



School Newsletter 28.6.24

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Headteacher's Welcome

Welcome to this week's newsletter. It's been another busy week with plenty to enjoy including a French Breakfast organised by Mrs Nicholas for Year 6. You can read more about it later but thank you Mrs Nicholas for providing such a memorable experience for the children. Year 6 have plenty to look forward to as their CSPA journey comes to an end and Mrs Bain has shared details of that with Year 6 parents this week. We also welcomed new families to the school this week to meet with parents just last night to tell them more about life at CSPA.

Next Tuesday 2nd July, we welcome Year 2 children joining us in September for a special transition morning. Current Year 3, Year 4 and Year 5 children also

have the opportunity to meet their new teachers and spend time in their new classrooms. Year 6 will be spending the day at their new secondary schools unless theirs is a different day in which case we will expect to see them in school as usual. You can read more about transition morning later in the newsletter.

At this time of year, as we look ahead to September, I have the opportunity to share news about our CSPA staffing structure. Firstly, I would like to share the news that Mrs Burgess (Year 6 teacher) will be leaving CSPA in July. Mrs Burgess has been part of our school family for 15 years and is a valued member of the teaching team. Her passion for English and her expertise, particularly in teaching writing, has provided excellent support for staff and great progress in our children. Mrs Burgess also has an amazing capacity to nurture and deeply cares about the children and her colleagues. She will be greatly missed by us all at CSPA. We wish her every success with her future work still with children as an assessor of dyslexia.

In addition, Miss Stephens (Year 3 teacher) will be leaving CSPA as her fixed time with us comes to an end. Miss Stephens has been a dedicated and caring member of the CSPA teaching team, benefiting the children in Class 2 and across Year 3. She will be missed as well and we hope that she will come to visit us at CSPA again soon.

I am delighted to share that we have two new teachers joining us in September. Mrs Saldanha will be joining the Year 3 team and Mrs Fletcher will be joining the Year 4 team. Both ladies are very excited to be joining CSPA and we are very much looking forward to them being part of our CSPA family. They are going to be very positive and enthusiastic additions to the team!

Later this afternoon, you will receive an email with an attached letter sharing your child's new class and their teacher for September in advance of the transition morning on Tuesday.

If you are planning on attending the Feast Day tomorrow, I look forward to seeing you there! Look out for our CSPA stall and good luck to Mrs Goldsack and the choir who will also be performing.

Have a lovely weekend! See you on Monday!

Mrs Alburg

Key Reminders

- Year 6 transition to secondary school (2.7.24)
- New Year 3 children Induction Morning and transition morning for Y3, Y4 and Y5 (2.7.24)

- C12 assembly (5.7.24).

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Our half term Value:

This half term we will be focussing in school on the value

TRUTHFULNESS

TRUTH and TRUTHFULNESS

'Tell the truth to each other.'

Zechariah 8.16

The infographic features a blue background with a white checkmark icon at the top. Below it, the text 'TRUTH and TRUTHFULNESS' is written in white. A central photograph shows two children, a boy and a girl, sitting on the ground and gardening. Below the photo is a white speech bubble containing the quote 'Tell the truth to each other.' and the reference 'Zechariah 8.16'.

QUOTES & QUESTIONS

Be truthful, gentle and fearless. (Mahatma Gandhi)

Three things cannot long be hidden: the sun, the moon and the truth. (Buddha)

Why do you think Gandhi believed the truth should be told with gentleness?

What do you think the Buddha meant?

To make an apple pie from scratch, you must first invent the universe. (Carl Segal)

Truth is complete, it needs no exaggeration. (Anon)

Searching after the truth needs us to think of the 'big questions'. What are your big questions?

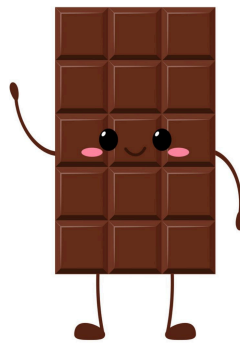
It is sometimes tempting to exaggerate the truth to make something sound more impressive or exciting. Have you ever known this to happen?

