<p>Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> April</p> <p><b>Woy Woy Pool</b> (Excursion)</p>	 <p>Back by popular demand, today we will be heading to Woy Woy Leisure Centre to join in the fun on the inflatables and the water slide. Younger children and those who are not strong swimmers will be using the smaller pools. <i>Cost for this excursion is \$66 (Casual \$70)</i>  <b>Transport:</b> Staff Vehicles  <b>Leave CHOOSH:</b> 10:30am <b>Return to CHOOSH:</b> 4:00pm  <b>Address:</b> 243 Blackwall Rd, Woy Woy NSW 2256</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Sun safe hat</li> <li>✓ Morning tea</li> <li>✓ Lunch</li> <li>✓ Swimmers</li> <li>✓ Towel</li> <li>✓ Plastic bag</li> </ul>
<p>Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> April</p> <p><b>Sewing &amp; Craft</b> (Centre)</p>	<p>One of our parents has offered to come in and teach the children to sew. She will bring in sewing machines and material for the children to create their own bag to take home. We will also make our own dream catchers and many more crafty activities to complete.</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Sun safe hat</li> <li>✓ Morning tea</li> <li>✓ Lunch</li> <li>✓ Drink bottle</li> </ul>
<p>Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> April</p> <p><b>Around the World in 11hrs</b> (Centre)</p>	 <p>Let's see how many countries we can visit in 11hrs! There will be information to learn about each country and craft to complete. Jackie from Fresh Food Fast will be in to teach us how to make sushi. Children will be given their own passport to stamp off the countries they visit.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Morning tea</li> <li>✓ Sun safe hat</li> <li>✓ Drink bottle</li> <li>✓ Lunch</li> </ul>
<p>Friday 20<sup>th</sup> April</p> <p><b>Intencity</b> (Excursion)</p>	<p>We will have two hours of fun and games at Intencity before having some lunch in the hive and checking out the free school holiday activities at Erina Fair. Children can bring up to \$10 extra spending money today for Intencity.</p>  <p><b>Transport:</b> Staff Vehicles  <b>Leave CHOOSH:</b> 10:00am <b>Return to CHOOSH:</b> 4:00pm  <b>Address:</b> Erina Fair, Karalta Rd, Erina, NSW, 2250</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Sun safe hat</li> <li>✓ Morning tea</li> <li>✓ Lunch</li> <li>✓ Drink bottle</li> <li>✓ <b>Max \$10 spending money</b></li> </ul>

## CHOOSH Care - Vacation Care – Week 2 Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> April – Monday 30<sup>th</sup> April 2018

