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Dear Parents & Carers

It is always good to see the confidence with which our pupils do their work. Pupils recently took part in a Chulmleigh Music Academy Teachers Rock performance at Exeter Cathedral, there was a wonderful Christmas Concert that was well attended on Thursday and it was also great to see a number of our pupils involved in the recent Beaford production.

As usual, we will work until the last day of term, and we wish Year 11 the best of luck with their mock GCSE exams which will closely replicate the final exams. We know they are very well prepared and we are very pleased with their direction and trajectory.

As the start the final week of a busy term begins, I thank you for your continued support of the college.

This is the last Optime of 2023, and I would like to wish everyone a happy and peaceful Christmas, from everyone at Chulmleigh College. We have a wonderful school community, and it has been a fantastic term.

We look forward to seeing you all back on Wednesday 3rd January.

Michael Tonnon

Michael Johnson, Executive Headteacher

Diary dates...

DECEMBÉR

Mon 11—Thurs 14: Year 11 Mock **Fxams**

Thurs 14: School Nurse Drop-in 1.10-

Fri 15: Church Service 8.50am-12.50pm. Last day of term.

JANUARY

Weds 3: First day of term

Weds 3 - Fri 19: Year 11 Mock Exams

Mon 8 - Fri 12: Scholar Assemblies

Sun 14: Ten Tors 25 mile challenge Walk 4

Sat 27 - Sun 28: Ten Tors Camp 1 Year 10

FEBRUARY

Tues 6: Year 11 Mock Results

Thurs 8: Year 11 Parents Evening

Thurs 22: Year 9 Parents Evening

Mon 26: Year 7-10 Sports Team **Photos**

Mon 26 - Thurs 29: Scholar Assemblies

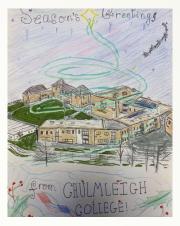
More dates and information can be found on our website calendar here.







Jack Andrew 7LG



Zachary Schofield 8SF

Christmas Card Design Winners!

Congratulations to this year's Christmas card winners, we have four wonderful designs selected from all of this year's excellent entries! A high standard of work by everyone! Well done to all who entered.



Ruby Chanter 7NN



Leila Hooper 7NM









On Sunday 26th November Sophie
Casavielle-Lacaze did her first Bremco
xc league race at Coxleigh Barton in
Barnstaple. She did not know what to
expect, when at the start line with many
North Devon club runners.

Sophie ran strong from start to finish and achieved a smashing 5th place out of a strong field of athletes.

The league runs once a month during the winter and is a well organised event.





Year 7 Girls Rugby Festival

On Friday 24th November, I took fifteen very eager Year 7 girls to Bideford RFC to take part in the Year 7 Girls Rugby Development Day. As the lead in Girls Rugby in Devon, we had 7 schools attend to have a taster to what rugby is all about. All the girls who attended from Chulmleigh had never done contact rugby apart from Jessica Madden who plays at Crediton RFC; Sienna French, Isabel Heath, Alexis Elder, Jasmine Lomax, Lucy Elston, Ellie Heywood, Tillie Vickery, Daisy Webber, Ruby Fryer, Scarlett Giddy, Grace Mogford, Matilda Mandeville and Seren Welch.

They spent the morning learning how to run forwards and pass backwards and we quickly moved on the contact element. Despite the chilly conditions and the mud, our Chulmleigh girls embraced it and got stuck in! The saying "though she might be but little, she is fierce"

can be said for many of our girls and I was blown away by their resilience and sheer determination. After lunch, we played some development games against other schools and Chulmleigh did very well. We weren't keeping scores as it was only development but the girls on the side-lines informed me that they won every game! Jessica was the captain and coached the girls throughout, giving them encouragement and confidence. Rudy Fryer was the whippet of the team and scored the most tries but all the girls put some great tackles and understood the game in such a short space of time! I was so proud of them. Many of them have now joined the girls' rugby club on Monday lunchtime's and have continued to get stuck in.

Mrs Markham





Primary Schools Cross Country Festival

On Friday 1st December, Chulmleigh College held their first Primary Schools Cross Country Festival. We had Chulmleigh Primary School and East Worlington come together to run our gruelling cross country route. Starting on Langley Field, up the newly tarmacked Langley Lane, around the netball courts, the sports centre, around the school and down and around the front field.