The infographic has a blue background with the title 'QUOTES & QUESTIONS' at the top. It contains several purple and white speech bubbles. Each bubble contains a quote or a question related to the value of truthfulness. The quotes are from Mahatma Gandhi, Buddha, Carl Segal, and an anonymous source. The questions are designed to prompt reflection on the meaning and application of truthfulness.

Sharing success in the local community

Jesus said 'I have come that you may have life in all its fullness' (John 10:10). He calls us to a full life in mind, body, heart and spirit. At CSPA, we believe the purpose of education is to nurture and enable every child to thrive and to be the person they are fully capable of being. We are proud of what our children achieve, not only in school but outside of school too!

If your child achieves success in the community we would love to hear about it. Please email a summary and any photographs to the School Office to feature here.





Golden Rule

The one rule for all of us in school is:

*Everyone will act with gentleness
and respect to others at all times.*

*We will keep ourselves
and others safe.*

Chocolate Treat Friday!

Every Friday staff recognise 1 child in each class who has **consistently shown the Golden Rule and been a Values Champion** throughout the week. The chosen child receives a chocolate treat, a certificate from Mrs Alburg and a HUGE round of applause in Collective Worship.

Congratulations to the following children who received a double chocolate chip muffin!

Year 3: Sebastian C, Bodhi, Aryan S

Year 4: Lukas D, Flynn J, Annabel

Year 5: Sasha, Olivia, Dhrithi

Year 6: Harvey, Seb, Simar



Class Assemblies - Reminders

Following the success of class assemblies from Class 7, Class 4, Class 1, Class 11, Class 9, Class 5, Class 2, Class 10, Class 8, Class 6 and Class 3 last week, we are delighted to remind you of the last class assembly. Don't forget to save the date!

The class assemblies will be on Fridays starting promptly at 9:10am and finishing at 9:30am. You are welcome to arrive at 9am. The assembly will be shared in our school hall.

The last assembly is:

Year 6 Class 12: Friday 5th July 2024

To ensure that we do not exceed the hall's capacity and be compliant with fire regulations, we ask that a maximum of two members of each family attend the assembly. Siblings not of school age can attend but will need to sit on adults' laps. There is no need to register your attendance, please just arrive at 9am via the school office. Please note that the rest of the school will have the opportunity to also enjoy the assembly at a later time that morning.

We look forward to seeing you and welcoming you to our class assemblies.



In this section you can find out just a small amount of the high quality teaching and learning that happens inside, and out, of CSPA!

Don't forget to explore our [CSPA curriculum](#) on our website.

As it is the start of a new term, you can read about each year groups curriculum for the summer term by clicking [here](#).

Year 6 transition to secondary school

This Tuesday 2nd July, Year 6 children across Buckinghamshire will be spending the day at their new secondary schools to prepare them for September. You should have received further, more specific details from your child's future school. Should your child's transfer day be on a different day, we will expect to see them in school on Tuesday as normal.

Meeting for Y5 parents regarding transition to secondary school in September 2025

On Thursday last week a meeting for Year 5 parents was held at CSPA to inform them about the secondary transfer test and applying to secondary school. You can view the presentation from the Buckinghamshire local authority by clicking [here](#).

September 2024 New Year 3 Intake

Meeting for New Year 3 Parents

Parents of new Year 3 children were invited to a meeting on Thursday this week. You can view communication from the meeting by clicking [here](#).

Induction Morning

New Year 3 intake children have been invited to visit our school for a transition morning to spend time in their classrooms and with their teachers, meet up with their new peer group and familiarise themselves with their new school and year group environment which will, we hope, reassure them and provide a positive introduction to the school. This is planned for **Tuesday, 2nd July between 9.00 am – 11.30 am**. Children will need to be dropped off, and picked up, from the

main school entrance in Penn Road. Please note that due to their close proximity, staff from Chalfont St Peter Infant School will pick up CSPI children at 11.30 am and walk them back to the infant school so parents are not required to do so.

