



# Chilham St Mary's CEP School Newsletter

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Dear Parents and Carers,

The half term break seems like a long time ago now but I do hope you all enjoyed it! We are definitely in full swing at school - everyone is working hard and there is much to be proud of. Chilham's Got Talent was a wonderful event on Thursday - the children were entertained by the variety of talent and skill in the morning and they all voted for their favourite acts. Then, in the afternoon, the families of the children who were taking part came to watch the show. What a treat it was - we really do have some very talented children! The 4 Puppeteers (Oscar, Henry, Zach and Eddie) came third, Ryan and his amazing gymnastics came second and, in joint first place, were Emily with her beautiful singing and Finley with his superb drumming. Our youngest performer and the first Wren to take part in the competition was Ryan - such a talented young gymnast. A really big thank you to all the children and staff involved in making this such a special event.

### **Sporting News from Mrs Keir**

Wow what a busy time of year and what a great celebration of sporting achievements!

#### **Chilham Chase**

We had a fantastic turn out for the Chilham Chase on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> May. It was a glorious day and everyone had a lovely time running through the grounds of the Castle. Well done to everyone who took part!

#### **Our Daily Mile**

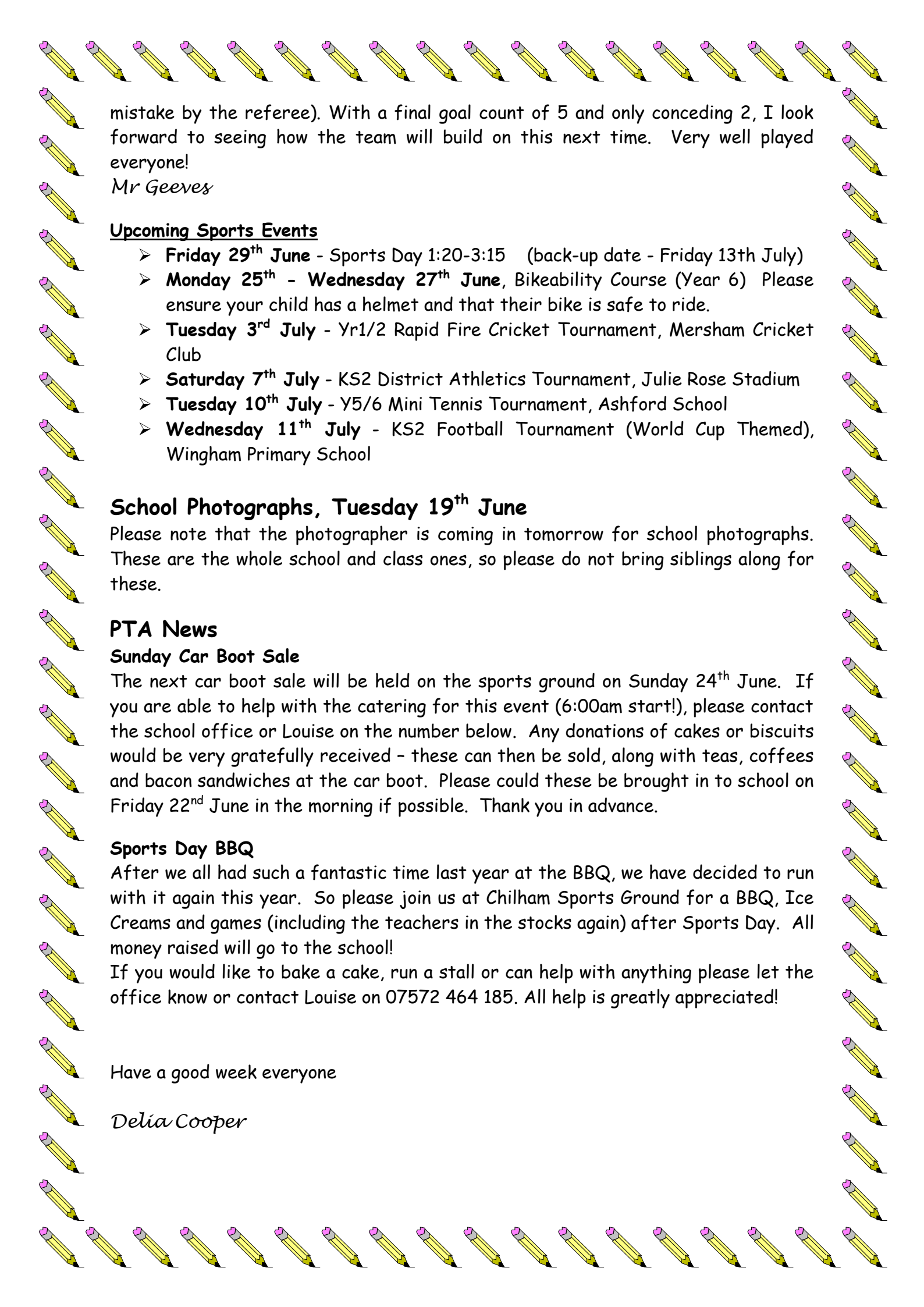
I am pleased to announce that all of our children are now adding to their weekly physical activity by taking part in the Daily Mile where we take a brisk walk around the block (twice round for KS2!) Keep marching Chilhamites!

