

# SUMMER TERM NEWSLETTER 12

Friday, 30<sup>th</sup> June  
2023

## CHERRY TREE PRIMARY SCHOOL

### Our Mission Statement

*Bringing out the best in each other  
as we blossom & grow*

### Our Values

*Happy, Aspirational, Resilient,  
Independent, Open-minded, Compassionate*



## SCHOOL NEWS

*Please remember to refer to our app for all our calendar dates: PA Connect / Content / Events  
We have also sent home a calendar of events for March on ParentApp.*

### KEY DATES

Event or reminder	Date / time / deadline	Any action needed
<b>PTA Summer Fair</b>	<b>Saturday, 1<sup>st</sup> July 3pm-7pm</b>	Please join us at our summer fair- all welcome!
<b>Lymm High School Transition Day</b>	<b>Tuesday, 4<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Year 6 children who will be attending Lymm High School from September will spend the full day at their secondary school. Details have been sent directly from the high school.
<b>INDUSTRIAL ACTION</b>	<b>Wednesday, 5<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>CLOSED for Year Groups F, 1, 3, 4, 6 Only OPEN for Cherry Blossom, Y2 and Y5</b>
<b>Y1 to Y5 Annual Reports to go home</b>	<b>Thursday, 6<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Annual reports will be sent home as a paper copy on Thursday, 6 <sup>th</sup> for all classes except Y6. Y6 reports will go home the day that the SATS results are published on 11 <sup>th</sup> July.
<b>Y4 Medley Music Concert</b>	<b>Thursday, 6<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Year 4 will take part in a collaborative music concert involving the 6 schools that work with Medley Music. The concert is at St Oswald's Church in Padgate. Letter sent home to Y4 families.
<b>INDUSTRIAL ACTION</b>	<b>Friday, 7<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>CLOSED for Year Groups F, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6 Only OPEN for Cherry Blossom and Y5 NOTE- Y2 are not in school on this day.</b>
<b>Y6 SATS results and annual reports</b>	<b>Tuesday, 11<sup>th</sup> July</b>	As the SATs publication date has been pushed back a week, we will send the Y6 report home on the same day.
<b>KS2 Production 'Pirates of the Currybean'</b>	<b>Tuesday, 11<sup>th</sup> July at 2pm and 6pm Wednesday, 12<sup>th</sup> July 6pm</b>	Tickets are now on sale via ParentPay.
<b>New Intake Visit</b>	<b>Thursday, 13<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Nursery staff are invited to bring the children for 'lunch and play' at 11am until 12 noon. Please bring a packed lunch.
<b>Y6 Personal Safety Workshop</b>	<b>Thursday, 13<sup>th</sup> July 2:30pm</b>	The Y6 children will be taught important personal safety skills, invaluable as they become more independent.
<b>Y6 Leavers' Trip</b>	<b>Friday, 14<sup>th</sup> July</b>	We are planning to take Y6 to the cinema as an end of primary school treat. Details to follow.
<b>'Moving Up Day' YF to Y5</b>	<b>Friday, 14<sup>th</sup> July</b>	All classes to spend the full day in their new classroom with their new teacher in preparation for September. Year 6 are out of school on this day.
<b>PTA-EYFS Teddy Bear's Picnic</b>	<b>Wednesday, 19<sup>th</sup> July 2:15pm to 3:15pm</b>	Class F and preschool children and families are invited to a PTA Teddy Bear's Picnic taking place in the Cherry Blossom outdoor area. Refreshments and drinks will be served. £3 donation per child payable on ParentPay.
<b>Y6 Leavers' Assembly</b>	<b>Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Parents are invited to join us for the Y6 Leavers' Assembly. Refreshments will be served afterwards.
<b>End of Term</b>	<b>Friday, 21<sup>st</sup> July 2:30pm FINISH</b>	

# Cherry Tree News Headlines

## Mrs Bolger's Retirement

In 2007, Mrs Bolger joined Cherry Tree as a Teaching Assistant. Ever since, she has become a firm favourite with our children and staff thanks to her caring and calm nature. This summer, Mrs Bolger will retire from her role and intends to spend more time with her grandchildren. She will be sadly missed by everyone at Cherry Tree- there is no-one quite like Mrs Bolger; she has a real gift for providing excellent pastoral support for our children and families particularly when they first start school. Not only does she make our new children feel welcome but she also offers words of reassurance and advice to our parents too.

I am sure you will join me in wishing her well in her retirement; everyone at Cherry Tree will really miss her.



## Classes for September

The table below shows the staff team for each class in September.