September 2024

Current Y3, Y4 and Y5

In addition, on Tuesday 2nd July, children currently in Year 3, Year 4 and Year 5 will spend the morning in their new year groups for September and spend time with their new teachers.

Chalfont St Peter Feast Day

Reminders for those performing in the choir tomorrow at Feast Day.

Please meet at 12:25pm by the stage, where we will hand out lyric booklets and get the children into their lines. Please ensure someone remains nearby at all times to be responsible for your child throughout the performance. We are due to perform from just before 12:45pm. They should wear school uniform - given it is likely to be warm, they do not need to have their jumpers, but should wear their ties and look smart.

Looking forward to seeing many of you there!

Mrs Goldsack

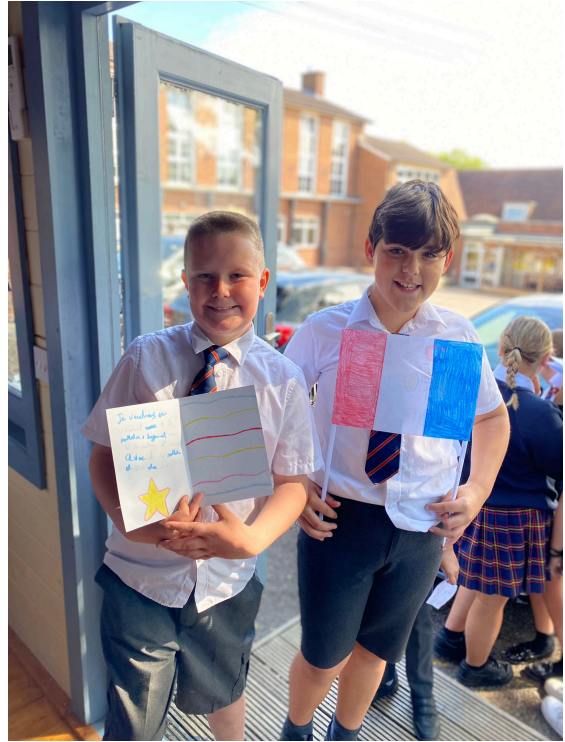
Year 6 French Breakfast

“Je voudrais une crêpe, s’il vous plaît.”

It was such a joy to hear French being spoken by our Year 6 children as they asked for their French Breakfast treats this morning. I am so proud of every one of them!

We’d like to say a huge thank you to Tesco, Gerrards Cross and M&S, Chalfont St Peter for their very kind and generous donations towards this event. Thank you too to Ava’s dad for coming in to help serve breakfast and encourage our blossoming French speakers.

Mrs Nicholas





Mystery Reader Year 3

This week we had a surprise visit from Cadence's mummy, who came in to read us a few chapters from Roald Dahl's *The Twits* - a firm favourite! Cadence was very surprised to see mummy and all the children thoroughly enjoyed - a lovely way to end the day!

Only a few more reader's left...we wonder who will be next?

Miss Gilbert

Year 4 Visit to Chiltern Open Air Museum - Wednesday 3rd July

Reminders:

Parents to transport their child to the museum to arrive by 10am and they will need to be collected at 2.15 pm. We will meet the children by the main entrance and they can be collected from the same place. The children will need to bring a small bag containing their packed lunch, plenty to drink, sun tan lotion, a cap and a waterproof coat.

They will need to wear their school P.E Polo top and sweatshirt. They will need to be in long trousers for the activities we are doing so can they please wear some comfortable trousers (we would advise against jeans in case it rains). They will also need some comfortable trainers.

The museum has asked us if we would be happy for them to take some photographs of the children to use in promotional material, on their newly updated website and social media platforms. If you are not happy to agree to this could you please let me know before the trip and we will ensure that your child is not included in any photographs.

We are really looking forward to having a lovely day out as a Year group and will keep our fingers crossed for good weather.

