



Message from Mrs Kinsley— Trip season has well and truly begun at Chatsworth, with Reception and Year 1 enjoying adventures to Godstone Farm and Hall Place this week. Year 2 are looking forward to their visit to Penshurst Place next week. Who knew you could fit so much into a four-day week! It was also lovely to drop into Year 2 this afternoon, where Mrs Brenchley was leading the children in a brilliant art activity, creating their own macaws to celebrate David's birthday. We can't wait to see the finished flock on display in the book corner! Thank you, as always, for your continued support. We hope you all have a lovely weekend.



SAFE Year 1 had a fantastic trip to Hall Place this week. The children travelled by bus and took part in a wonderful "How to Grow Your Garden" workshop. They loved exploring the gardens and learning more about plants and growing, and they represented the school brilliantly throughout the visit.



Please remember that children should not be taken out of school for days out, birthdays, or other non-essential activities during term time. Regular attendance is vital for your child's learning and progress, and we appreciate your support in ensuring they are in school every day.



Diary Dates

Mon 11th–Thurs 14th–Y6 SATs week at BOJ

Tues 12th May–Y2 trip to Penshurst Place

Reception vision/hearing/weight screening (Thursday too)

Mon 18th May–LEGO play session in Reception

Tues 19th May–Charity dress up day and PTA Spring disco

9–9.30–Phonics Screen Check briefing for Y1 parents–(details will be sent Monday)

Wed 20th May–Nursery walk to feed the ducks

KSI Football Tournament @ BOJ

Thurs 21st May–Harry Potter Nourish lunch

Fri 22nd May–break up for May half-term

Monday 1st June–INSET DAY

David Attenborough turns 100! Sir David Attenborough is very special to us at Chatsworth – that's why he is one of our Pioneers! We marked his special day with an assembly on Tuesday, followed by a range of activities in Forest School with Mrs Solly. Nursery children made mud birthday cakes with stick candles, while Reception created beautiful natural party hats. Year 1 and Year 2 will continue the celebrations on Monday, either in the Forest School area or on the playground, rounding off a very special week for a very special person. Happy Birthday, Sir David!



LET'S DANCE!

It's time for the Chatsworth **SPRING DISCO!**

Wear your favourite disco clothes for a charitable donation towards Darenth Valley Hospital

Tickets available via CIS PTA Events (snacks included!)

CIS Non-Uniform Day

Tuesday May 19th 3.15–4.15pm

£8 pp

DON'T MISS IT!

Nourish taster event



It was lovely to welcome families to our Nourish food taster event on Tuesday. The children enjoyed sharing the delicious selection on offer.



Thank you to Aimee from Nourish and our chef, Lisa, for hosting such a successful event.

Godstone Farm—Reception had a wonderful time on their trip to Godstone Farm this week. The children loved meeting the animals, exploring the farm, and taking part in lots of exciting outdoor activities. They were a credit to the school and represented Chatsworth beautifully throughout the day.