We hope to hold more festivals throughout the year, that bring the Primary Schools from the Academy together. It's great to see them and to experience a taste of the secondary school.

Well done to the top 3 students for the girls race and the boys race:

Girls:

1st Lilia Casavielle Lacaze (Chulmleigh)

2nd Maddie Shere (East Worlington) 3rd Lottie Phillips (Chulmleigh)

Boys:

1st Elliott Defew (Chulmleigh) 2nd Joseph Snell (Chulmleigh) 3rd Harvey Snell (Chulmleigh)



Netball Season 2023

This year, netball training has been very popular, with more girls attending than any other year, which was wonderful to see. This season has consisted of two league nights and a separate fixture against South Molton. A league night consists of up to 4 matches against the following schools: Ilfracombe, Braunton, Pilton, Park, Great Torrington, South Molton and Bideford. It has been fantastic to witness the improvement of our teams this year, especially the year 10s, who have played the best netball that I have seen them play over the last 4 seasons! It has been a successful season,

with some great results. Well done to all the girls who came to training and competed for the school.

League results:

Year 8 - 4th

Year 9 - 7th

Year 10 - 6th

Year 11 - 3rd





Sparx XP Top 20 Weekly Leaderboard

1	Emily Lewis	8620
2	Ellie Hearson-Burnell	7440
3	Kayla Narramore	5000
4	Jamie Ellicott	2589
5	Ruairi Homan	2363
6	Sammy Cheriet	1791
7	Izzy Galea	1730
8	Charlotte Dallyn	1574
9	Jas Llewellyn	1542
10	Mae Purkiss	1520
11	Jasmine Lomax	1499
12	Adelaide Langley	1498
13	Zak Cheriet	1470
14	Ellie Heywood	1465
15	Max El-Marazki	1459
16	Chloe Bannister	1455
17	Emily Vowden	1365
18	Lily Howarth	1355
19	Ryan Snell	1350
20	Sonya Komendiak	1250

Levelled Up! 10,000 XP to level up.

Levels 1 - 5 Too many to mention this week but special mention to the Year 7's who got to Level 1 (Gracie Cooke, Ellie Hearson-Burnell and Oli Upright)

Level 6 - Mercedes Grossett, Chloe Bourne, George Cook, Callum Jackson and Oliver Smith

Level 7 - Jamie Crump, Daniel Charman, Gracie Goddard, Samson Barry and Kayla Narramore

Level 9 - Charlotte Dallyn

Level 11 - Emily Lewis Level 13 - Alfie Jones

Level 16 - Mae Purkiss



CHOOSE AND CUT CHRISTMAS TREES

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OPEN FRIDAYS, SATURDAYS AND SUNDAYS



Fri 24th, Sat 25th & Sun 26th Nov Fri 1st, Sat 2nd & Sun 3rd Dec Fri 8th, Sat 9th & Sun 10th Dec Fri 15th, Sat 16th, Sun 17th Dec 9.30am - 3.30pm

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Uniform

If your child has outgrown their uniform, we would be very grateful for any blazers, jumpers, trousers, skirts, rugby tops, polo shirts etc. Please drop them in to Reception.

If you would like to buy any preloved uniform, please use this form to request it. Thank you!

Struggling to top up your prepayment meter?

You might be able to claim fuel vouchers

If you have prepayment meters and can't afford to top them up, we can help. We may be able to give you fuel vouchers, and our specialist energy team can help you find ways to save money on your household bills

Call 01237 879233, email fuelvouchers@ruraldevoncab.org.uk or scan the QR code to request a call back



Rotary Young Photographer Competition 2023/2024

This year's theme is 'Rebuilding', and there are a number of topics and photographs which can be related to it, giving a

broad range of photograph opportunities.

The winner in each category of the local round will receive a voucher worth £30, and will then go forward to the regional round. The deadline for entries is Friday 12th January 2024.

Please send digital entries to Roger Pennington,

Crediton

Boniface Rotary Club, via email roger@copphouse.com.

The entry form is available here and the information pack here.









