

**Friday, 25th April 2025**



## **Headteacher's Welcome**

Welcome to the summer term! I hope you have all enjoyed a wonderful break during the Easter holidays and have all had some much-needed rest. I am very much looking forward to enjoying the summer term as a school family - I think it might be my favourite and as always the newsletter provides an excellent opportunity to share news, celebrations and updates to keep you fully informed.

The start of the new term has certainly started with a bang with events taking place already, such as the Year 5 Tudor Day, a Year 3 Roman Day, a football tournament - to name just a few - and all in just three days! There has also been a buzz of excitement at lunchtime today, when the house captains introduced some new equipment and toys for the children to play with on the playground thanks to money raised by the PTA through the Tesco token

scheme. More will be shared next week and all with the reminder to children to be kind, to share and to look after the equipment.

With the start of term in full swing, teachers and myself have been reminding the children about our CSPA expectations and I have shared links below which direct you to pages on our school website which will help you with key aspects of school life:

- [Attendance policy](#)
- [Uniform policy](#)
- [School forms](#)
- [Term dates](#)

More information about the curriculum from each year group and more information about summer term clubs will follow next week.

Over the Easter holidays, I am grateful for the continuation of the Garden Rescue project led by Mrs Koski. This time, I am so grateful to Mr Carvill (Bodhi's Dad) for giving his time and expertise to building a raised flower bed along the edge of the Year 5 and 6 building. It has provided a much improved look to an area which was in much need of some TLC and also a further place for some of the children to be green-fingered in our upcoming gardening club. Thank you so much to everyone involved and a special thank you to Mr Carvill.

Finally, I am delighted to share the news that Mrs Clare has had a baby girl! Rosie Jane was born during the Easter holidays and mummy, daddy and big brother are all doing well and enjoying being a family of four! Congratulations and lots of CSPA love to Mrs Clare and her family.



Please see below for some key items in this week's newsletter to support you and help you keep up to date.

Have a great weekend!

Mrs Alburg

Key items

- Class assemblies reminder
  - PTA News
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Bringing **joy**...  
**inspiring**  
**success!**



At CSPA, our core values are:



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### **Our current half term value:**

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

# FAITHFULNESS



faithfulness



## 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.



### Football Success

Our brilliant year 5s won a 6 a side tournament yesterday which our current year 6s also won last year! All the boys played fantastically well moving through the rounds (including a penalty shootout win in the quarter finals), not conceding a goal in normal play. What a brilliant way to end our year 5 season! Well done!

*Mr Briant*

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Over Easter, Biz and Emi (class 2) were dancing as part of Team Ondine in the Farnborough dance festival and Slough dance festival, which were both qualifying festivals for the All England Dance regionals.

They were both in six different dances across the week and have qualified in their three solos as well as their Greek quartet.

Between them, they got four gold, six silver, and two bronze medals.

Well done girls!





**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.

Chocolate Treat returns next week.



## Class Assemblies

We are delighted to share plans welcoming you to join some of our CSPA assemblies and collective worship. Throughout the school year, every class and their teacher/s will be creating and presenting an assembly to the rest of their year group and you are invited to come into school and watch your child's class assembly. This is a wonderful opportunity for children to showcase their learning, build their confidence and experience performing and presenting in front of others. We are thrilled to be opening our doors and welcoming parents into school for another chance to be part of your child's CSPA journey, build

positive relationships and engage with our whole school community.

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.

To give you prior notice, the dates of each class assembly are shared below:

Friday 2nd May 2025: Year 5 Class 9

Friday 23rd May 2025: Year 4 Class 6

Friday 20th June 2025: Year 3 Class 2

Friday 11th July 2025: Year 6 Class 10

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.

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## **Year 6 Residential Trip to Wales**

As we continue our planning for the Year 6 residential trip to Wales, I am writing to share two things with you. Firstly, please may I ask you to complete the form below urgently if you haven't done so already which will provide us with up-to-date medical and dietary information for your child.

[Year 6 Wales 2025 medical and dietary requirements form](#)

Secondly, I would like to inform you that on Wednesday 21st May, there will be a meeting for parents to share final details for the trip. This will be at 7pm and in the school hall.

Any additional information will be shared with you via email.

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## **Year 6 Leavers' Hoodies**

An email will be sent out today to Year 6 parents about ordering a leavers'

hoodie. Please note all orders must be placed by 5th May.

