



Weekly Newsletter 2017-2018
6th July 2018 – Term 6 - Week 4

Sports Day Fun!



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Message from Mrs Key



Chailey School has had a great sporting week with a number of successful and enjoyable events in school and further afield. This has included our field sports day, track sports day, Year 7 sports morning and the Ouse Valley Inter-Schools Athletics competitions. It has been pleasing that so many students have been involved in both competing and acting as sports leaders at the events. Special thanks must go to a number of Year 11 students that came back to help us with our school events.

Next week is an exciting one on the school calendar with Year 10 on Work Experience and most of Year 9 at Wales Camp. Years 7 and 8 will not be left out as they take part in a number of trips and enrichment activities. I look forward to accompanying Year 7 to the Weald and Downland museum, hearing about the Welsh adventures and visiting some Year 10 students in their work environments.

Ouse Valley Success

Congratulations to our team of athletes who had a successful day at the Ouse Valley Inter-School Athletics competition on Thursday 5th July. The staff who accompanied the trip commented on the outstanding behaviour of all the competitors.

Notable successes were:

Chloe Wright – Y7 – 1st place in high jump

Adam Lawson – Y8 - 1st place in 100m & 300m

Charlotte Richards – Y9 first place in 300m, 1500m and triple jump

Lewis Turner – Y10 1st place in discus



KS3 Celebration Day

Following tutor group competitions in Years 7-9 which lasted the whole academic year, the winning tutor groups took part in a Celebration Day at Chailey School last Friday, the 29th June. The competition straddled many aspects of school life including attendance, merit totals, spelling competitions, sports competitions, general knowledge quizzes, a Science competition and our famous tug-of-war.

The winning tutor groups were 7 Firle, 8 Weald and 9 Caburn. The students enjoyed a day which included sport, inflatable fun and other games.



Students of the Week

Three Year 10 boys share this week's award:

- ❖ Kim Ranson
- ❖ George Goodyer
- ❖ John Earl

For participating in an act of extreme kindness which made me very proud to be the Head Teacher of Chailey School.

New Bus Service: 149

We have just heard from East Sussex that, after much lobbying from us, Seaford and District Bus Company are planning a new commercial school public bus service from Lindfield and Haywards Heath to Chailey. The route details and timetable are yet to be confirmed and we have been asked to direct parents to the website: www.seafordanddistrict.co.uk for details on the service which will be called route 149. We have been advised that this information should be available in about two weeks.

Please may I urge you to use this service if at all possible as we have spent a long time, with great parental support, trying to get this off the ground.

EduLink App

We have had a good response so far following the introduction of the EduLink App, which is designed to make communications between home and school much easier. From mid-September EduLink will be the sole form of communication we will be using to communicate with you. Please could we therefore encourage those of you who have yet to do so to activate your account. An email has been sent to you with your activation details. If you experience any problems setting up your account, we advise you to go to the EduLink website where you can get advice and guidance on activating your account. Should you experience any issues with using the app, we recommend you contact Mr Glen Mayhew via email at: gmayhew@chaileyschool.org

Job Opportunity at Chailey

We have a vacancy open up for the position of Head Teacher's Personal Assistant. Full details about the role including a job description, can be found in the application pack on the school website under 'Choosing Chailey/Working Here'

If you are interested in applying for the position or know someone who would be, please send you application to: ahilton@chaileyschool.org
The closing date for receiving applications is Tuesday 17th July 2018.

Fares Revision

Fares on most Compass Bus services will be revised from Monday 9th July 2018.

We have tried hard to keep the fares at the same level since the last change in April 2017, but increasing insurance and fuel costs have meant an increase in most cases.

Services 37, 37B, 740 and 743 remain unchanged, as these services have had a review already this year.

If your current fare is below £1.95, then this will rise by 20p.
If your current fare is above £2.00, then this will rise by 30p.
Child tickets, return and weekly tickets will rise in turn.

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Future Events

SUMMER TERM 2018

JULY 2018

Friday	6	Year 7 Academic Reviews Home
Sunday – Friday	8 - 13	Year 9 Wales Camp
Monday - Friday	9 - 13	Year 7 & Year 8 Curriculum Enrichment Week
Monday - Friday	9 - 13	Year 10 Work Experience Week
Monday & Tuesday	9 & 10	Year 6 Induction Days
Tuesday	10	18:00 New Parents' Evening
Tuesday	17	KS3 Celebration Day
Wednesday	18	KS4 Celebration Day
Tuesday	17	18:00 Celebration of Achievement Awards Evening
Tuesday – Friday	17 – 20	D of E Silver Assessed Expedition
Friday	20	End of Term – school closes at 13:00 for staff and students

SECOND HAND UNIFORM REQUEST FOR TUESDAY 10TH JULY

On the evening of Tuesday 10th July parents and students who will be new Y7s in September will be visiting Chailey School.

This is a great opportunity to offer them the choice to buy second hand uniform at fantastic prices, at the same time as raising money for the school. 100% of money raised will go to the school.

If you have any uniform donations please could you drop them to reception by the end of the day on Monday 9th July.