Parent Programmes

Devon County Council are running a free four-week programme for families of children and young people who are currently on the autism assessment pathway, as well as families of children and young people who have received an autism diagnosis. It gives families an opportunity to develop their understanding of autism, looks at practical solutions to managing and supporting children and young people's

needs. It also offers the opportunities for parents and carers to connect with other families. This core programme provides an overview of autism, communications needs, understanding and supporting behaviour and sensory needs.

To sign up for the programme, click <u>here</u> and it will direct you to the correct page.

Autism and Us parent programme (four week course)

Attending the Autism and Us parent programme gives you an opportunity to develop your understanding of autism and look at practical solutions to managing and supporting your child's presenting needs.

The programme is made up of four weekly 'live online' sessions (each approximately two hours long) related to the following topics or themes:

Spring 2024 term	Programme 1 (mornings)	Programme 2 (late afternoon)
Autism overview	Tuesday 16 January, 10am to 12pm	Thursday 29 February, 4.30pm to 6.30pm
Communication	Tuesday 23 January, 10am to 12pm	Thursday 7 March, 4.30pm to 6.30pm
Understanding and supporting behaviour	Tuesday 30 January, 10am to 12pm	Thursday 14 March, 4.30pm to 6.30pm
Sensory	Tuesday 6 February, 10am to 12pm	Thursday 21 March, 4.30pm to 6.30pm







JOIN US



Job Vacancies at Trust Schools

Trust Board - Director

Lapford Primary - Teaching Assistant

Chulmleigh College - Catering Assistant

Caretaker & Cleaner - East Worlington

COST OF LIVING SUPPORT Struggling to make ends meet?

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- FREE CC School Uniform
- FREE children's clothing
- FREE food parcels

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- *Browse available items, or we can deliver
- *Uniformitems include sports kit & footwear

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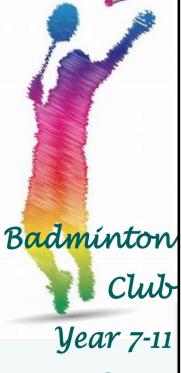
Tony Rockey, Team Rector 01769 581712



