



Community, Compassion, Courage, Trust, Perseverance, **Thankfulness**

Chaddleshworth and Shefford Federated CE Primary Schools

'Living life in all its fullness' John 10:10

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a week!

Thank you for your continued support through a week of change and excessive heat. I hope everyone has been able to stay safe and cool during a week of extreme temperatures and weather warnings. I think we are all looking forward to some cooler weather now, and I'm sure we will all welcome some rain too!

As you are aware our sports day this week was cancelled. We now plan to go back to our original whole day of sports on the new date of Thursday 2nd July, with parents and families welcome to join us from 10.30am. Please bring your chairs and blankets to set up on the top field to then cheer children on during their field events in the morning. Children will join their families for a picnic lunch on the back field and then visitors can head back to the top field to watch the excitement of the track events through the afternoon.



Wishing everyone a wonderful weekend,

Ms Munday Headteacher www.csfschools.org

Making Waves JMF...

"What an unforgettable evening at the Junior Music Festival at The Hexagon in Reading. After weeks of rehearsals, the children performed with confidence and enthusiasm alongside hundreds of pupils from schools across West Berkshire. A huge thank you to Mrs Oberholzer, who worked with the Owls Class throughout the term, helping the children learn the songs, actions and sign language. We were incredibly proud of the way they represented our school, making it an evening full of music, teamwork and joy." Mrs Mirza



“What a wonderful, joyful afternoon and evening!! The children sang their hearts out and enjoyed having a band play all the music which was a great culmination of all their hard work practising and learning the words to the songs. Their excited faces seeing familiar faces arrive to watch them meant so much, so a huge thank you to all who came to support the children.” Mrs O



Summer Reading Challenge...

Get ready for this year's Summer Reading Challenge for children aged 4-11 years!

Once again, West Berkshire Libraries are challenging primary-aged children to read six library books between 1 July and 15 September and collect FREE incentives for their achievements as they read, with medals and certificates for everyone who completes the Challenge.

Developed by national charity [The Reading Agency](http://www.readingagency.org.uk), the theme of this year's Challenge is 'Read to the Beat', which is all about music and rhythm. It aims to inspire children to explore the connection between stories and songs and discover how reading and music can ignite imagination and creativity.

There is no need to wait until the school holidays begin – drop in to your local library to find out more and sign up from 1 July. There is also a mini challenge for children under 4, and something for teenagers and adults too.

Get the whole family reading this summer! www.westberks.gov.uk/libraries

NEWBURY LIBRARY LAUNCH EVENT

Children are invited to join the library team at Newbury Library on Saturday 11 July, from 2-3pm, for a fun-filled event as A.F. Harrold shares his silly, surprising, and sometimes sensible poems! It will be a lively, interactive poetry experience for children aged 5+, followed by a chance to join the Read to the Beat Summer Reading Challenge.

Tickets are £3 per child (adults are not required to book a ticket) and tickets can be booked here: <https://tinyurl.com/wberkslibraries36>



HUNGERFORD LIBRARY LAUNCH EVENT

There is also an additional launch event at Hungerford Library on Friday 3 July, where children can look forward to a after-school activities filled with songs, games and musical fun.



Picture News and the BIG question this week...

The BIG question...

How does every person count?



'Take a census of the whole Israelite community by their clans and families, listing every man by name, one by one.'
Numbers 1:2



India has started one of the world's biggest counting projects, its national census. People across the country will be asked questions about their homes and communities to help build a picture of life in India today. The information collected will help leaders make decisions about services and support for more than 1.4 billion people.

The Bible teaches that everyone counts and every individual's story matters. By organising ourselves as families and communities, we remind ourselves that we are stronger together. Looking after one another is how we build a safe, fair, and welcoming environment where every member is valued.



Class Blogs

Click on the class bird to link to the class blog pages sharing your child/ren's learning this week...



[Robins](#)



[Kingfishers](#)



[Owls](#)



[Red Kites](#)

PTFA news and updates...



For pre loved uniform sales please contact chair@csptfa.org.uk or speak to Mrs Chrimes or Charlotte Hadland. Please drop off any uniform donations to the school office.



Diary dates... (New dates are added in green)

June 2026	
Mon, 29 th	PTFA Ice lolly sale, end of school day
Tues, 30 th	Year 3 and Year 4 Owls Class Swimming, 10/10 session
July 2026	
Wed, 1 st	Red Kites Viking day
Thurs, 2 nd	Rescheduled sports day
Fri, 3 rd	Non-uniform day (bottle donations please for PTFA bottle tomobla) PTFA Ice lolly sale, end of school day
Sat, 4 th	PTFA Summer fete
Wed, 8 th	Watermill KS2 drama workshops
Fri, 10 th	PTFA Ice lolly sale, end of school day PTFA leavers disco (change of date)
Wed, 15 th	Red Kites afternoon performance
Thurs, 16 th	Red Kites evening performance
Fri, 17 th	Drum with Alex performance assembly 2pm
Mon, 20 th	Whole school trip day
Tues, 21 st	Last day of term 6 Leavers service at St Mary's church 1.30pm

Term Dates - Chaddleshworth, St. Andrew's & Shefford - C.E. Federated Primary Schools



Parent and carer community news and information...

