



**CHEADLE
HULME**
PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Weekly Newsletter

*'Preparing our children for a world we know
and a world yet to be discovered.'*

Pride Celebrations

During the month of June, the UK (along with many other countries around the world) celebrates Pride which is about acceptance, equality and celebration of the work of LGBTQ+ people.

The children joined together in assembly today to learn about Pride, alongside reading age-appropriate stories that encapsulate the values and attitudes of inclusion and an ongoing ambition and commitment to equality and diversity being celebrated, rather than being judged or suppressed.

Pride is not just a celebration, it is also a continued protest to challenge and change attitudes, behaviours and legislation - important work that is remembered and inspired by the Stonewall Riots of 1969 in America. Historical events such as this influenced the world we live in today, and whilst progress has been made, lots more can still be done. This is why celebrating events such as Pride are so important: they provide opportunities for our young people to learn, reflect and feel empowered to ensure the future world learns from the past.

Mr Thompson, Head of School



Parent Council

Thank you for providing Class Reps with feedback for this term's meeting, it was a really useful and productive conversation as we worked through each priority. Here are the headlines from the discussion:

- **Highlights from the year** - educational visits/visitors dominated this item on the agenda! It was great to hear how much has been valued by the children (and yourselves). The team are really grateful for your honest and positive feedback regarding these as so much effort goes into making them as great as we can do for the children, whilst also trying to balance costs that are passed on to families to make them possible.
- **Transition** - beyond the building excitement around which teacher will be in each year group next year, we discussed plans for transition day, open afternoon and sharing information about the year ahead with families. It was good to hear these events are valued by all as well as hearing some suggestions that will help you as parents/carers in preparing your children to adjust to the upcoming changes in their lives at school. As we prepare for the opening of our first Year 6 at CHPS, we also touched on the action plan in place to prepare for this as well as preparing pupils for transition to secondary school when the time comes.

As always, thank you to our Parent Councillors for collating feedback, engaging in the discussions and for representing so many views in an impartial way. We are really fortunate to have so many great people in our school community that want to work together to ensure the children get the absolute best experience and opportunities throughout their time with us at school!

Instagram

Remember that you can follow each year group's Instagram feed and enjoy seeing what life at Cheadle Hulme Primary School is like for your child/children. Our handles are:

[chps.preschool](https://www.instagram.com/chps.preschool) [chps.reception](https://www.instagram.com/chps.reception) [chps.year1](https://www.instagram.com/chps.year1) [chps.year2](https://www.instagram.com/chps.year2) [chps.year3](https://www.instagram.com/chps.year3) [chps.year4](https://www.instagram.com/chps.year4) [chps.year5](https://www.instagram.com/chps.year5)

Play with the Hallé

One of the highlights of the year is the amazing event at the Bridgewater Hall in which our Year 3-5 pupils, after receiving professional instrument tuition all year, perform alongside the Hallé Orchestra on ukulele, drums and wind instruments.



This is part of our commitment to the arts and giving the children opportunities to perform over the course of the year. They were all amazing yesterday both in terms of performance and behaviour and as ever we are very proud of them all!



Information / Reminders

Health and Safety: Look out for pedestrians

Please continue to drive slowly on site should you not be able to walk to/from school. There are a number of pedestrian crossings that must be treated with caution, priority and respect for pedestrians. The small few that continue to ignore requests and put our children/students at risk of potential harm may cause school and college leaders being left with no option but to restrict vehicle access to the site (with the exception of blue badge holders and school buses and staff cars).

CHPS PTA

Thank You to everyone that attended, supported and volunteered at our very first CHPS PTA Colour Run. It was a really fun day and your collective efforts raised an amazing **£2200!** Thank you to all of the event coordinators and to the impressive paint throwers who covered runners in a rainbow of colour that let the wider community know something brilliant had taken place on Saturday!

☀️ 1 week 'til the Summer Fair! ☀️

It's the final countdown to the summer fair. We have new games, and lots of exciting stalls, performances and attractions planned for the day – please bring your family and friends along!



Are you ready?

- 🎫 Have you got your tickets?
- 👤 Have you got your inflatables wristbands? (sorry grown ups, this is for the children!)
- ★ Can you help out for an hour on the day? Prize for the class with the most parent/carer helpers on the day!
- 🍰 Can you bake a cake? Prize for the best cake!
- 🏆 Do you have a Bottle Tombola donation for non-uniform day next Friday?

Book your early bird tickets and inflatables wristbands here: <https://www.pta-events.co.uk/chpspta> Pre-buying is cheaper and massively helps us with planning!

Dates for the Diary

28th Jun - Bottle Tombola Donations
(non-uniform)

29th Jun - Summer Fair

5th Jul - Sports Day, 1:30pm

The full overview of key dates for the year ahead can be found [here](#).