



Weekly Newsletter 2022-2023
14th October 2022 – Term 1 - Week 6

BUILDING NEW SKILLS

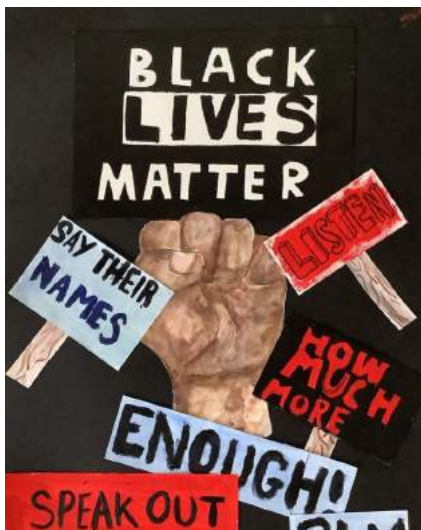


Weekly Message from Mrs Key



A big thank you to all of our amazing students who either helped with Open Evening, or led tours of prospective new families over the last fortnight. I only got really positive feedback about how proud our students are to be members of the Chailey community and about how forthcoming they were with information about the school. The Chailey School values of Community, Participation and Independence were in full display.

In Year 9 our students study a unit of work on Protest Art. Through this unit they learn about the important theme of protest and test their own values. The unit ends with a piece of Protest Art created on a theme that the student chooses. You may have seen some examples of this work on one of our stairwells in school. We are delighted to inform you that three pieces of work on the theme of 'Black Lives Matter' from this unit have made it to be included in Diversity Lewes' refurbished foot bridge from Pinwell Road to Mountfield Road. Along with the art work there will be a panel dedicated to all those involved in the project. This is a great example of authentic learning with a real audience. Well done everybody.



Tuesday 18th October

Cabaret Concert (7pm)



Thursday 20th October

Welcome to KS3 Evening (6pm)

Friday 21st October

Friends of Chailey School Tuck Shop

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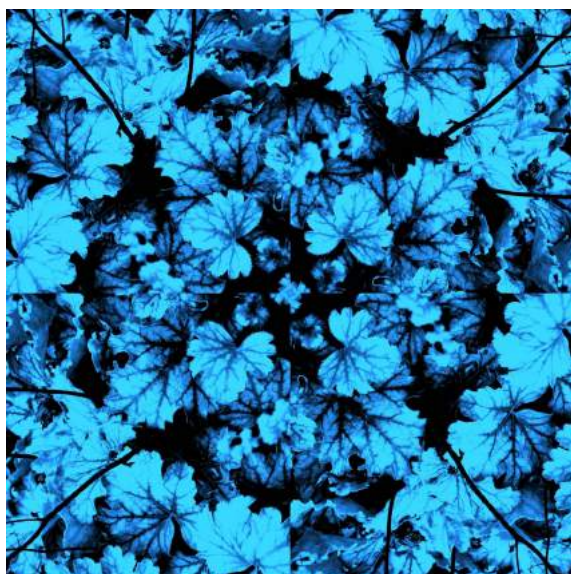
Students must have their bus/coach passes on them at all times. The drivers have the right to deny transport to anyone that does not show a pass when asked. If your child needs a replacement pass please go online to <https://www.eastsussex.gov.uk/education-learning/schools/transport/pay/replacement-bus-pass/form-replacement-bus-pass>

Please note temporary bus/coach passes can only be issued to those students entitled to transport and awaiting their replacement pass. These can only be issued from the main office during break or lunch and cannot be provided at the end of the day.

The Friends of Chailey School are holding another Tuck Shop on the last day of term (Friday 21st October) during break time. Don't forget to remind your children in case they would like to bring in some money to buy some goodies!



PHOTOGRAPHERS OF THE WEEK



MAX MONTEBELLO



TOBY DOUGLAS

WORKING AT CHAILEY SCHOOL

We currently have the following vacancies at Chailey School. More detailed information can be found on the website but please do not hesitate to contact Serena Rodd PA to the Head Teacher if you have any queries.

Teaching Assistant 3

Required: October 2022

Single Status Grade 4 Point 9-10 (actual annual salary based 32 hours p/w on Point 9, for 44.85 weeks per year; term time only (39 weeks) would be £14,330-£14,618 pay award pending).

Clerk to Governors

Required: October 2022

Single Status 7 FTE: £22,689 - £23,346 for 52 weeks per year. Actual salary: £1,766.06 - £1,817.20

Hours Required: 130 hours per year

SPEAKING OUT CHALLENGE

On Wednesday, 30 year 10 students took part in a whole-day 'Speak Out Challenge' public speaking workshop. The workshop was delivered by the Speakers Trust, an incredible charity who are on a mission to make the voices of young people heard.