Mrs Valentine

Last week, Year 5 had the pleasure of welcoming Sarah to our school. Sarah is Jessica's cousin who lives in France! We had lots of fun showing Sarah what life is like at CSPA and enjoyed discussing the differences and similarities between French and English schools. Thank you for coming to visit us Sarah!

Miss Badrick



Year 5 Trip to Black Park - Monday 15th July

Year 5 will be visiting Black Park on Monday, 15th July. More details will be emailed to Year 5 parents.



Year 6 enjoying Mrs Finn's outside Fibonacci maths investigation at Mill Meadow this week.

Mrs Bain

Year 6 Leavers' Photographs

Please note that photo orders should be placed today in order to receive free delivery to school. Orders placed after today will incur a £3 delivery fee.



What to do if your child is ill or absent from school

To report an absence from school, an email must be sent on each day of absence to absent@cspacademy.org.uk

To request a planned absence from school, [CLICK HERE](#) to complete an online Google form. Forms can also be located under the 'parents' tab on our school website www.cspacademy.org.uk

Tesco Voting

You can now vote for CSPA with blue tokens at Tesco, Gerrards Cross and the Tesco Express store in Chalfont St Peter as part of their Stronger Starts Campaign.

This grant is for new playground equipment.

Many thanks to Mrs Hackett who has put forward our school for this.

Co-op Fundraising

Before closing the Co-op very kindly donated just over £1,260 to CSPA as part of an initiative to restore nature to our playground.

Although the store has closed there is an additional £4,277.86 available to be split between the two local charities (of which we are one).

If you have a Co-op card, please choose CSPA as your chosen charity and spread the word with friends and family. The more we are chosen, the more

funding we will receive in October!

<https://membership.coop.co.uk/causes/76625>



PTA News

Watch this space for PTA news as we approach our fundraising target! Have an idea of what you would like the PTA to purchase for the children? Come along to the next meeting to share your ideas!!

PTA Hot Lunch

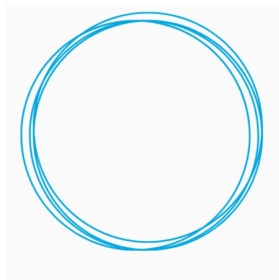
The next PTA Hot Lunch will be on Friday 19th July. More details to follow next week.



Upcoming dates:

DATE	EVENT	TIME	YEAR GROUP
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Mon 1 July	Year 6 retreat day at The Hub	All day	Year 6
Tues 2 July	Year 6 transition day - visit new schools	All day	Year 6
Tues 2 July	New Year 3 intake for Sept 2024 - transition morning	9am - 11.30 am	Year 2 children with places for Sept in Yr3
Wed 3 July	Year 4 visit to Chiltern Open Air Museum	10 am - 2.15 pm	Year 4
Wed 10 July	Sports Day - At Mill Meadow, School Field	1 pm - 3.15pm	ALL
Mon 15 July	Year 5 trip to Black Park	9 am - 2.45 pm	Year 5
Tues 16 July	Year 6 Leavers' Assembly (CSP Church)	2pm - 3pm	Year 6 and Year 6 parent
Thurs 18 July	Year 6 Young Entrepreneurs' Sale	3.20pm - 3.40pm	ALL can attend
Fri 19 July	PTA Hot Lunch	Lunch	ALL
Tues 23 July	Year 6 Presentation Assembly (The Hub)	9.15 am - 11 am	Year 6 and Year 6 parents
Tues 23 July	School finishes at 1.30 pm for summer holidays	1.30 pm	ALL
Tues 23 July	Year 6 Leavers' Disco at Gold Hill Hub	6pm - 8pm	Year 6



SAVE THE DATES:

[Click here](#) to view the full school calendar

[Click here](#) to access the extra curriculum timetable

[Click here](#) to access term dates for 2023/24

Community Events

Please note that Chalfont St Peter Church of England Academy does not accept any responsibility for advertised community events, nor do we endorse them.



