Where did the summer go?

Wow...well I think that the summer has up and left us! Not permanently I hope. The weather is certainly trying us here at St Chad’s. I am so sorry that Sports Days was wet and I cancelled the afternoon races. It is never easy making decisions like that. I do want to reassure you that the children will get the opportunity to race but it will be a quick decision depending on staffing and of course...the weather! Last year we were so blessed with the gorgeous weather. We do have action plans for the summer fayre and proms if it is wet!

Our fabulous PFA have done it again. I am so pleased to announce that we will continue to have a PFA in 19/20! Thank you so much to the parents who have stepped forward. I know how very busy you all are but we really appreciate the job you do. Mrs Draper will be chairing it for one year as her boys enter into their final year here at St Chad’s. Thank you! We look forward to working with you again.

Just a reminder about our International Day next Thursday. We will be learning about and celebrating India. You are all very welcome to join us between 9.30am and 11.30am.

We are really looking forward to welcoming KS2 families to our KS2 Summer Production—’What a Knight!’ The children are busy rehearsing. Due to numbers, we are putting the show on for two nights Wednesday 10th and Thursday 11th July @ 6pm. We hope that you can make it.

If you need any support or prayer then just let us know via the usual routes.

Have a wonderful weekend!

Blessings

Mrs Smith

St Chad’s Church Summer Garden Party

We are excited to announce that on Saturday 29th June St Chad’s Church will be having a Summer Garden Party from 12 midday to 3pm. We are hoping that some of our choir will be able to sing at the event and we will be running a stall with games. There will be lots of things going on including a BBQ, games, stalls and other entertainment. Please try to come along if you can and support the event. We just need to pray for the sunshine!

“Watch your thoughts, for they become words.
Watch your words, for they become your actions.
Watch your actions, for they become habits.
Watch your habits, for they become character.
Watch your character, for it becomes your destiny.”

— Unknown
**Progress Meetings**

Our end of year Children’s Progress Meetings will be held as follows:-

- **Wednesday 3rd July** 3.30 till 6.00pm (Yr6 - 4.30pm till 6.00pm)
- **Thursday 4th July** 4.00 till 7.00pm (Yr 6 - 3.30 till 7.00pm)

You will be able to book appointments to see your child(ren)’s teacher by logging into your Parent Account on our Website [www.st-chads-lichfield.staffs.sch.uk](http://www.st-chads-lichfield.staffs.sch.uk) from 6.00pm on Monday 10th June.

If you have any queries please contact the school office.

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**Lighthouse Wish List**

For our new ‘Lighthouse Provision’ in September, Mrs Johnson would be grateful for any of the following:

- Stones, pebbles, kitchen/toilet roll tubes, 4pint empty milk bottles, yoghurt pots, old shirts, any Fairtrade packaging, role play costumes, seeds, pots, any old British currency or foreign currency, plastic toy money and postcards from any destination. Any donations of these resources would be gratefully received.

Thank you.

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**Year 5 Trip to the Staffordshire Regiment Museum**

On Thursday, Year 5 were lucky enough to visit the Staffordshire Regiment Museum—a trip that was fully organised and funded by The Post Office Community Action group. The main focus of the trip was to learn about World War II. There were some amazing interactive and hands-on activities which really bought the topic to life.

**Here’s what some of the Year 5 children thought of the trip:**

- **Emmie**: What an amazing day that was! I can not believe how much I have learnt! It was amazing!
- **Lucy**: It was a great experience and whoever goes there will thoroughly enjoy it. It is for all ages—I loved it!
- **Mason**: It was an experience never to forget!
- **Nastya**: The Blitz Experience that we did was amazing and very realistic. I loved it!

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**DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:**

- **Thursday 27th** — International Day ‘India’ - parents welcome from 9.30-11.30am
- **Friday 28th June** — School Closed for Inset Day

**July**

- **Monday 1st** — Yr 4 Trip to Selly Manor
- **3rd & 4th July** — Progress Meetings (after school)
- **Thursday 4th** — Yr 6 Leavers Lunch (children only)
- **Friday 5th** — Whole School Eucharist—9.30am St Chad’s Church
- **10th & 11th July** — KS2 Production ‘What a Knight’ 6.00pm
- **Sunday 10th** — Family Service at St Chad’s Church 10.30am
- **Wednesday 17th** — Summer Proms & PFA Summer Fayre from 5.00pm

- **Thursday 18th** — Yr6 Leavers 5.00pm St Chad’s Church & then back at school
- **Friday 19th July** — Last Day in school

**September**

- **Wednesday 04th September** — first day back for pupils @ 8.45am

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