

CHILTHORNE DOMER CHURCH SCHOOL

Together we Love, we Aim High and we Celebrate!

Newsletter 11 – June 2025



Our penultimate newsletter of the year – time is flying. It's been a busy term with sports day, school trips and visitors, shuffle up sessions to new classes and our lovely new reception children spending time with us. The weather has been kind too. Please do remember to make sure your child comes to school wearing sun cream, has a refillable water bottle and a sun hat.

A reminder that this term finishes on **Wednesday 23rd July at 1.30pm**. There is no after school club on this day.

Attendance

Our attendance for the year to date is 94.1% compared to 94.8% nationally. The year group with the highest attendance so far this year of 95.7% is **Year 6**.



Class structure for next year

The classes next year will be as follows:

Class	Year group	Teacher/s	Support staff
Ash Class	Reception	Mrs Carter and Mrs Stradling	Miss Dare Miss Wild
Beech Class	Year 1 and Year 2	Mrs Denley	Mrs Burt Miss Wild
Maple Class	Year 2 and Year 3	Mrs Cahill and Miss Creek	Miss Scott
Oak Class	Year 4 and Year 5	Mrs Startup	Mrs Abbott
Willow Class	Year 5 and Year 6	Mrs Bond and Mrs Richardson	Mrs White

INSET dates – 2025-2026

Our INSET days for 25-26 are available [on our website](#) – there has been one change since they were originally published. We will now have an INSET day on **Monday 15th June not Monday 8th June 2026** as advertised. This new date follows the confirmed Home Farm Festival for 2026. A much needed INSET day for many!

Break the rules day! 16th July 2025

The School Council are running a break the rules day - please see your attachments for a full size version of the poster! Sorry to all you football fans – wearing a football kit costs you double 😊.

Reading Raffle

A big thanks to the PTA for donating vouchers again for our reading raffle. The winners of last half term were as follows:

- 1st prize – Lilly
- 2nd prize – Jett
- 3rd prize – Reggie

COCS BREAK THE RULES DAY

Rules to be broken include:

1. Wear school uniform
2. School shoes only
3. Healthy break time snack only
4. Eat your lunch before your pudding
5. No squash or juice in water bottles
6. No crazy hair styles
7. No soft toys in school
8. No Make up/face paint/temporary tattoos
9. No nail varnish
10. No trading of card such as Pokemon/football cards

When?
Wednesday
16th July
2025

How does it work?
£1 for each rule you choose to break (£2 to wear football kit!) or £5 to break as many rules as you like.
The money raised will go to Children's Hospice South West who provide amazing support for our families

Doodle Summer Challenge

Please see the Parent PDF for more details!



The Doodle Summer Challenge
1st of July - 31st of August 2025

Well done to all of our children and their achievements:

Congratulations to all of our amazing children for achieving the following:

- **Evie T** - Martial Arts star of the week award
- **Rosie** – for all of her cadets success
- **Teah** - Stage 2 gymnastics award
- **Amelia and Lilly** - for amazing dancing in Disneyland, Paris
- **Eme, Florrie and Harper** – have all passed their ballet exams. Lots of distinctions
- **Lucas** – getting his 2nd stripe in Kickboxing and for being the student of the month
- **Violet** – for earning her two badges at rainbow
- **Alyssia** – successes in her recent gymnastics competition
- **Blossom** – for achieving her red belt in martial arts
- **Hallie, Grace, Alyssia, Connie, Amelia and Scarlett** – a great gymnastics summer show
- **Dexter** – swimming 50m and earning his award
- **Lily H** – passing stage two in swimming
- **Bodie G** – an amazing score in a recent penalty shootout at Millfield.

Well done to all of the following footballers for their achievements:

- **Jaylen** – Coaches player of the year
- **David** – Development award
- **Elissia** – Most dedicated footballer
- **Blossom** – top goal scorer
- **Adam** – Team Player of the Year
- **Taylor** – 2nd place at the Chelsea tournament
- **George** – got to play at Southampton!
- **Ilchester Hunters and Eddie** – recent Ilchester Tournament success
- **Taylor** – 2nd in a recent football tournament
- **Jett and the Predators** – winners in their age group of the Ilchester Tournament
- **Rocco and Freddie** – winners in their age group at the Ilchester Tournament



Holidays and trips



It's that time of the year when people are looking for and going on holidays and breaks. My plea to you is firstly to think carefully about the academic learning time your child is missing. I do absolutely appreciate the cost saving are a big part to play! But secondly, if you do decide to take your child/children out of school, please be honest with us about why. Children do tell us and their friends and we hear about all of their wonderful adventures so giving us an alternative reason for absence doesn't work. Please do speak to me ahead of making bookings and we can work together to find the right balance for both you and your family and your child's learning (and hopefully avoid a fine!). Thank you.

Reminders

- This term finishes on **Wednesday 23rd July at 1.30pm.**
- **Tea Time club phone number for collection**
Please call this number rather than ring the doorbell to collect your child from Tea-time club Monday to Friday - 07714523811

With very best wishes

Mrs Nichola Chesterton, Headteacher


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GET CREATIVE Decorate a bag
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READ AND LISTEN Explore our book corner
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Friday 20th June Yeovil Art Space, The Quedam
 3:30 - 5:30 pm Free

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Yeovil Family REFUGEE WEEK
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TECH & STEM CAMP

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Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5
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MICRO ROBOTS	COOL CODING	MOVIE MAKING	AUGMENTED REALITY	MINECRAFT ROCKETS
Take Home Inventions				
Electric	Conductive	Innovations	Aquatic	Wind

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for complete beginners up to age 12
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Summer Holidays 2025
Reception - Yr 7

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TIME: 10AM - 4PM

AGES: 5 - 18 YEARS

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