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## Year 5 Tudor Day

Year five started of the summer term with an amazing Tudor day!

At the start of the day we got introduced to King Henry the eighth himself he talked about his six wives and events in his past life, then the exciting activities we were going to do.

Each class had a different time table which included archery, board games, Tudor dancing and weaponry which were all really fun!

At the end of the day we were able to ask Henry questions about his life and his famous reign and other monarchs including his father Henry the seventh.

Everybody enjoyed this fabulous day and we learnt so many more facts about the Tudors!

Written by Noah, Delila and Callum!





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## **Year 4 Osmington Bay Residential**

Please be reminded that any medications (including travel sickness tablets for the return journey) should be brought to the school office by Wednesday 30th April. Medications should be in their original packaging, with prescription label attached, along with a completed consent to administer medicine form. The form can be found on the parent tab of the school website or obtained from the office.

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## Year 3 - Roman Visitor

Yesterday, Year 3 was transported back in time to 72 AD for a truly unforgettable **Roman Day!** The children were thrilled to meet *Lucius Felix Silvanus*, a Roman soldier in full armour, who shared fascinating stories about life in Roman Britain.

Throughout the day, pupils learned about the harsh and heroic life of a gladiator, with Lucius proudly displaying his weaponry and demonstrating the tools and equipment used during that time. The excitement continued as the children took part in a Roman soldier's drill and even a mock battle against the 'barbarians'—a highlight for many!

Lucius also gave the children a glimpse into everyday Roman life, describing what Romans ate, how they bathed and the language they spoke.

We had a thoroughly enjoyable day and are now very excited to learn more about the Romans this term!

*Year 3 Team*





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## CSPA Garden Project





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## CSPA Captiv8 New Term

To sign up you need to first create your account on our platform, Coacha.

[Sign Up to Coacha Click Here!](#)

If you have more than one child, then you can create their account and they will automatically attach to your profile as the parent. The one thing you need to make sure of is that the email address is the same whilst signing them up!

If you have an account already set up then you just need to wait for 4pm and then book on!

We reached out to Coacha about some of the improvements we'd like to see and this is what they said:

1. Mobile Apps.

This has been and continues to be a rather mammoth task! But we are have all of our development resource, headed by our new tech director, focused on this task. The apps are being rebuilt from the group up and will include, in app payments, in app notification, push notifications as part of the broadcast system, a massive expansion for both the member and the admin / staff. We are currently aiming for 3 months or so for release.

## 2. Baskets for bookings

This is something that is in our backlog to streamline the process. At present, when parents book multiple days and times, they can log in on the web browser to pay the full outstanding amount in one go. However, on the new apps when they are released the parent will be able to pay outstanding bills in one go via the in app payment options.

This is irrelevant to those who are only booking for one child for this course, but relevant if you are booking onto any camps for multiple days! CSG camps are ready to book and we still have space.

You can find those camps here: [To View Our Calendar Click Here!](#)

Any questions please email: [camps@captiv8life.com](mailto:camps@captiv8life.com)

Josh Briant

Captiv8 Director

[www.Captiv8Life.com](http://www.Captiv8Life.com)



**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](mailto: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](http://www.cspacademy.org.uk)

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# AFTER SCHOOL DANCE CLUB

Learn different styles of dance from  
Street to Musical Theatre and  
everything in between!

Contact  
[pips@pipsdanceacademy.co.uk](mailto:pips@pipsdanceacademy.co.uk)  
for more information.

**TUESDAYS**  
**3.20pm-4pm**

Chalfont St Peter  
CE Academy





## 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!!

## Class Coordinators

The CSPA PTA Class Coordinators do a fantastic job in helping to generate support, provide useful communication and offer a helping hand to organisers of our PTA events. Thank you to you all!

We have a vacancy in Class 10. If you are interested in the role, please don't hesitate to reach out. It will be lovely to hear from you!