Initially, students started small - they practised their public speaking skills by introducing each other to the group in the style of a game-show host!

After lots of drama activities to help the students get loosened up and find their voices, it then became time for them to decide what to say: at the beginning of the day, the students were told that they would be delivering a short speech to their peers. This challenge did feel a little daunting for some students but they rose to it admirably, with lots of students saying when reflecting on the session that they really valued the freedom they had to choose a topic that was important to them and that they felt passionate about. These topics were as wide ranging and diverse as our lovely students - they ranged from rugby to gender equality, from abolishing university fees to gaming.

Five of the students who took part have been put forward to take part in delivering an assembly around public speaking and one of those students will progress on to the 'Speak Out Challenge' competition - we know that they will all be fantastic.

Watching the students overcome their nerves and accomplish delivering an impromptu public speech in front of an audience was truly astounding; all those who took part should be incredibly proud of their achievement. As one student put it, 'It was really nice to see everyone grow in confidence throughout the day.'

Ms S Wild

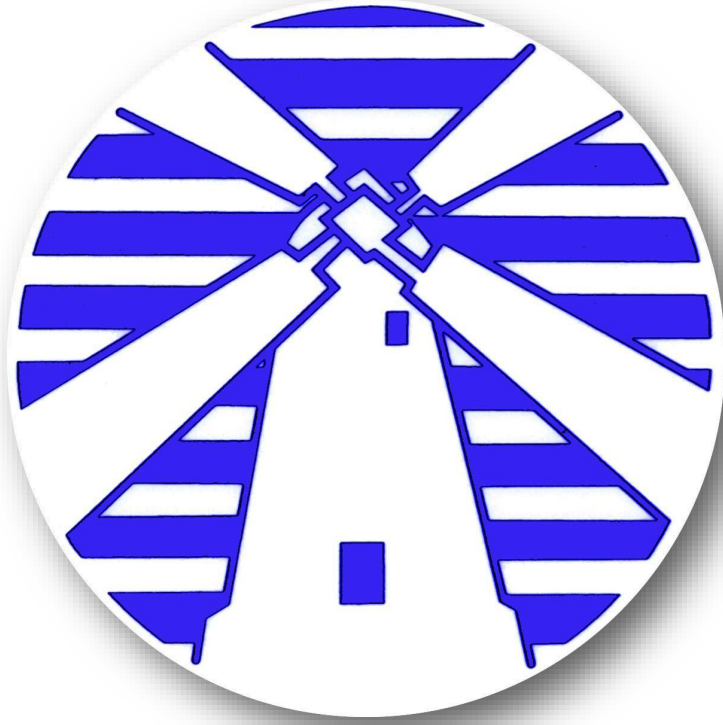
Teacher of English and KS4 Co-ordinator



'I Heard a Wispa' Nominations

Each week we ask teachers to nominate a student to receive a new R3 and their names are then published in our newsletter. Two students in each year group (7 and 8) will then be picked at random from the list to receive a 'Wispa' - delivered to them from Mrs Key. Nominations and the winners for this week are below.

<p style="text-align: center;">7AS</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">8AS</p> <p><i>H Boland</i> for an amazing score in science assessment</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">7CA</p> <p><i>M Dyer</i> good contribution in class discussion <i>W Cutting</i> for being helpful</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">8CA</p> <p><i>D Boone</i> excellent contribution to discussion about population structure</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">7DI</p> <p><i>A Taylor</i> for participation A Lorenzo for being a kind and good friend <i>C Stephens</i> helpful and hardworking in German</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">8DI</p> <p><i>P Gregson</i> for participation in French <i>N Symons</i> good progress and quality homework</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">7FI</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">8FI</p> <p>T Southin for participation <i>K Catley</i> hard working in German</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">7GL</p> <p><i>E Holland</i> for kindness <i>E Firrell</i> for always producing great DT work</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">8GL</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">7WD</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">8WD</p>



HAVE A GREAT WEEK!

Calling All Former Students

**If you're a former student of Chailey School,
we want to hear from you!**

Your experiences since leaving could help to motivate and inspire our current students to feel more confident in making decisions about their future. We'd love you to join our alumni network and stay connected with the school.

We've partnered with the national education charity **Future First**, who specialise in helping schools like ours to stay connected with their former students.

You can choose how and when you help – perhaps you can act as a career and education role model, provide work experience, become a mentor in person or online, or help with donations, fundraising or even apply to become a governor.

It doesn't matter when you left us, whether you're in further education or employment, whether you still live nearby or have moved further away, there are still ways you can help.

In order to sign up, just follow this link and fill in the online form – we promise it will only take a couple of minutes.

<https://networks.futurefirst.org.uk/signup/chailey>