



SUMMER TERM

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A BIG THANK YOU TO.....

The peer mediators- Amelia N, Dran, JJ, Amelia K, Sami, Iziah, Meha, Sofia, Shazod, Ailsa for reliably and thoughtfully undertaking their role of helping children sort out friendship issues.

The Eco-warriors – Mary, Frances, Jasper, Chiara, Emma, Shazod for trying to get us all to save energy with their Switch Off! campaign

The Yr6 House Captains and other helpers- Shazod, Ailsa, Austin, Shaswin, Iziah, Sofia, JJ, Vince, Amelia N, Amelia K, Dran, Aiden, Dan for organising house competitions, lunchtime help, the shed, lunchtime games.

The Worship Gang – Sahzod, Dan, Ailsa, Meha, Vince, Iziah for setting the tone of collective worship with their gathering and sending

RONAK AT NISA – for being a great friend to CHPS over the past 7 years. He has donated money for the courtyard gazebo, Reception go-karts, bark area shed, community garden sign, books, cinema tickets for some families and now another shed. He came into school for an official opening of the bark area shed.



10th July 2026

Lots of children dressed to reflect their culture last Thursday when we had our Culture Day. Thank you to all the parents who shared stories, music and food. This amazing community is made up from families from 49 different countries. I feel honoured to have led this mix!

Class News

Nursery welcomed Christiana to share food and culture from Ghana. We had a complete banquet!

Reception enjoyed working in teams to make the carts for their Kindness Rollercoaster and the visiting parents also got involved.

Yr1 practised collaboration and compromise when designing and making the carriages for their Kindness Rollercoaster.

Yr2 have learnt how to sew and have made purses and added on buttons too.

Laurel made battery powered games and enjoyed playing them together.



Holly have made some stunning purses with left over fabric and have even embroidered flowers over the holes in the material. They have written each other friendship spells to put in the purses.

Elder – the Yr6 won the Top Trumps for the first time ever at the leavers service in St. Andrew's. The class generated thoughtful kindness spells using natural ingredients, sending out big messages and wishes into the world.

Gold Book – vision and values in action

Well done to all for demonstrating the school values in their learning and towards others.

Oak – Francesco, Mara, Celine, Ellea

Olive – Aimee, Yuki, Eugene, Elzay

Chestnut – Mirabelle, Joann, the whole class

Laurel – Djawad, Zulaikha, Kasey, Lily

Holly – Luke, Liv, Lexi-Mae, Chiara, Emma, Roselyn

Elder – the whole class, all of Yr6

Sporting Hero – rounders team for competing at the tournament at Coleridge- Alexine (captain), Ismayil, Fraser, Fahed, Lizzie, Matilda, Julie, Ailsa, Flynn, Mathew, Sofia, Shaswin

SPORTS DAY RESULTS- 1st red, 2nd blue, 3rd yellow 4th green

OVERALL WINNER OF HOUSEPOINTS - YELLOW

Creative Arts Week- the following children received a prize in recognition of their engagement with the activities and for their artistic flair- Myla, Ellea, Eugene, Orla, Athena, Lexi-Mae, Liz

MISSION RESCUE-Holiday Club..... run by the Baptist Church at Colville school between Monday 20th July and Friday 24th July; 10am-12:30pm for 5-11 year olds. Spaces still available see www.ch-bc.org.uk/HolidayClub

Head for the Day- Mr Shazod Yoldash and his team took over school on Monday. He did a fantastic job covering all of the headteacher's roles including being on the gate. Shazod's team baked snacks for staff and ran a series of tournaments of all the children. At the end of the day Shazod reflected on his role saying that he had not sat down all day and couldn't have done it without his team. So say all headteachers!

ANOTHER BIG THANKS to Mr Hnat for taking the old shed to the tip.

Attendance

Laurel class have had the highest attendance this term. Yellow house have had the highest attendance overall this year.

A message from....

Mrs Caldecoat- my time working at the school is nearly over. It has been a pleasure helping the children I have been with through the years. Fun and laughter in many of the things I have been able to experience. Thank you for the friendship and kindness from the staff at school. I will never forget my time at the school.

Mrs Dutton – thank you to all staff, parents and children for all your kindness and support during my time here. I shall be sad to leave our wonderful school community which has given me many special memories. I am looking forward to having time to enjoy my hobbies and family holidays and also hope to set up a knitting groups in school next year.

Mrs Pearce- it has been a real privilege to teach at CHPS over the past 28 years. I would like to thank all pupils, parents and colleagues (past and present) for making it such a pleasurable experience. I will miss you all very much.

Growth mindset quote

'You don't learn to walk by following rules. You learn by doing and by falling over.'
Richard Branson

Over and out!

Sally Haiselden