<b>Class 1</b>	Helen Sheehan and Joanne Edwards	<b>Class 7</b>	Joe and Vicky Williams
<b>Class 2</b>	Maki Huxford and Jacqueline Hurley	<b>Class 8</b>	Helen Lord and Maki Huxford
<b>Class 3</b>	Jeni Somani and Lydia Lucas	<b>Class 9</b>	Helen Lord and Lindsay Khurana
<b>Class 4</b>	Hannah Bhamra-Ariza and Jennie Hackett	<b>Class 10</b>	Hannah Bhamra-Ariza
<b>Class 5</b>	Christy Lade and Kirsten Wagner	<b>Class 11</b>	Jeanette Koski and Danielle Lester
<b>Class 6</b>	Margaux Taylor and Sarah Watson	<b>Class 12</b>	Katie Barr and Christy Lade

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## Upcoming dates:

DATE	EVENT	TIME	YEAR GROUP
Friday 2 May	Class 9 Assembly PTA Ball	9.10 am 7 pm	Class 9 parents Ticket only
Monday 5 May	School Closed for Bank Holiday	All Day	ALL
Wednesday 7 May - Friday 9 May	Year 4 Residential Trip to Osmington Bay		Year 4
Thursday 8 May	VE Day - Wear Red, White and Blue		
Monday 12 to Friday 16 May	Year 6 SATs week		Year 6
Friday 23 May	PTA Hot Lunch	Lunch	ALL
Friday 23 May	Sponsored Event	pm	ALL



## SAVE THE DATES:

[Click here](#) to view the full school calendar  
[Click here](#) to access the extra curriculum timetable

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## 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.*

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### **VE Day 80th Anniversary Celebrations**

Chalfont St Peter Parish Council is joining VE Day 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebrations and, similarly to D-day commemoration last year (that was a resounding success by all accounts), there will be an event on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> May 2025 on Gold Hill Common in Chalfont St Peter in the evening.

There will be food trucks, live 1940s singing entertainment, lighting of the beacon, reading of international tribute, singing of hymn “I vow to thee, my country” and much more, this is an event for the whole family and friends.

Attached please find poster advertising the event that we will publicize on our social media and website platforms, notice boards, library, community board, newsletter etc and we ask that you also spread the word if you can (many residents were disappointed to hear about our celebrations after the event last year so we want to make sure all are aware this year).

The Parish Council would love to have you join VE day 80 celebration this year and feel free to extend this invitation to ALL, particularly all residents in Chalfont St Peter and surrounding area, including local schools (children and their families), care homes (residents and their families), chamber of commerce. If you know of anyone that may be interested please feel free to pass the word and advertise it/ share our poster within your channels.

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# VE DAY 80TH ANNIVERSARY

(VICTORY IN EUROPE DAY)



CHALFONT ST PETER PARISH COUNCIL



**THURSDAY, 8TH MAY 2025 7.30-10PM**  
**GOLD HILL COMMON**

- 6.30PM Bells ringing (St Peter's Parish Church)
- 7.30PM Gold Hill Common:  
Fish & Chips and Ice cream van  
Entertainment Anna Nightingale-1940s singer
- 9.30pm Lighting of the Beacon and  
VE Day 80th Anniversary Tribute read  
All sing "I Vow to Thee My Country" hymn

Find out more: <https://www.chalfontstpeter-pc.gov.uk/>



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**CHALFONT ST  
PETER CC**



CRICKET FOR BOYS & GIRLS FROM 5 TO 19

TRAINING STARTS AFTER EASTER HOLIDAYS

MIXED YEARS R-2 SATURDAY MORNINGS

MIXED YEARS 3-6 FRIDAY EVENINGS

BOYS YEARS 7-10 FRIDAY EVENINGS

BOYS YEARS 11+ WEDNESDAY EVENINGS

GIRLS UP TO YEAR 9 SUNDAY MORNINGS

FOR MORE DETAILS AND TO SIGN UP GO TO  
[WWW.CSPCC.CO.UK](http://WWW.CSPCC.CO.UK)

# CGX PANTHERS CRICKET FOR GIRLS IN GX & THE CHALFONTS



**CGX Panthers** provides girls only softball and harball cricket up to and including Year 8 - come and give us a try at Sunday morning training!

For more details contact  
[cgxpanthers@gmail.com](mailto:cgxpanthers@gmail.com).





# **CSPCC WOMEN'S TEAM ARE LOOKING FOR NEW PLAYERS!**

**Summer training starts on  
Wednesday 23rd April 6.30pm-8pm at CSPCC**



**Come and join a developing local team  
Play cricket in a fun and friendly environment  
All abilities welcome!  
For women and girls age 13+  
Coaching from Future Legends**

Contact [cspccwomen@gmail.com](mailto:cspccwomen@gmail.com) for more info



## Bucks Phoenix Netball Club

### 2025 Junior Trials

Current school years 4, 7, 8 and 9



#### Do you love playing netball?

We are a friendly, competitive netball club. We have teams in all divisions of the High Wycombe District Junior Netball League, playing our league matches on Sunday mornings at Kingsmead Netball Centre in High Wycombe. We also participate in regular tournaments and offer opportunities to play in friendly leagues at regional level as well as working towards regional netball.

