



Comberton Update

Friday 30th June 2023

Attendance

Years 1-3 Class Winners – Year 2 Miss Lewis with 98.9% 2nd week in a row!

Years 4-6 Class Winners – Year 4 Mrs Hartley with 95.1%

Congratulations and keep it up!

Learning

We have had lots of budding historians in school this week, building their historical knowledge in year 3 and 6. Year 6 could talk so well about world war 2 and how the role of women has changed.

Year 5 have been developing their language skills, building sentences in French related to the planets.

Year 6 have been applying their mathematical knowledge and skills to range of puzzles and problem solving activities to reinforce their learning from across the year.

Year 1 were having great fun with the musical instruments this week and year 4 were playing melodies on the hand bells.

There has been lots of practice for sports day happening across the school and the children are really looking forward to this event. Year 2 were also demonstrating fantastic collaboration during their team building games, working together to solve physical problems – well done!

Summer Fayre and Non Uniform Day

We will be holding our Summer Fayre on Thursday 20th July 2-4pm. This will take a similar format to how our Easter fayre ran. We will also have an ice-cream van and inflatables this time! Children can be collected at 2pm and signed across to parents/carers to enjoy the fayre together.

We will need an array of prizes in order to make this a success so will be holding a **non uniform day on Monday 17th July in exchange for prizes** for our summer fayre. Please bring from the following items:

- Small bags of sweets eg haribo/lollipops
- Chocolates (Tombola prizes)
- Bottles of all kinds – drinks, toiletries (Bottle Tombola)

In addition to this, if you have any items that you can donate for our bric- a brac store, please bring any toys/games/homeware. We can accept these items from w/c 10th July.

If you know of anyone who would be able to donate any raffle prizes then this would also be much appreciated.

We are also looking for volunteers to help run the stalls. If you think you may be able to offer an hour to help then please let the office know.

Many thanks in advance for your support.

Rags2Riches

Thank you so much to everyone who brought in clothes for our Rags2Riches Campaign. We collected 306.5kg of clothes which converts to £153.25 for school fund which we will be putting towards some sensory resources for our children.

We have booked another collection for 4th December so pop the date in your diary!

Transition day

Reminder that it is transition day on Monday 3rd July. Because it is now a Monday, we feel it is best for the children to have their usual meet and greet from their current teachers so please drop your child at their current classroom and school staff will take them to their new teachers after registration. Please collect from your child's new classroom.

Strike days

Reminder that school is closed to the majority of pupils on Wednesday 5th and Friday 7th July. Thank you to those of you who have confirmed acceptance of places for our invited pupils. We now have our final numbers for this and have planned accordingly.

Healthy Snack

Polite reminder that we ask for all snacks that are brought into school for morning break to be healthy snacks such as fruit. Children in Reception, years 1 and 2 have access to the free Government fruit every day.

Message from King Charles

A reminder to the parents/carers that Year 6 students who are attending King Charles for their secondary transition should arrive at school no later than 8.30am on Monday 3rd July in their primary school uniform. We are delighted that we will be working with our new cohort for 3 days next week. Thank-you to all the parents who attended the 'New Intake' evening, it was lovely to meet so many parents.

Finally, our students who have been visiting our local primary schools to support reading on a weekly basis, have thoroughly enjoyed their experience and have reported wonderful things.

Please follow us on twitter @KC1School.

SEND Parent & Carer drop-in & chat...
9:00am Monday 10th July 2023 at Comberton Primary School

We need your input into how we can communicate best with parents of pupils with SEND!

Following the success of the last event in May, Mrs Phillips would love to catch up with as many of you as possible to answer questions and take your feedback about next steps we can take as a school regarding SEND.

Have a cup of tea/coffee, ask questions, share your feedback & experiences and chat to the SENCO & other parents.

Please email office@comberton.worcs.sch.uk 'FAO Mrs Phillips' or pop in to let us know you're coming!

What can I do to help my child prepare for September?

It would really help if...

What should I be asking my child's class teacher?

I'd like to know how will change in September.

What's available over the holidays?

Plus any other questions/feedback you may have...!

Children's Activity Club 2023 at St Chad's Club

St Chad's are running free activity clubs during the summer holidays for children in years 2-5 on:

Friday 28th June and Friday 1st September from 9:30-1:30.

All events are free of charge. Refreshments and a meal will be provided.

Book early as spaces are limited.

All enquiries to katyc34@btinternet.com or 01562 861023

Summer Reading Challenge

Please see the attached letter for more information.



Worcestershire libraries are inviting all schools to encourage their pupils aged 4-11 to sign up for this year's Summer Reading Challenge

A message from Kidderminster School Uniform shop:

We are mindful of the financial pressures buying school uniform puts on parents, so from now till the end of July (31st midnight) we are offering a **10% discount** on all school uniform orders, with an order value of over £40, purchased from our shop in Kidderminster, or from our online store www.simplyschooluniform.co.uk

That's for both your school's branded items and regular school wear.

Your school's discount code is: **COM10**

Spaces for September 2023

We still have just a few places left for Nursery and Reception 2023 intake so please spread the word. Visits to the school are welcomed.

Dates:

Mon 3 rd July	Transition Day King Charles Transition for y6 Year 3 swimming
Tues 4 th July	Year 4 and 8 Reading buddies with King Charles King Charles Transition for y6
Weds 5 th July	Strike Day New Nursery children Stay and play King Charles Transition for y6
Thurs 6 th July	
Fri 7 th July	Strike Day

Looking Ahead

10/07/23 – Balanceability for Reception

12/07/23 – Year 2 trip to Bishops Wood

13/07 and 14/07/23 – Sports Days

17/07/23 – Balanceability for Reception

20/07/23 – Summer Fayre 2-4pm

21/07/23 – pm - Year 6 Leavers event with parents.

Break up for Summer

Kind Regards

Mrs Frost