	Activity	Please bring
<p>Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> April</p> <p><b>Click &amp; Create Session 3 (Incursion)</b></p> 	<p>After such a great photography session in the last holidays, we have invited Paula and her team from Click &amp; Create to come back and provide session 3 of her amazing photography sessions. Topics include over / under exposure plus natural and artificial light. Children will make a take home reflector using cardboard and foil; they will also have an opportunity to use artificial light to photograph a favourite toy or object...</p> <p><b>Children are welcome to bring their own devices for today's photography session e.g. camera, iPad, tablet.</b></p> <p><i>Cost for this <u>incursion</u> is \$62 (Casual \$66)</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Sun safe hat</li> <li>✓ Morning tea</li> <li>✓ Lunch</li> <li>✓ Drink bottle</li> </ul>
<p>Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> April</p> <p><b>Hoyts Erina (Excursion)</b></p>	<p>We're visiting Hoyts to see the hilarious new movie, <b>Sherlock Gnomes</b>. After lunch we will have a chance to join in the fun at the Erina Fair School Holiday activities and play on the climbing playground. Poppers and popcorn will be for sale for \$2, so please send your child with some money to buy a snack.</p> <p><b>Transport:</b> Staff Vehicles <b>Leave CHOOSH:</b> 9:30am <b>Return to CHOOSH:</b> 3:00pm <b>Address:</b> Erina Fair, Karalta Rd, Erina</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Sun safe hat</li> <li>✓ Morning tea</li> <li>✓ Lunch</li> <li>✓ Drink bottle</li> <li>✓ \$2 for popper &amp; Popcorn</li> </ul>
<p>Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> April</p>	<p><b>ANZAC Day - Centre Closed</b></p>	
<p>Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> April</p> <p><b>Terrigal Haven (Excursion)</b></p>	<p>Today we will head over to Terrigal for some hot chips, some games on the oval, a sand castle competition and a run up the Skillion. We will not be swimming but children will be able to paddle their feet in the water if they wish.</p> <p><b>Transport:</b> Staff Vehicles <b>Leave CHOOSH:</b> 9:30am <b>Return to CHOOSH:</b> 4:00pm <b>Address:</b> Erina Fair, 419 Terrigal Dr, Erina NSW 2250</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Sun safe hat</li> <li>✓ Morning tea</li> <li>✓ Lunch</li> <li>✓ Drink bottle</li> <li>✓ <b>Change of clothes</b></li> </ul>
<p>Friday 27<sup>th</sup> April</p> <p><b>Sports Day (Centre Day)</b></p>	 <p>Today will be a mix of different sports. We will create our own Ninja Warrior course again as well as set some fitness challenges for children to compete in. Miss Donna will also be available to teach some netball skills.</p> <p><b>Come dressed as your favourite sports person or team.</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Morning tea</li> <li>✓ Lunch</li> <li>✓ Drink bottle</li> <li>✓ <b>Enclosed shoes</b></li> </ul>
<p>Monday 30<sup>th</sup> April</p> <p><b>Pupil Free Day</b></p> <p><b>Party Day (Centre Day)</b></p>	<p>Let's celebrate the end of the holidays with a CHOOSH dress up party. We will play party games like the chocolate game, pass the parcel, hungry hippos and much more. <b>Bring a plate of party food to share for a yummy lunch</b></p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Sun safe hat</li> <li>✓ Morning tea</li> <li>✓ Lunch</li> <li>✓ Plate to share</li> <li>✓ Drink bottle</li> <li>✓ Dress up</li> </ul>



## CHOOSH Care - Vacation Care Booking Form – April 2018

Parent's name (please print): \_\_\_\_\_ Contact number: \_\_\_\_\_

Child/children's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

**My child/children will be attending on the following days (please tick and sign for permission)**

✓	Date	Activity	Cost	Parent permission for excursion – please sign
	Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> April	Obstacool	<i>Incursion: Full Fee = \$62 (Casual \$66)</i>	N/A
	Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> April	Woy Woy Pool	<i>Excursion: Full Fee = \$66 (Casual = \$70)</i>	
	Wed 18 <sup>th</sup> April	Sewing/craft	<i>Centre: Full Fee = \$52 (Casual = \$56)</i>	N/A
	Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> April	Around the World	<i>Centre: Full Fee = \$52 (Casual = \$56)</i>	N/A
	Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> April	Intencity	<i>Excursion: Full Fee = \$62 (Casual = \$66)</i>	

✓	Date	Activity	Cost	Parent permission for excursion – please sign
	Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> April	Photography Workshop	<i>Incursion: Full Fee = \$62 (Casual \$66)</i>	N/A
	Tuesday 24 <sup>th</sup> April	Movies at Hoyts Erina	<i>Excursion: Full Fee = \$62 (Casual = \$66)</i>	
—	<b>Wed 25<sup>th</sup> April</b>	<b>ANZAC Day – Centre Closed</b>		
	Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup>	Terrigal Haven	<i>Excursion: Full Fee = \$62 (Casual = \$66)</i>	
	Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> April	Sports Day	<i>Centre: Full Fee = \$52 (Casual = \$56)</i>	N/A

	Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> April	Party Day	<i>Centre: Full Fee = \$52 (Casual = \$56)</i>	N/A
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**Please provide consent for the following;**

- ☐ I give permission for my child to attend/take part in the above activities and excursions. I understand that the children will either be catching a bus, travelling in staff vehicles or walking to the excursions, and that the program may change without notice.
- ☐ I have read the *Information Book* and am aware of the *Vacation Care Cancellation Policy*. There are no refunds once a booking is made, although bookings may be swapped within the same week, as long as there is a vacancy on the desired day.
- ☐ I have read the *Vacation Care Program* and understand that CHOOSH Care holds no responsibility for any property that is lost or broken during Vacation Care.

