

The Cheddington Link 26th June 2026



We survived the heat!

My goodness, what a week - thank you so much to everyone who helped make this week go as smoothly as possible. We were so touched by how many parents and carers offered gazebos, fans, ice lollies and cold drinks for the school. It helped so much! The children have been amazing and I was so impressed with how well they all coped. Let's hope next week cools down a bit.

Events until the end of term

This is always the busiest half term in terms of the school calendar. Please see below for details and keep an eye on emails from teachers about individual year groups.

Sports Day photographs

Andy Sidders has uploaded the amazing photographs from Sports Day which are now available to buy from his website. If you haven't registered here is the link:

<https://gallery.andsiddersphotography.co.uk/-cheddington-school-2026/register>

Ice-cream Fridays

Ice-cream Fridays are back! If anyone is available to help any Friday this half term please [sign up to volunteer](#). It's great fun and we really appreciate the help.

Cheddington London Cup

Last Friday, children from years 5 and 6 represented the school in The Cheddington London Club. This opportunity arose as Childs Hill Farm connected us as they are not as fortunate to have the facilities we do here at Cheddington. Cheddington entered three teams while Childs Hill Primary entered 2 teams. As always, the children played with passion and showed great sportsmanship resulting in a fantastic afternoon of football. One of the Cheddington teams was crowned overall winners, while another team finished 3rd . We are hoping this is the start of many more opportunities as we are looking to host a range of fixtures for multiple year groups in a variety of sports. Well done to everyone involved!

Have a lovely weekend,

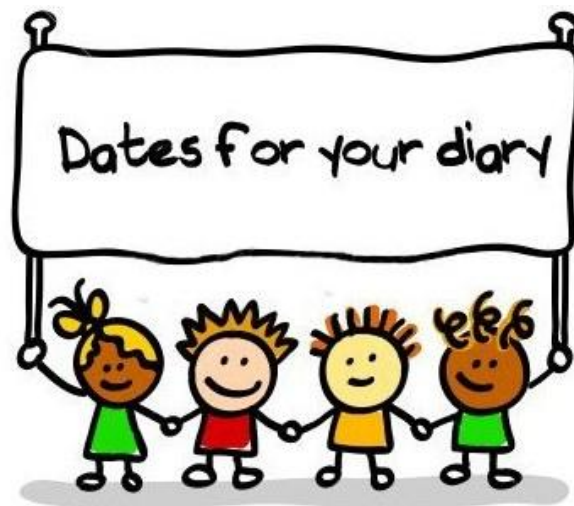
Mrs. Gilly Brown

Headteacher





Dates for your diaries:



Every week we will include a rolling list of up and coming dates for your diaries:

Wednesday 1st July Year 1 and 2 Whipsnade Zoo Trip

Friday 3rd July 2.45pm Year 5 rescheduled assembly

Tuesday 7th July Transition day for all classes

Monday 13th July Year 6 production at The Cottesloe School

Wednesday 15th July Year 3 Verulamium Trip

3.30 - 4.30pm Celebration of work event in classrooms

Monday 20th July 9am Governor HEART Awards assembly (by invitation)

Year 6 Leavers Assembly for Year 6 parents and carers - new time to be announced

Wednesday 22nd July Break up for Summer Holidays at 1.30pm

1.30pm PTA Colour Run on the track.

Thursday 3rd September Term starts for all children

Term dates for 2026 - 2027 are now available on the school website:

<https://www.cheddingtonschool.org/page/?title=Term+Dates&pid=29>

Learner of The Week

*Butterflies - Emily always shows **respect** to the adults and children in the class, listening and taking part in the lessons. As well as showing respect Emily also shows **teamwork** when building with the wooden blocks in class.*

*Lions - Layton for showing **excellence** in his learning, trying really hard in everything and also **teamwork**, in how well he has settled into the class.*

*Cheetahs - Elsie for always showing our **HEART** values in all aspects of her learning - you are a star Elsie!*

*Elephants - Rex for his **respectful** handling of Roman artefacts, helping to develop his and others understanding. Well done!*

*Tigers - Hattie has shown great **teamwork** at sports day and at all other times. She supported and encouraged others and also gave advice and demonstrated with kindness and patience. Well done Hattie!*

*Flamingos - Ruby shows such enthusiasm for her learning. She always shows the **HEART** values and has shown superb teamwork during Sports Day and in class. Well done Ruby!*

Giraffes - Josh for his curiosity shown in our history lessons on the World Wars, asking investigative questions as well as sharing his family history with roles played by members of his family in the War.



Photos of our learning this week...



































