



### **Term Dates:**

Welcome back! This is a 7-week half term. With term recommencing on Monday 3rd June 2019, and we break up for the Summer Holidays on Friday 19th 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 2019/20 have been issued to all those children who are 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: [www.chuf.co.uk](http://www.chuf.co.uk).

### **CHUF Summer Party**

As many of you will be aware from the email and flyer you will have received this year's CHUF Summer Party will be on Saturday 22nd June from 2-5pm at Chearsley Village Hall. This year's party is 'Wild West' themed, and fancy dress is encouraged! Ticket prices are: children aged 1-2 years £3 and over 2's £5 each, Adults and children under the age of 1 are free. Ticket prices include a bouncy castle, treasure hunt, entertainment from Char Char Chimps, face painting, crafts, games and a child's soft drink.

There will also be a live country band, cake and food stalls, a tombola, raffle and a bar for the adults. Tickets are available online using the following link or can be bought on the gate on the day:

<https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/chuf-chearlsey-and-haddenham-under-fives/t-dxeead>

We do hope you can support this event, and look forward very much to seeing you there.

Monies raised from the Summer Party will go towards more equipment for both our fantastic settings.

### **CHUF AGM**

The CHUF AGM will be on Thursday 11th July at 7.45 pm at Cheersley Village Hall. Everyone is welcome, we'd love to see you there. The address for Cheersley Village Hall is:

Winchendon Road

Chearsley

Aylesbury

Bucks

HP18 0DP

### **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 in the donation tin next to the fruit basket in both settings. 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 fourth year. The Association is challenging the community to create Scarecrows of all shapes and sizes, to be displayed throughout Haddenham from Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> June, during the "Bucks Arts Weeks" until Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> June. Haddenham CHUF is again taking part and our entry 'All aboard the CHUF train' can be found next to the church gates next to the pond. The 2019 Scarecrow Festival will be launched at Haddenham Fete, where Scarecrow Trail maps will be available in return for a £1 donation. Trail maps will also be available at other local outlets after the Fete. Please check [haddenham.net](http://haddenham.net) for details nearer the time. 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!

## **Messages for CHUF**

Please can we politely remind Parents and Carers that Facebook and the EyLog are not meant to be used as a primary source of sending messages about attendance etc for the CHUF Ladies. Please can you either call the setting your child attends (Cheersley 01844 201858, or Haddenham 01844 299123) during session hours, speak to any of the CHUF Ladies in the setting or email: [info@chufpreschool.co.uk](mailto:info@chufpreschool.co.uk). Please do note that our email is not monitored all the time, so if you require a definite quick response please call your child's setting. Many thanks, we appreciate your understanding and co-operation. Many Thanks.

## **HMRC Tax Free Childcare Scheme**

As per the email we issued shortly before half term we are pleased to confirm that CHUF is now registered to accept payments via the HMRC Tax Free Childcare Scheme. To find out more about the scheme and if you are eligible please visit the HMRC Website: <https://www.gov.uk/get-tax-free-childcare>.

If you are eligible and have signed up to use the scheme, to make payments you will need to search for CHUF under our Cheersley setting using the following details:

Chearsley & Haddenham Under Fives Pre-School

Chearsley Village Hall

Winchendon Road

Chearsley

Aylesbury

Bucks

HP18 0DP

Ofsted Registration Number: 140832

CHUF as advised by HMRC are only registered under our Cheersley address so if you search for our Haddenham setting we will not come up as being registered to accept payments. Any queries please email: [info@chufpreschool.co.uk](mailto:info@chufpreschool.co.uk).

## **Paper Plea.....**

Do you have any spare paper from your office or home after a clear out? If so Cheersley CHUF would be really grateful for it, for the children to draw and write on as well as for craft activities. It doesn't matter if the paper has logo's on it or is not A4 size. Thank you so much for your support and generosity.