**The following questions are applicable to enrolments who attend Vacation Care only:**

- ☐ I elect to pay the Annual Registration Fee of \$60 for the reduced daily fee; or
- ☐ I elect to pay the full Casual Vacation Care rate (no Annual Registration Fee) or
- ☐ I have already paid the Annual Registration fee for 2018

Parent's signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_





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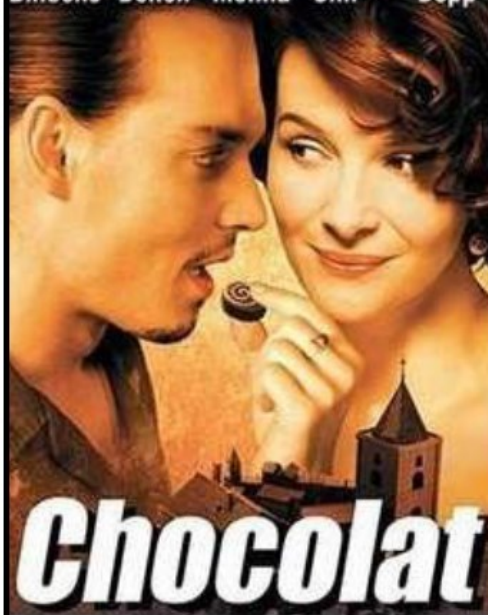


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Noah	1/2H	Clare	4W
Elizabeth	1/2H	Sienna	4W
Diesel	2/3G	Tiffany	K-6G
Jessica	K-6F	Taylor	K-6G
Mason	K-6L	Ziek	K-6D
Quenten	Reading	Matthew	K-6D
		Cody	5/6S
		Irene	5/6S
		Tsean	5/6M
		Riley	5/6M
		Addison	Library





## Assembly times

K-6: Friday – Even Weeks  
From 1:45pm – 2:45pm

K-2: Thursday – Odd Weeks  
From 9:15am – 9:45am

3-6: Friday—Odd Weeks  
From 1:45pm—2:45pm

## School Canteen

Our School Canteen is now  
open on:  
Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

## P&C

Meetings are held every  
second Tuesday of each  
month at 6:30pm.  
All Parents are welcome.

## Hire

School Community Hall and  
Chertsey Community  
Cottage for hire to the pub-  
lic. Please see Office for fur-  
ther details.

## Dates to remember:

Friday 23 March	Schools Earth Hour
Monday 26 March	Easter Hat making with buddy class
Wednesday 28 March	SRE Easter Assembly @ 2pm
Thursday 29 March	Easter Hat Parade @ 10.30am
Friday 30 March	Good Friday
Monday 2 April	Easter Monday
Thursday 5 April	Deaf Picnic Day
Tuesday 10 April	P&C Meeting @ 6.30pm held in the staffroom

## CHANGES TO ADDRESS OR CONTACT DETAILS

Please notify the school as soon as possible if  
there has been any changes to  
contact details, address and phone numbers  
etc.

## ADMINISTERING MEDICATION AT SCHOOL

Dear Parents/Guardian

When medication is needed to be administered at school it is a departmental requirement that a form be filled out before we are able to administer the medication. Please see the office staff for a form when needed.

## Learn to swim!

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Live Music on the Fairplay Stage from 9am

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AUG 26 > SEP 23 > OCT 28 > NOV 25

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9:00am

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