Coleshill C of E Primary School

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Inspiring our children to flourish and enjoy 'Life in all its fullness' (John 10:10)

Welcome Back to School

It is great to have our children back in school this week, refreshed and ready to learn after the Easter Holidays.

Summer term this year will have a 'returning to normal' feel as our series of summer trips for all year groups take place along with sports days, end of year celebrations and other transition events.



SATs

In addition to all of the fun events (!) there is a return of SATs in both Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2. These are the first formal assessments since May 2019 and although results will not be published in league table form this year, they will be used to help assess any gaps in attainment that have developed since 2019 as children transition to the next phase of their education.

Year 6 SATs will take place 9th—12th May each morning, and KS1 SATs assessments will be spread out over the three weeks beginning on 9th May.

Full attendance by Year 6 pupils during the week beginning 9th May is extremely important. Pupils are only able to take part in the assessment on the specific morning of that test. Absent KS2 pupils are not able to retake a test at a later date.

Fundraising update

Well done to these two fundraisers who did some 'bob a jobs' for staff around school to help raise money towards our new trim trail.

Thank you for being so helpful!

We currently have £5,500 towards our target!





ATTENDANCE		
School Week	95%	
RJ	96%	
RM	99%	
10	92%	
1D	98%	
2D	95%	
2R	92%	
3M	91%	
3SM	91%	
4 G	96%	
4P	92%	
5FH	96%	
5 J	96%	
6B	94%	
6 J	96%	



WOW! Freya is cutting her *very long* hair to be used in the making of a real hair wig. Well done for making such a gift. But not just that, Freya and her family would love to raise





enough money for the wig to be actually made too. The average cost of making a real hair wig is £550!

There is a donation box in the entrance foyer if you would like to make a donation, or alternatively donate online at: https://gofund.me/ddb7894c.

ABOUT THE LITTLE PRINCESS TRUST:

The Little Princess Trust was established in 2006 by the parents of Hannah Tarplee, their friends and Hereford Cathedral Junior School. In 2004 Hannah was diagnosed with a Wilms tumour. Hannah loved her hair and losing it was very traumatic for her. Her parents, Wendy and Simon, searched high and low to find a wig suitable for Hannah, during her treatment. When they found one, it had a hugely positive effect on Hannah.

Tragically, Hannah passed away in 2005 and with so many kind offers of financial and practical help, Wendy and Simon felt the most fitting tribute would be to launch a charity dedicated to providing real hair wigs for children and young people.



Since then, they have provided thousands of real hair wigs to sick children and young people, aged up to 24 years across the UK and Ireland, and are now in the early stages of offering services in other areas of Europe and beyond.

In 2016, thanks to the huge efforts of fantastic fundraisers and corporate supporters, they were able to start funding pioneering academics and institutions leading the way in researching new and better treatments for all paediatric cancers. An area where there is so much work which desperately needs investment. They have committed more than £17million across almost 93 projects covering a range of childhood cancers.

They strive to improve patient outcomes through access to new treatments through clinical trials as well as improving existing treatments. They are working incredibly hard to identify innovative and impactful ways to improve survival and reduce the effects of treatment, with the mission to invest in the right areas to fill some of these funding gaps.

Generous volunteers and fundraisers like Freya work incredibly hard to ensure they can continue to help even more children and young people.

This week's Achievers - Well Done!



Swimming

Year 6 will be swimming after SATS week, more details to follow in a letter next week.

Sports Days

In a slight change to previously published dates, sports days will be held as follows:

Wednesday 22nd June — Years 1, 2 and 3 in the morning; Years 4, 5 & 6 in the afternoon.

Thursday 23rd June — Early Years (Nursery & Reception) in the morning.

CALENDAR DATES

May	
3rd	Year 1 parents evening
4th	Year 1 parents evening
5th	PTA meeting 5:30pm @ school
6th	Year 6 trip
9th	KS2 SATS Week
11th	Year 1 farm trip
17th	Year 3 farm trip
	New Reception intake 'crafternoon'
24th	Year 6 trip
25th	Year 5 farm trip
27th	INSET School closed to pupils
	Half Term holiday:
June	

6th	Children return to school
22nd	Sports day: Years 1—6
23rd	Sports day: Early Years
27th	Reception trip

Vacancies

Kid's Club Playworker

We have a vacancy for a casual hours playworker in EYFS Kid's Club. Initially it is for 2.5 hours per week (fixed) - Monday and Wednesday 3:15—4:30pm — plus flexible cover as and when needed (e.g. sickness absence cover). Please contact the school office if you are interested and they will pass your details on to Miss Day.

Midday Supervisor

We have a vacancy for a Midday Supervisor. It is for 6.25 hours per week, Monday to Friday 12:00—1:15pm. There would be additional overtime of 2.5 hours each week while we still operate a staggered lunch time (11:45—1:30pm).

Please contact the school office if you are interested and they will give you further details of how to apply.





LTA Youth Start

Who's ready to Level Up? LTA Youth Start is for kids aged 4-11 years who are new to tennis. We'll help teach kids new life skills, developing them as both players and people.

This is a modern approach to tennis training. Forget standing around waiting for your turn to hit a forehand. Think dynamic sessions catered for all abilities – no one gets left behind.

Specialist coaches will make sure every child has the best start to their tennis journey in a safe and inclusive environment.

We want to encourage children to play tennis throughout their lives – and be active too. So, if you think this is right for you child, why not give it a try?

If your child has played tennis before then they should try LTA Youth

The course costs £29.99 (+£5 P&P) which gets you:

- · Six top-class tennis sessions with specially trained coaches
- · A tennis racket and set of balls
- A branded t-shirt
- Activity cards, a lanyard, stickers and a certificate (provided by the coach)

Try tennis

To find out more about tennis sessions at our local tennis club for children, aged 4-11 visit: https://clubspark.lta.org.uk/TennisForKids/At/ColeshillTennisSportsClub

Are you on social media?

Why not follow us on Twitter—@ColeshillCofE—to see news and pictures from around school.









Find our SEND local offer online www.warwickshire.gov.uk/send



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Has lots of information and support for children and young people with SEND and their families including:

- Early Help
- Early Years
- Parenting Support

- Education
- Health and Wellbeing
- Social Care

- Preparing for Adulthood
- Travel and Transport
- Community Support



Or contact the Family Information Service on 01926 414144 option 1, Monday to Friday, 9am - 5pm

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