The Kindness Club

Our community has been kindly donating aid to Ukraine, and we know that other communities need help too. Building on the success of the **Ukrainian Outreach Project**, we have decided to rebrand as **The Kindness Club** so that donations received can go where they are most needed at any given time.

Creating stronger communities by providing a sustainable, charitable and environmentally friendly way of passing on our material possessions.



For any enquiries, please contact:
Karen Dickson
karen@royalblueexecutors.co.uk

We are still accepting donations of **good quality clothing for both adults and children, walking shoes and carry bags, please.**
We are NOT able to accept prams, bicycles, car seats or duvet and pillow inners.

Medical Equipment and Medicines are still much needed in Ukraine:

- Mobility aids
- Wound care
- Medication
- Toiletries and hygiene products
- Blankets and sleeping bags
- Baby products

Donations:

If you would like to donate, kindly bring to the **Blue Container** in Mill Meadow, along the little road to Chalfont St Peter's Tennis Club (postcode SL9 9GX)

Monday & Wednesday 10am-12pm

Please help spread the word to your friends, neighbours and anyone you think may want to help - we are ever so grateful for the support.

In a world where you can be anything, be kind.

CHALFONT ST PETER
Tennis summer
camps

WEEKDAYS 10AM TO 3PM

**SCAN THE QR CODES BELOW FOR PRICES
AND BOOKING**

WEEK 1: 24-26TH
JULY 24



WEEK 2: 29TH JULY
TO 2ND AUGUST 24



WEEK 3: 5-9TH
AUGUST 24



To book contact
chalfontcoaching@outlook.com
or text 07734461269

Amazing Balloon & Bubble Art

COME AND SEE!