## **Cuddington & Dinton School Visit for Chearsley CHUF Leavers**

Those children leaving Chearsley CHUF in July and who have accepted a place at Cuddington & Dinton School from September, will be invited to school along with some of the CHUF ladies on Wednesday 19th June from 9.30am to 12.00pm. A letter regarding the arrangements for this visit will be issued via your child's basket shortly. A normal CHUF session will be running in Chearsley on the day for those not leaving CHUF, or for those who will be attending other schools.

## **Cheque Payments to CHUF**

We have been advised by our bank that in the near future they will no longer accept cheques made payable to an acronym such as CHUF. Therefore, if at all possible can any future cheques for fee's etc be made payable to: **Chearsley & Haddenham Under 5's** which is our full account name. Payments can also be made in cash or by bank transfer (Please see the bottom segment of this newsletter which details how to make an online payment), we also accept a variety of Childcare Voucher Schemes, to use one of these to make payment please email: [info@chufpreschool.co.uk](mailto:info@chufpreschool.co.uk) to check that it is a scheme we are registered with and we will be able to give you our unique reference code which you will need to quote when making payment.

## **Plea for New Committee Members**

We need some new committee members for the next academic year! We welcome people just to give what time they can and attend meetings, but several roles including that of the 'Chair' all need filling next year. No background experience is necessary- all that you need is enthusiasm and to attend a few meetings- we meet formally twice a term for approximately 2 hours and have an AGM in July. The Manager and staff do all the hard work! The Pre-school relies on us Parents and Carers as volunteers to make it extra special. We want to do everything we can to ensure that CHUF remains a not-for-profit organisation as it provides such a fantastic affordable provision of pre-school education to the community. Joining the committee is a great way to get involved in that community , meet new people and can provide a lot of personal satisfaction and learning. If you are interested in joining the committee please could you email: [info@chufpreschool.co.uk](mailto:info@chufpreschool.co.uk) before **27th June**. We would love to hear from you.

The CHUF Committee

## **Last Week of Terms Activities**

### **Haddenham:**

**Monday 15th July** Am/Pm Normal CHUF Session

**Tuesday 16th July** Am/Pm Normal CHUF Session

**Wednesday 17th July** Am/Pm Normal CHUF Session

**Thursday 18th July** Am End of Year Party (All Am/Pm Children Invited- Letter to follow),  
Pm - Normal Session

**Friday 19th July** Am Normal Session to encompass Leavers Assembly at 11am (All  
Leavers and Parents invited- Letter to Follow). **CHUF closes for the Summer at 12.10pm**  
**(No Afternoon Session)**

### **Chearsley:**

**Monday 15th July** Am/Pm Normal CHUF Session

**Tuesday 16th July** Am Normal CHUF Session

**Wednesday 17th July** Am End of Year Party (All Am/Pm Children Invited - Letter to  
follow), Pm - Normal Session

**Thursday 18th July** Am/Pm Normal CHUF Session

**Friday 19th July** Am Normal Session, **CHUF closes for the Summer at 12.10pm (No**  
**Lunch Bunch Available)**

## **Payment of Fees**

Payment of Fee monies are welcome in cash, cheque (Made payable to Chearsley & Haddenham Under 5's) or 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 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

Cheri Mackey- Supervisor (Ch), Debbie Fleetwood- Supervisor (H),

Karen Elder- Supervisor (Ch), Kasia Kowalska- Supervisor (H), Nikki Lucas- Supervisor & SENCO (H),  
Debbie Turvery- (CH), Su Smith- (Ch), Karen Ford- (Ch), Fiona Distin- (H), Jen Akehurst- (H),  
Emma Deere- Child Protection Officer, Behaviour Co-ordinator & SENCO (Ch),  
Sara Heap- SENCO (H), Sarah Wassall (H), Anna Rashid (Ch), Laura Stockwell (H).

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Chearsley Village Hall  
Winchendon Road  
Chearsley, Buckinghamshire HP18 0DP  
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