6:30-7:30

Chulmleigh

Sports hall



All abilities welcome

£3 per session

John Down 07971642162



Extra-Curricular Activities Autumn Term 2023



All activities take place at lunchtime unless otherwise indicated

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Quiet reading The Ivor Marsh Library	Quiet reading The Ivor Marsh Library	Quiet reading The Ivor Marsh Library	Quiet reading The Ivor Marsh Library	Quiet reading The Ivor Marsh Library
Accelerated Reader book quizzes The Ivor Marsh Library	Accelerated Reader book quizzes The Ivor Marsh Library	Accelerated Reader book quizzes The Ivor Marsh Library	Accelerated Reader book quizzes The Ivor Marsh Library	Accelerated Reader book quizzes The Ivor Marsh Library
Computing Club All Years ITT (LT)	Maths Sparx Support Sessions MI (MG)	Maths Sparx Support Sessions M4 (AC)	Homework Support Club All Years IT1 (LT)	Maths Sparx Support Sessions M5 (JC)
Maths Sparx Support Sessions M6 (WW)	Drama Club Year 9 Drama Room (SF)	History GCSE Revision/drop-in Y11 1.15-1.40pm H5 (JH) (Wk1 & 2)	Maths Sparx Support Sessions M2 (JH, JB)	Comic Club All Years S3 (LM)
History GCSE Revision/drop-in Y10 1.15-1.40pm H5 (JH) (Wk1 & 2)	GCSE Drama Open Studio Drama Studio (SF)	GCSE Drama Open Studio Drama Studio (SF)	Games/Peer Support Wkl Year 7 & 8 A1 (SC)	GCSE Drama Open Studio Drama Studio (SF)
GCSE Drama Open Studio Drama Studio (SF)	Art & Textiles Open Studio Year 10 & 11 A1 (SC)	CMAc All Years Heywood Hall (JC) AFTER SCHOOL	Politics Club All Years S3 (LM)	Computer Gaming Clul Years 7-9 IT2 (TJ)
Games/Peer Support Wk I Year 7 & 8 H5 (JH)	Chess Club All Years, all levels I.20pm LI (CP)	Dungeons & Dragons Year 9-11 E2 (RG)	GCSE Drama Open Studio Drama Studio (SF)	Youth Speaks (Public Speaking) All Years Heywood Hall (LMM)
GCSE Art & Design Open Studio T I (DH)	Boys' Football Year 9 Field (DH)	Warhammer Club 1.10-2pm S3	Dungeons & Dragons After School Year 9-11 E2 (RG)	Composer Club Y9 Music Room (JC) (invitation only)
STEM Lego Robotics Club T4 (TJ)	Netball Club Year 9 & 10 Netball Courts (VB/BN)	GCSE Art & Design Open Studio TI (DH)	Art Club Years 7,8 & 9 T I (SC/DH)	Skittles Club (LGBTQI+ All Years E5 (BH)
Boys' Football Year 7 Field (DH)	Badminton Club Year 7 & 8 Sports Hall (GM)	Orchestra All Years Music Room (JC)	Colouring Club E7 (KB) WkI only	Dante Club H4 (RB)
Netball Club Year 7 & 8 Netball Courts (GM/VB)		Art & Textiles Open Studio Year 10 & 11 A1 (SC)	Boys' Rugby Year II Field (GM)	Girls' Football Years 9, 10 & 11 MUGA (DH)
Basketball Club All Years Sports Hall (SF)		Boys' Rugby Year 7 Field (GM)	Boys' Football Year 10 Field (SF)	Netball Shooting Workshop All Years Netball Courts (Coach & GM)
Weights Club Years 9-11 Gym (PC)		Boys' Football Year 8 Field (DH)	Badminton Years 9 & 10 Sports Hall (DH)	Ten Tors Year 10 PE Classroom (SF) Wk1 only
Sports/Outdoo	or Education	Weights Club Year 10 & 11 Gym (VB) Wk 1 only	Running Club All Years Meet at Sports Hall (CS)	Just Dance Year 7 Sports Hall (Y9 & prefect)
Academic Stud	ies	Badminton Club Year Sports Hall (VB) Wk only	Chulmleigh Ten Tors 25-mile Year 8 H2 (AW) Wk1 only	Weights Club Year 8 & 9 Gym (PC)
Expressive Arts	s/Pupil Clubs	Duke of Edinburgh Years 9-11 PE Classroom (SF)		



Register for The Wellbeing Hub For ages 10-13







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This week (11th December) on The Wellbeing Hub

December's Theme: Friendships

This week's bonus content:

<u>Blog: Nurturing friendships</u>

A guide for parents and carers by Elizabeth Cole, Author of the 'World of Kids Emotions' and 'My Way' book series





This week (13th December, 6:30pm) on The Wellbeing Hub

This week's content:

<u>Webinar: Friendships and Relationships</u>

with Alicia Drummond, BACP Accredited Therapist and
Founder of The Wellbeing Hub.

We encourage our parents and pupils to register with The Wellbeing Hub, which is designed by experts to meet the social, emotional and educational needs of young people.

There are different programmes for pupils aged between 10-13 (see details on the left) and for those age 13+, (on the right).

Simply scan the QR code to register.



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Ballpoint Pen	10p	Compass	40p
Pencil	10p	Purple Pen (for response to marking	g) 30p
Eraser	10p	Book Wallets	30p
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30cm Ruler	30p	Revision Study Cards	90p

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Exam Case

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clear pencil case containing 2 black ballpoint pens, pencil, eraser, pencil sharpener, highlighter pen and 30cm ruler



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CHULMLEIGH ACADEMY TRUST School Terms and Holiday Dates - 2023/2024 Academic Year

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Bank Holidays

25 December 2023 26 December 2023 01 January 2024 29 March 2024 (Good Friday) 01 April 2024 (Easter Monday) 06 May 2024 (May Day) 27 May 2024 (Spring Bank Holiday) 26 August 2024 (Summer Bank Holiday)

to be determined by the Board of Directors

Non-Pupil Days

Occasional Holidays

Two days selected from within the term dates to be determined by the Board of Directors

Five days selected from within the term dates









PRICE

LIST

MAIN MEAL	£2.10	PIZZA PIN WHEEL	£1.20
MEAL DEAL	£2.53	PITTA PIZZA	£1.20
(MAIN MEAL AND HOME BAKE)		SOUP AND ROLL	£1.10
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