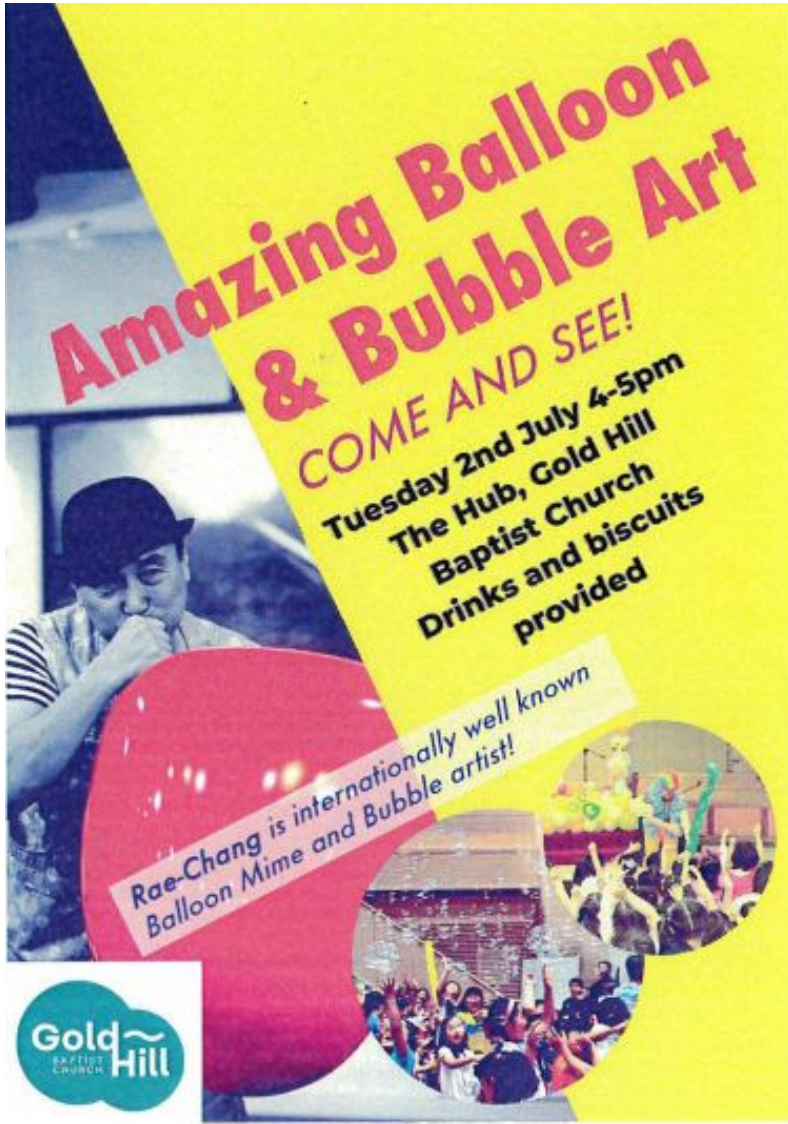
Tuesday 2nd July 4-5pm

The Hub, Gold Hill

Baptist Church

**Drinks and biscuits
provided**

Rae-Chang is internationally well known
Balloon Mime and Bubble artist!



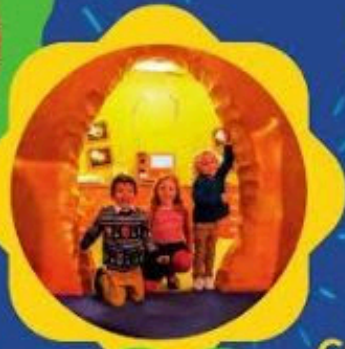
SUMMER OF FUN!

AT DISCOVER BUCKS MUSEUM

20 JULY - 3 SEPT 2024



May The Toys Be
With You exhibition



Hands-on fun in the
Roald Dahl
Children's Gallery

Creative Family Crafts



Garden Play Zone



Sensory Room,
Toy Room + Tudor
Room fun

Discover Bucks Museum, Aylesbury HP20 2QP

For opening times, charges and bookings scan QR code or visit:

discoverbucksmuseum.org



The Museum is a registered charity with charity number 1153345



SUMMER SOUNDS & CLASSIC CARS

Exclusive Event Field, Dudswell, HP4 3TA

SATURDAY 13TH JULY 2024

12 - 8PM

- Live Music
- Shopping Village
- Children's Activities
- Classic Cars
- Food and Drink
- Inflatables

TICKETS:

Adults/over18's: from £10.00

Children: from £6.00

Under 3's/carers: FREE

Car & Motorbike Exhibitors: from £6.00



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Summer Holiday Club For 5 – 14 years

Starting on 29th July over 4 weeks
Monday – Thursday
9am – 2pm

Multi-sports activities
Football, cricket, rounders, dodgeball, dance, games,
arts and crafts and much more.

We will have new experience sessions that will be
different each week. From animal sensory, circus skills,
visits from the RNLI, visits from the dog's trust and
emergency services.

Nutritional education activities.
Hot healthy meals. Snack and drinks provided
throughout the day.



CHILTERN TABLE TENNIS
“BEGINNER/IMPROVER” COACHING AT CHILTERN HILLS ACADEMY
Chartridge Lane Chesham HP5 2RG
Courses aimed at 9 to 14 year olds

Daily from 1000 to 1230 from WEDNESDAY 31 JULY to FRIDAY 2 AUGUST inclusive £28.00

Daily from 1000 to 1230 from WEDNESDAY 7 to FRIDAY 9 AUGUST inclusive £28.00

Daily from 1000 to 1230 from WEDNESDAY 21 to FRIDAY 23 AUGUST inclusive £28.00

Guarantee of not more than 2 players per table – limited number of places available

So book now to avoid disappointment

If you wish to book a place, please forward details of your age, name, em address, and telephone no., together with the **£28 or £51 for two or £73 for all three camps** to Mike Atkinson 35 Poles Hill, Chesham HP5 2QR.

Any queries please phone 785609 or mike.atkinson@tabletennisengland.co.uk.

If you want to pay by BACS, just phone to get required details.

Mike Atkinson

(UKCC Level 2 Table Tennis Licenced Coach)



Summer Camp

Join us for arts, crafts, play, games and much more over the summer.