All items received will be sold on a Second Hand Uniform stand on the evening of 10th July.

As we near the end of term please remember to save grown out of uniform (Year 11 uniform would be very welcome!).

Thanks for your help
Sue Barham
Sue222@btinternet.com

Alumni Network

Do you know an ex-student of Chailey School?

The school runs an Alumni Network which keeps in touch with past students and associates. Through this network we can seek outside speakers to provide talks or presentations to students covering a wide range of employability sectors.

If you are a former student at Chailey or know of someone who is, and would like to get involved, we would be delighted to hear from you.

Please contact Mrs Bodner
sbodner@chaileyschool.org

2018-2019 School Term and Holiday Dates

	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Monday	3 10 17 24	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26	3 10 17 24 31
Tuesday	4 11 18 25	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27	4 11 18 25
Wednesday	5 12 19 26	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28	5 12 19 26
Thursday	6 13 20 27	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27
Friday	7 14 21 28	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30	7 14 21 28
Saturday	1 8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24	1 8 15 22 29
Sunday	2 9 16 23 30	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25	2 9 16 23 30
	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL
Monday	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29
Tuesday	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30
Wednesday	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24
Thursday	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25
Friday	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26
Saturday	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27
Sunday	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28
	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST
Monday	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26
Tuesday	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27
Wednesday	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28
Thursday	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29
Friday	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30
Saturday	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24 31
Sunday	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25

Inset Days 2018 -2019	Bank and Public Holidays	
Monday 3 September 2018	Christmas Day	Tuesday 25 December 2018
Tuesday 4 September 2018	Boxing Day	Wednesday 26 December 2018
Friday 30 November 2018	New Year's Day	Tuesday 1 January 2019
Monday 3 December 2018	Good Friday	Friday 19 April 2019
Wednesday 19 December 2018	Easter Monday	Monday 22 April 2019
Plus 2 more to be confirmed	May Day Bank Holiday	Monday 6 May 2019
	Spring Bank Holiday	Monday 27 May 2019
	Summer Bank Holiday	Monday 26 August 2019

Please be aware that we have TWO additional Inset days to allow us to move school buildings. We will inform you of these dates as soon as we know when we will be required to move.

School Holidays 2018 - 2019	
October Break	Monday 22 October to Friday 26 October 2018
Christmas Break	Thursday 20 December 2018 to Wednesday 2 January 2019
February Break	Monday 18 February 2019 to Friday 22 February 2019
Easter Break	Monday 8 April 2019 to Monday 22 April 2019
May Break	Monday 27 May 2019 to Friday 31 May 2019
Summer Break	Wednesday 24 July 2019

Contact Information

<u>Nature of contact</u>	<u>Who to contact</u>	<u>Method(s) of contact</u>
Absence	Attendance Officer – Mrs E Streeter	Each day of absence message on answerphone – option 1 Email: absence@chaileyschool.org
Examinations, Tests and Coursework	Exam Administration Officer– Mrs J Adams	Email: jadams@chaileyschool.org Telephone Extension: 202
SEN issues	Miss L Thompson (SENCO)	Email: lthompson@chaileyschool.org Telephone extension: 266
Concerns about progress/homework	Subject teacher	Email or note in student planner
Set changes Concern about subject issues	Faculty Team Leaders: <i>Ms E Fenn (English)</i> <i>Mr I Hopwood (Maths)</i> <i>Mrs V Chalcraft (Science)</i> <i>Ms F Morrow (MFL)</i> <i>Miss R Sinclair (Humanities)</i> <i>Mr J Deacon (Arts & Tech)</i> <i>Miss J Maynard (PE/PSHE)</i>	Email or Telephone (ext. nos. as shown) 239 242 226 251 257 233 229
Tutor group issues Concerns at home or about student in school Uniform Bullying	Form Tutor – however if it is urgent and the form tutor is not available, please contact the appropriate Student Support Manager: <i>Mrs Hickman (Year 7)</i> <i>Mrs Hutchinson (Years 8 & 9)</i> <i>Mrs Kinderman (Years 10 & 11)</i>	Note in student planner; email or Telephone (extension. nos. as shown) 252 265 212
More serious concerns re. progress or of a pastoral nature	Key Stage Directors: <i>Mr Harris (Key Stage 3)</i> <i>Mr Austin (Key Stage 4)</i>	Email or telephone (extension nos. as shown) 240 235
To contact Senior Leadership Team	Mrs A Hilton, Headteacher's PA	Email: ahilton@chaileyschool.org Telephone extension: 204
Finance Department	Mrs J Slade, Business Manager	Email: jslade@chaileyschool.org Telephone extension: 207

Staff email addresses can be obtained from the school website under Contact us/Staff
(Click on staff members' name for link to direct email address)

YEAR 10 COLLEGE TASTER DAYS

Varndean

Monday 16th July

https://varndean.ac.uk/year10_taster18

Greater Brighton Metropolitan College

Tuesday 10th July, Wednesday 11th July

<https://www.gbmc.ac.uk/brighton/news-events/taster-days/year-10-taster-days>