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Key Diary Dates

Thursday 29th January - Year 6 Swimming Week 4
Thursday 5th February - Year 6 Swimming Week 5
Thursday 5th February - Year 5 Earthquake Day
Thursday 12th February - Year 5 and 6 NSPCC Workshop
Thursday 12th February - Year 6 Swimming Week 6
Friday 13th February - Break up for half term
Monday 23rd February - Back to School
Monday 2nd March - Thursday 5th March - Year 5 Level 1 & 2 Bikeability
Thursday 12th March - The Big Sing
Thursday 19th March - Year 5 Space Dome Day
Tuesday 24th March - Parents Consultations 4 - 7 pm
Thursday 26th March - Parents Consultations 3.30 - 6 pm

Chichele House Assembly

On Tuesday this week, Chichele House pupils were joined by Carol Fitzgerald and local Bedesman Chris for an assembly about Chichele House.

Carol shared her knowledge of Chichele House and explained how Henry Chichele developed the college and set up local schools in the area before going on to become Archbishop of Canterbury.

Chris told the children about the history of the Bede House and what is involved in being a Bedesman.

Our three other houses - Lancaster, Wykeham, and Ferrers - also have assemblies booked to learn about the history of their houses.



Parent's consultation meetings are planned for
Tuesday March 24th & Thursday March 26th.

The booking window will open on Sunday 22nd
February and 10am close for bookings on Monday
23rd March 10am.

Tuesday March 24th 4 - 7pm

Thursday March 26th 3.30 - 6pm

John Ireland, our Chair of Governors, and Sarah Church, our Vice Chair of Governors, are both retiring from their positions, bringing to a close a period of dedicated service that began in 2019. Since taking on their roles, they have provided strong leadership and valuable guidance, supporting the school through important developments and challenges over the past several years.

Their commitment, time, and expertise have played a significant role in the school's continued progress, and they leave behind a governing body that is stronger because of their contribution.

The school community extends its sincere thanks and best wishes to them both for the future.



Sports Performance of the Week
Homily P-S **5MV**

<u>Reading Scores</u>			
3TH	80%	5MV	84%
3SM	80%	5RF	88%
3OH	74%	5MT	98%
4TB	90%	6AM	96%
4SC	88%	6GR	72%
4HS	96%	6KD	79%

<u>VIP</u>	
3OH Arafat B-G	5MV Thomas W
3SM Finnley E	5RF Lena K
3TH K	5MT Georgia A
4SC Alexis H	6GR Gracie B-O
4HS TBC on Monday	6KD Francis J
4TB Swayzie B	6AM Albie C

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SCHOOL CLUBS

Spaces are available in all school morning and afternoon clubs

TUESDAY

- * Football 8am - 8.40am
- * Multisports 3.05pm - 4pm
- * Choir 3.05pm - 4pm

THURSDAY

- * Volleyball 8am - 8.40am
- * Dodgeball (Year 5 & 6) 3.05pm - 4pm
- * Art Club (Year 3 & 4) 3.05pm - 4pm

BOOK VIA ARBOR

MONDAY

- * Multisports 8am - 8.40am
- * Gymnastics 3.05pm - 4pm

WEDNESDAY

- * Basketball 8am - 8.40am
- * Dodgeball (year 3 & 4) 3.05pm - 4pm
- * Lego Club 3.05pm - 4pm

FRIDAY

- * Netball 8am - 8.40am
- * Cricket 3.05pm - 4pm
- * Art Club (Year 5 & 6) 3.05pm - 4pm

**PUPIL PREMIUM CAN BE USED **
SUBJECT TO BALANCE REMAINING**

ANY QUESTIONS ASK THE SCHOOL OFFICE

**LUNCH AND
DRINKS NOT
PROVIDED
NEEDS TO BE
SENT FROM
HOME**

**16TH - 20TH
FEBRUARY**

**£20
PER CHILD
PER DAY**

HOLIDAY CLUB

8 AM - 4 PM

MONDAY - FRIDAY

ACTIVITIES

SPORTS & GAMES

CRAFT & MUSIC

and more!

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SCHOOL

BOOK EACH DAY VIA THE

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LEWIS



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