We will nurture talent; help you build your skills and encourage keeping fit and socialising for your physical and mental wellbeing.

Regular training is on Wednesday evenings throughout the Winter and Summer netball seasons.



#### Come and join us!

Please scan this QR code to register your interest in attending our selection trials. The registration deadline is **7 May 2025**.

#### \*\*\*Registration by 7 May is essential!\*\*\*

We plan our trials carefully, to give everyone their best chance. We regret that anyone turning up to the trials without prior registration will be unable to take part.

#### Years 7, 8 and 9 trials:

Trial 1: Wednesday 14 May 2025, 6:30pm to 8:00pm, Pipers Corner School

Trial 2 (*invitation only, following Trial 1*): Wednesday 21 May 2025, 6:30pm to 8:00pm, Pipers Corner School

#### Year 4 trials:

Wednesday 11 June 2025, 6:30pm to 8:00pm, The Beaconsfield School

#### Other year groups:

Our junior teams in other year groups are full at present, although we welcome your interest. If you are keen to know about any future trials, please use the QR code to register on our waitlist and we will contact you should places become available.

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### **Squash - Junior coaching - Summer term**

**Where:** Gerrards Cross Squash Club - [gxsquash.org.uk/juniors](http://gxsquash.org.uk/juniors)

**Sundays / Fridays:** 27/04-20/07 or 02/05-25/07.

**Times:** Sundays: 11-12pm, 12-1pm. Fridays: 4.30pm-5.30pm

**Age range:** 5-18 years-old.

**Cost:** £100.

**Register:** [juniors@gxsquash.org.uk](mailto:juniors@gxsquash.org.uk)





Buckinghamshire  
Family Learning



## A FREE two-hour workshop for parents and carers of Year 6 children in Buckinghamshire schools

### Part I - Becoming Independent in Readiness for Secondary School (FMTR108)

How can I build my child's confidence, resilience and independence, helping to make the move into Secondary school a positive one?

- Monday 30th June, 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm
- Wednesday 2nd July, 9:30 am - 11:30 am
- Wednesday 2nd July, 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm

### Part II - Getting Prepared for Starting Secondary School (FMTR109)

How can I prepare my child with their move to Secondary school and understand the changes in expectations and within the curriculum?

- Monday 7th July, 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm
- Wednesday 9th July, 9:30 am - 11:30 am
- Wednesday 9th July, 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm

To book your FREE place, choose a date and contact our enrolment team on 01296 383582, scan the QR code or click on the link. For more information call/text Lou on 07814 305345



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for primary school aged children

One-day workshops for primary-aged young people where you will cover topics including wellbeing, emotions, self-esteem, resilience, and relationships with others.

**Spaces are limited, secure your place now!**

For more information, to find your nearest session or to book a place, **scan the QR code.**

If you need help completing the form or registering your interest please contact us by:

- Email: [familyhubgroups@buckinghamshire.gov.uk](mailto:familyhubgroups@buckinghamshire.gov.uk)
- Phone: **01296 383293**

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How to...

## Move up to Secondary School

### An online workshop for year 6s

Getting ready to move up to secondary school? Not sure what to expect? Our online workshop could help

**We will cover:**

- what to expect at secondary school
- making friends and dealing with peer pressure
- tackling your fears and worries
- getting organised

For more information and to book your place scan the QR code. If you need help email:  
[familyhubgroups@buckinghamshire.gov.uk](mailto:familyhubgroups@buckinghamshire.gov.uk)

These sessions will be held on Microsoft Teams



**Monday**  
14 April  
1pm to 3pm



**Tuesday**  
27 May  
11am to 1pm



**Tuesday**  
12 August  
1pm to 3pm



**SCAN OR  
CLICK ME**



Lord, please help us to be faithful in all areas of our lives. Guide our hearts to be loyal and always truthful. May we learn to be dependable and trustworthy, and to stand firm in our commitments. Help us to develop the character of faithfulness and be an example of integrity to others.

Amen



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