#### **Kent College Athletics**

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> June saw our biggest ever turnout to a Kent College Athletics meet with 20 children competing in various track and field events. Great job everyone and thanks to all the parents that went along to cheer them on!

#### **5-a-side Football Tournament**

On Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> June we took 7 of our year 4 and 5 children to take part in a 5-a-side football tournament at The North School in Ashford. They all did the school proud, finishing second in our group and narrowly missing getting through to the semi finals. The tournament organiser was particularly impressed by the good grace displayed by the team when their semi final place was taken away (following a



mistake by the referee). With a final goal count of 5 and only conceding 2, I look forward to seeing how the team will build on this next time. Very well played everyone!

*Mr Geeves*

### Upcoming Sports Events

- **Friday 29<sup>th</sup> June** - Sports Day 1:20-3:15 (back-up date - Friday 13<sup>th</sup> July)
- **Monday 25<sup>th</sup> - Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> June**, Bikeability Course (Year 6) Please ensure your child has a helmet and that their bike is safe to ride.
- **Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July** - Yr1/2 Rapid Fire Cricket Tournament, Mersham Cricket Club
- **Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> July** - KS2 District Athletics Tournament, Julie Rose Stadium
- **Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> July** - Y5/6 Mini Tennis Tournament, Ashford School
- **Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> July** - KS2 Football Tournament (World Cup Themed), Wingham Primary School

### **School Photographs, Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> June**

Please note that the photographer is coming in tomorrow for school photographs. These are the whole school and class ones, so please do not bring siblings along for these.

### **PTA News**

#### **Sunday Car Boot Sale**

The next car boot sale will be held on the sports ground on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> June. If you are able to help with the catering for this event (6:00am start!), please contact the school office or Louise on the number below. Any donations of cakes or biscuits would be very gratefully received - these can then be sold, along with teas, coffees and bacon sandwiches at the car boot. Please could these be brought in to school on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> June in the morning if possible. Thank you in advance.

#### **Sports Day BBQ**

After we all had such a fantastic time last year at the BBQ, we have decided to run with it again this year. So please join us at Chilham Sports Ground for a BBQ, Ice Creams and games (including the teachers in the stocks again) after Sports Day. All money raised will go to the school!

If you would like to bake a cake, run a stall or can help with anything please let the office know or contact Louise on 07572 464 185. All help is greatly appreciated!

Have a good week everyone

*Delia Cooper*



## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY 2017/2018

<u>TERM 4</u>	<u>TERM 5</u>	<u>TERM 6</u>
<p><b><u>Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> February</u></b> Children return to school</p> <p><b><u>Monday 26<sup>th</sup> March</u></b> Easter Service at Chilham Church, 2pm</p> <p><b><u>Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> March</u></b> Parent Consultations 3.30pm - 6.30pm</p> <p><b><u>Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> March</u></b> Parent Consultations 3.30pm - 6.00pm</p> <p><b><u>Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March</u></b> <b>END OF TERM 4</b></p>	<p><b><u>Monday 16<sup>th</sup> April</u></b> Children return to school</p> <p><b><u>Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May</u></b> Open Afternoon for parents</p> <p><b><u>Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> May</u></b> <b>END OF TERM 5</b></p>	<p><b><u>Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> June</u></b> Children return to school</p> <p><b><u>Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> June</u></b> Y5 Parent Consultations (PESE- 11+)</p> <p><b><u>Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> June</u></b> School Photographs</p> <p><b><u>Friday 29<sup>th</sup> June</u></b> Sports Day (pm)</p> <p><b><u>Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> July</u></b> Peacocks Performance 6.00pm</p> <p><b><u>Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> July</u></b> Leavers' Assembly (pm)</p> <p><b><u>Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> July</u></b> <b>END OF TERM 6 AND ACADEMIC YEAR - 2PM</b></p>
<p><b><u>INSET Days 2017/2018 (Teacher Training Days)</u></b></p> <p>Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2018 Friday 5<sup>th</sup> January 2018 Monday 19<sup>th</sup> February 2018</p> <p>Friday 25<sup>th</sup> May Monday 4<sup>th</sup> June</p> <p><i>All dates are subject to change</i></p>		