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Class	Lead Teacher	Teaching Assistant Support	
F	Mr Adams	Mrs Fish	
1	Mrs Kinzett / Mrs Baines	Mrs Leung	Mrs Kershaw
2	Mrs Greason/ Mr Hughes (Friday)	Mrs Adams	
3	Miss Flower	Miss Stagg, Mrs Fothergill, Mrs Oldham	
4	Miss Birchall		
5	Mrs Bottomley / Mr Hughes	Mrs Robinson, Mrs Sampson, Mrs Barton	
6	Mrs Perrin / Mr Hughes		



CHERRY BLOSSOM PRESCHOOL

*As we move closer to the end of the school year, sixteen of our pre-school children will be transitioning to Class F. They have enjoyed their recent transition visits and we are looking forward to them joining Class F in September.*

## Key Stage 2 Production

We are very excited about our forthcoming Key Stage 2 Production. Our Year 6 children will take the lead in 'Pirates of the Currybean' with supporting performances from the children in Years 3, 4, and 5.

**Show dates: Tuesday, 11<sup>th</sup> July at 6pm / Wednesday, 12<sup>th</sup> July at 2pm and also 6pm**

Tickets on sale now.

## Class Photos

Class Photos are on sale for £5 each. Copies are on display in the school entrance hall. Order via ParentPay by the deadline of 9am Monday, 3<sup>rd</sup> July.

## Term Dates

You will find out term dates for the new academic year on our website under the Parent Tab.

<https://www.cherrytreeschool.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2023/01/Term-Dates-2022-23-and-2023-24.pdf>

## Allotment News

Please see below for the dates when each class will do gardening activities.

The schedule for the allotment:	Please bring:
Weds, 5th July- Class F Weds, 12th July- Class 6	<b>Ideally the children will need:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Wellies, walking boots or old trainers</li> </ul>

Weds, 19th July- Class 6

- *Tracksuit bottoms that can get dirty*
- *Outdoor coat*
- *Gardening gloves if you have them – we do have some in school*

## PTA NEWS

### THANK YOU

A BIG thank you for supporting the recent 'Break the Rules Day' where we raised a fantastic £1000 for our PTA!

### Forthcoming Events



A colorful poster for a Summer Fair. It features a blue sky with white clouds, a yellow sun, and a string of colorful triangular bunting. In the center, a large orange banner reads 'SUMMER FAIR' in white and red letters. Below the banner is a yellow flower. In the top right corner, there is a small logo for 'CHERRY TREE PRIMARY' featuring a tree and a child. To the right of the poster, there is a yellow box with orange text listing activities and a note to join for fun.

**Join us for lots of fun!**

- Year 6 stalls
- Netball comp
- Refreshments
- Bar
- Raffle

**Plus lots more!**

**Summer Fair – Saturday, 1<sup>st</sup> July 3-7pm**

# CHERRY BLOSSOM AND CLASS F TEDDY BEARS' PICNIC

Wednesday 19th July, 2.15-3.15pm  
Preschool Outdoor Area

Tickets £3 per adult available on ParentPay  
A party to celebrate our wonderful children  
Soft Drinks and Cakes (and teddy bears)

Registered Charity Number 1019937

# NEW PTA MEMBERS NEEDED!

We have the below positions to fill from September as well as 'regular' members. All parents/carers/grandparents welcome. There are no expectations and any time you can give is always welcome with a variety of ways to get involved. This includes volunteering and helping co-ordinate events, coming up with new ideas, raising raffle prizes. Please get in touch if you are interested or have any questions by emailing [cherrytreepta@gmail.com](mailto:cherrytreepta@gmail.com)

## What does Cherry Tree PTA do?

We arrange many events and other fundraising ideas throughout the year to raise additional funds for items that the school budget may not cover as well as provide fun events for children staff and families. The funds raised have recently been spent on music provision, gardening and art supplies and the new outdoor play equipment and does really make a difference to the school and our children.

## Chair

- Chair regular PTA meetings
- Write the annual PTA report
- Host the annual AGM
- Oversee all PTA activity
- Liaise with school about event dates and fundraising needs.

## Vice Chair

- Deputise for the Chair

## Treasurer

- Keep detailed records of all individual income and expense
- Pay invoices, expenses and donations to school
- Arrange floats for events, count cash after even and pay into bank account;
- Calculate profit for individual events;
- Prepare a finance summary for PTA meetings;
- Prepare Annual Financial Statements and arrange independent review;
- Charity commission reporting.

## Stock Buyer

- Count stock before and after each event and send to treasurer.
- Maintain a detailed list of all stock held and keep updated with purchases, usage, write offs etc.
- Monitor best before dates to minimise stock write offs.
- Liaise with event leads re purchasing requirements.

## FINALLY

We are almost at the end of the academic year and are preparing for the Year 6 children to move on to High School. It is hard to believe that another school year is almost over! The children in all year groups have continued to make us proud with their resilience and determination to do their very best while supporting one another. They certainly live up to our mission statement to 'Bring the best out in each other, as they blossom and grow.'

Thank you for your ongoing support. We are able to succeed thanks to the strong partnership that we have between our families and our school team.

Kind regards



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## REMINDERS

**Please DO NOT allow children to use the climbing frame at the beginning or end of the school day.**