Open GARDENS
this Sunday
28TH JUNE

CHADDLEWORTH

EVERYBODY WELCOME!
£5 PER TICKET

TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM THE BEX 12.30-3.30PM

GARDENS ARE OPEN FROM 1-5PM

HEDGEBUS AVAILABLE

PARKING AVAILABLE AT THE VILLAGE HALL

TEA & CAKES AVAILABLE AT ST ANDREWS CHURCH

KB UNITED TRIALS

U12 PLAYERS WANTED GOING INTO YR 7

NOW RECRUITING ADDITIONAL PLAYERS TO JOIN OUR AMAZING SQUAD

PLAYING SATURDAYS & SUNDAYS IN THE U12A

PHYL

WHERE THE FURST SCHOOL 3G PITCH

WEDNESDAY 24th JUNE 1ST DATE CANCELLED

TUESDAY 30th JUNE 8:30am - 8:00pm

NEW DATE THURSDAY 9th JULY 8:30am - 8:00pm

1ST DATE CANCELLED
DUE TO HEAT WAVE 37°
WELFARE OF OUR PLAYERS IS OUR PRIORITY

NEW DATE ADDED!
THURSDAY 9th JULY 6:30PM - 8:00PM

RETAIL TRAINING ON A 30 MIN

PLAYER PROFILE APPROPRIATE

MENTOR TRAINED STAFF

END OF SEASON TROPHY AWARDS

DISCOUNTED PLAYERS 10% OFF

COMMUNITY LEAD PLAYERS

PLAY WITH RESPONSIBLE PLAYERS

THINK YOU HAVE WHAT IT TAKES?
EMAIL OR SCAN THE QR CODE

secretary@kb-united.com

HUNGERFORD RFC

STARTS WEDS 24th JUNE

FREE Girls Rugby WARRIORS

SUMMER TRAINING

WELCOMING, QUALIFIED COACHES

BEACH RUGBY SOCIAL

ALL SHAPES, SIZES & ABILITIES VALUED

BE PART OF SOMETHING SPECIAL WITH A SUMMER OF RUGBY FUN

Each Wednesday evening from June 24th

Any Girl yr 5 to 12 welcome 19:00 - 20:30

CLAIM 07377 943822

girls.rugby@hungerfordrfc.com

We are WARRIORS.

TEAMWORK • RESPECT • ENJOYMENT • DISCIPLINE • SPORTSPERSONSHIP

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GO ALL IN.
Summer Book Challenge

West Berks Book Challenge

For everyone 12+ years

1 July to 15 September

Complete the challenge by reading 3 books from our suggestions, to form a vertical, horizontal or diagonal line.

Pick up a challenge card from any West Berkshire library to get started. Return your completed card by 15 September to enter a prize draw to win a book token.

Prizes in every library!
www.westberks.gov.uk/libraries

West Berkshire LIBRARIES

FACE July 2026 Timetable

All regular sessions delivered live online via zoom, 90 minutes long
£24 each or FREE with School Membership
Book online at facefamilyadvice.co.uk
Recordings available for 48 hours

Cannabis & Ketamine Awareness	6 July 10am
Anxiety Explained	6 July 7pm
Introduction to OCD	7 July 10am
What is ACT?	7 July 7pm
Decreasing Depression	13 July 10am
Raising Self-Esteem	13 July 7pm
Supporting Healthy Sleep	14 July 10am
Understanding the Teenage Brain	14 July 7pm
FREE - Supporting Healthy Screen Use	16 July 7-8pm
Autism-Improving Communication	20 July 10am
Improving Family Communication	20 July 7pm
Supporting a Child with ADHD	21 July 10am
Understanding Addictive Behaviour	21 July 7pm
Understanding Anger	27 July 10am
School Anxiety	27 July 7pm
Facing Defiance	28 July 10am
Supporting Health Screen Use	28 July 7pm

SHAW HOUSE

SUMMER FAIR

SUNDAY 19 JULY 11AM-4PM
Adults £2, Children £1 (Under 3 yrs Free)

Local Craft Stalls
Artisan Food and Drink
Mr Muddle the Magician
Children's Rides
Live Music, Outdoor Trail

Please note: an additional entry fee will be applicable to visit inside the House and exhibition rooms

www.westberkshireheritage.org/whats-on
Shaw House, Church Road, Newbury RG14 2DR E: shawhouse@westberks.gov.uk

West Berkshire LIBRARIES

Afternoon Tea & Prosecco

- 3:00 - 5:00pm
- Saturday 15th August 2026
- St James Church, Leckhampstead
- £15 per person inc. glass of prosecco!
- Tickets include sandwiches, cakes, scones & tea
- Supporting St James Church & The Dogs Trust
- Use the QR code or call Michelle on 07792 117384 to book tickets

www.stjamespcc.com



A little more information on the day (and a video) is available here:

<https://newburyracecourse.co.uk/racing/news-and-information/pupils-parents-to-enjoy-racing-for-free-this-august/>

request free tickets directly via this link:

ow.ly/ebKZ50ZcaqH.