Holtspur School, HP9 1BH
29th July-16th August
9.30am-3.00pm
Early Bird 9.00am £2 per child



www.calmlittleminds.co.uk
E: hello@calmlittleminds.co.uk
T: 07395 636382



SUMMER CAMP

Our camp is for children aged 4+ who enjoy Arts, Crafts, Baking, play and games.



When: 29th July- 16th August
Where: Holtspur School
Time: 9.30-3.00pm
Early Bird 9.00am

Scan here to book



Use the code **SUMMER** for 10% off until 1.7.24





FREE SUMMER HOLIDAY CRICKET IN HIGH WYCOMBE For 5-11 Year Old Boys & Girls

4 Day Course: Monday 19th - Thursday 22nd August
At Highcrest Academy (HP13 7NQ)



Fun-filled cricket camps for 5 - 8 year olds

Suitable for all skill levels, providing your child with the foundations to begin a lifelong love of physical activity, while making friends in a safe & enjoyable environment.

9:30-11am
Book here:



SCAN ME



Fun-filled cricket camps for 8 - 11 year-olds

Dynamo Cricket will help grow your child's love of the game, & will give them the opportunity to socialise & make friends in a safe environment.

11am-12:30pm
Book here:



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Please ignore the price shown and use the bursary code to book for FREE: All Stars Code = OAZKE, Dynamos Code = YKOTD
Please note the codes can only be used once per parent for a maximum of 3 places.
If you have any questions please contact: muhsin.raquib@bucksccricket.co.uk



FREE SUMMER HOLIDAY CRICKET IN CHESHAM For 8-11 Year Old Girls



Girls only sessions available

Register today

4 DAY COURSE:
Monday 29th July -
Thursday 1st August
At Chiltern Hills
Academy (HP5 2RG)
2:30 - 4:00pm each day

Fun-filled, action packed cricket sessions girls from 8-11 years old. This condensed Dynamo Cricket camp focuses on different cricket skills to build children's confidence and ability, offering all the fun of a weekly Dynamo course over a shorter number of days.

Dynamo Cricket will help grow your child's love of the game, and will give them the opportunity to socialise and make friends in a safe environment.

Book here:



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Please note the code can only be used once per parent for a maximum of 3 places.
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Artroom Adventures
**Summer Art
Workshop**

Mon 22nd – Fri 26th July
10am-3pm

Hosted by Sorsha Crosbie, Head
of Art, BA(Hons) Art, Craft &
Design Education

Location: Gayhurst School, Bull
Lane, Gerrards Cross, SL98RJ

For bookings and more
information contact,

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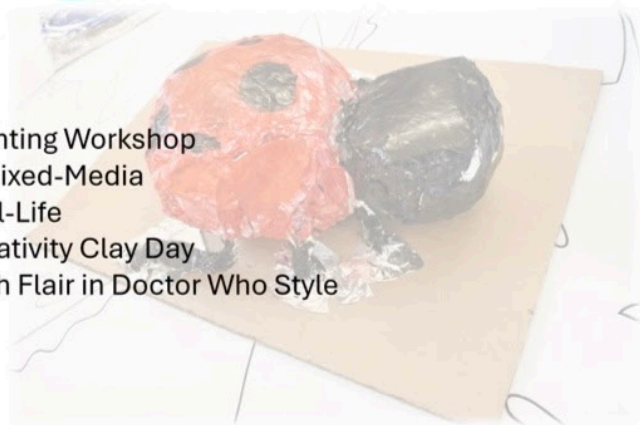
Ages
6-11

£50
Per Day

What's on!

Mon 22nd July
Tue 23rd July
Wed 24th July
Thu 25th July
Fri 26th July

Inspiring Painting Workshop
Marvelous Mixed-Media
Discover Still-Life
Unleash Creativity Clay Day
Illustrate with Flair in Doctor Who Style



Check out www.facebook.com/artroom.adventures for photographs & updates on upcoming workshops



Prayer for truthfulness

Lord Jesus, light of the world,
Help us to shine as lights,
to be truthful and open in all we do.

Amen



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