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Term Dates:

Welcome back! This is a 6-week half term. With term recommencing on Monday 7th June, and we break up for the Summer Holidays on Friday 16th July at 12.10pm. There will be no Lunch Bunch session at Chearsley on the last day of term and no afternoon session in Haddenham. Copies of the term dates for 2021/22 have been issued to all those children staying at CHUF for the academic year commencing in September. Further copies of CHUF's term dates for the whole year can be viewed on our website: https://www.chuf.co.uk/data/documents/Term-Dates-2021_22.pdf

Goodbye and Good Luck

As the academic year comes to an end, we would like to say goodbye and good luck to all the CHUF children leaving this summer to start big school in September. We hope that you have enjoyed your time at CHUF, and we will miss you all! We wish you the very best in your new school, and if you ever want to pop back to say 'Hello' we would love to see you!

Snack Donations

Please can we remind Parents and Carers that we welcome healthy snack donations such as fruit, veg and cheese etc, for sharing at snack time or alternatively a small donation can be left with any of the staff at drop off or pick up. Thank you so much!

The Haddenham Scarecrow Festival

The Haddenham Association of Scouts and Guides is once again organising the village Scarecrow Festival, now in its sixth year. The Association is challenging the community to create Scarecrows of all shapes and sizes, to be displayed throughout Haddenham from Saturday 5th June, until Monday 21st June. Haddenham CHUF is again taking part and our entry '**Cherry Blossom**' **the CHUF Unicorn** can be found next to the church lych gates next to the pond. Trail maps will be available from 5th to 21st June both online and at village outlets (venues tbc see [haddenham.net](https://www.haddenham.net/)) in return for a donation to Florence Nightingale Hospice Charity. There will be an opportunity for everyone to vote for their three favourites. Details about how to do this will be published nearer the time on <https://www.haddenham.net/>. The three most popular Scarecrows will receive a special award and all scarecrow designers will receive a personalised 'Certificate of Participation'. Please do come and visit our scarecrow and take part in the trail it's a great way to explore the village and see some what the creative people and organisations of Haddenham have conjured up!

Up-cycling Dolls House Project at Chearsley

Calling all artistic Mum's, Dad's, friends or family! We have a super wooden dolls house in Chearsley which we would love to keep on using for years to come but it's looking a bit worse for wear and could definitely do with an injection of colour /creativity! Would you or someone you know be willing to share your artistic talents and help CHUF by breathing some life back into an unloved dolls house? The staff and children would be delighted if you were able to help at all! If this sounds like a project right up your street (Excuse the pun) please speak to either Emma or Karen (The Chearsley Supervisors) at drop off or pick up. Thank you so much!

Fundraising Purchases:

We are delighted to let you know that the following purchases have been made with monies raised from our fundraising during the course of the year. In Chearsley we have purchased:

Craft resources

Books

Table for the role play area

In Haddenham we have purchased:

Sensory table

Foam bricks

Forest phones

The children in both settings are really benefiting from your amazing support, it's much appreciated. Thank you!

Reminders for Chearsley & Haddenham CHUF Children

Please can we ask Parents and Carers to bring in a labelled water bottle at the beginning of each session in Chearsley, which will be kept in your child's tray.

The staff at both settings would also like to suggest where possible that bags that are brought into, or left in the setting are as small as possible as we are finding that some of the children's bags are covering the pegs of those either side of them, and in some cases there is just no room on the peg for all the child's belongings which leads to items being more easily displaced etc. A bag such a drawstring bag would be ideal if you have one available? We fully appreciate that bags can be expensive so therefore please do not go out and specifically purchase a new bag, but if you have an alternative to hand that you are able to use that would be great. Please note all bags and contents should be labelled.

Haddenham Bikes and Scooters Reminder

Please can we remind Parents and Carers of Haddenham CHUF children that any scooters or bikes brought to the setting need to be taken home with you after dropping your child off at CHUF's, and brought back down at pick up time should you wish too. We are really sorry but we are no longer able to store these during session times at the side of the CHUF building as they are a potential trip hazard on an important pathway that leads to and from the school. We are also unable to store these on our patio or orchard area due to the lack of space and understandably the children often want to use the bikes and scooters that do not belong to them. We appreciate your understanding and co-operation. Many Thanks.

Last Week of Terms Activities

Just to confirm that the details for our last week of term have yet to be finalised. But please note we will be in touch to let you know our plans as soon as we can. We are however able to confirm that both settings will finish for the summer on **Friday 16th July at 12.10pm**. Therefore, there will be **no Lunch Bunch session in Chearsley this day and no afternoon session in Haddenham**. Many thanks.

CHUF AGM

CHUF's AGM will be held in Chearsley Village Hall on Tuesday 6th July at 8pm. More details to follow.

Family Early Learning Courses Available in June

Please find attached a link below to a list of courses available in June for parents & carers run by Adult Learning. The focus is supporting parents with transitions, well-being and having a healthy lifestyle.

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Payment of Fee's

Payment of fee monies are welcomed in cash, cheque (Made payable to Chearsley & Haddenham Under 5's), or by internet payment into our Lloyds account as follows:

Sort Code: 30-98-56

Account Number: 00503068

Account Name: Chearsley & Haddenham Under 5's

Please can we remind you that payments should be annotated, in the space provided to quote what and whom the payment is in respect of, e.g. Joe Bloggs Fees 1st Half Autumn. Without these details it is exceptionally hard to match up payments with monies outstanding, and this leads to people being chased for payment unnecessarily. Payments should be made within two weeks of being billed.

The Staff at CHUF

Anne Barker -Manager, Child Protection Officer, Sally Smith- Administrator,
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Behaviour Co-ordinator (Ch), Debbie Fleetwood- Supervisor (H),
Kasia Kowalska- Supervisor (H), Debbie Turvey (Ch), Su Smith (Ch),
Lauren Godfrey (Ch),Donna Eldred (Ch), Lauren Rowe (Ch), Fiona Distin (H),
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