

Chessington Community College

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Welcome back to another exciting school year at Chessington!

It has been an excellent start to the new school year. The highlight of which has been seeing so very many new Year 7 students joining us with big smiles on their faces. Personally I am always eager to get back and see all of our children and so this is one of my favourite times of the year. They have all returned eager to do well and get involved in the opportunities they have at the school. The last two weeks have been great and I'm looking forward to the months ahead this year.

I was happy to see so many of our students do so very well in their GCSEs. As a school we continue to strive forward with these very pleasing results as well as some excellent individual performances. Our progress continues to be a real success with progress 8 and attainment 8 looking to be better than national average again. Staff and Students at Chessington worked tirelessly, in the midst of myriad changes nationally. This has certainly paid off. All of our students performed well but particular congratulations to Leah Christmas (all 9s and A Stars), Lucy Rattue (As across the board) Lauren Ridpath (a mix of A and A star grades), Rosie Shippham (a mix of A and A star grades) Farah Elmaarfi (outstanding progress 8 scores) and to Harry Letheren (excellent

progress).

Now looking forward to the year ahead, I hope that you as parents, prospective parents or interested members of the Chessington community come in to pay us a visit. We have coffee mornings, fireworks displays and parent information evenings coming up soon so please do take the opportunity to come in to our school. On Thursday 28 September we have our Open Evening and I invite all members of our local community to visit us from 18:15 on that evening.

As always, do not hesitate to come in and see me. My door is always open.

Mr A Ali, Headteacher

Parent clinics and conversations

A reminder that every Thursday I will be available from 1700—1800 for parent clinics. These are an opportunity to meet, discuss the school and for you to feedback to me, should you want to. Should you wish to book a 20 minute slot here, please contact Elaine Opie eopie1@ccc.rbksch.org or call the school on 020 8974 1156. If you can't make that time then do let us know of a more convenient time for you.

Coming up...

Thursday 28 September	Students finish at 12:30pm School Open Evening—6:15pm
Friday 29 September	Students start at 10:40am Year 10 & 11 College Fair for parents and students
Thursday 5 October	Parents information evening
Friday 6 October	Macmillan Coffee Morning
Friday 20 October	6pm—BBQ and Fireworks night



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Year 7 Welcome BBQ

Miss Rutledge

The BBQ was a very popular and enjoyable event to be at. It was lovely to see so many Year 7 students turn up with parents, other extended family members, and siblings to join us at the back of the school for our annual new starter BBQ. While staff and parents socialised, Year 7s and their younger siblings got involved in football on the MUGAs and playing in the Piglets garden. The atmosphere was a happy and friendly one, with many questions answered. The Year 7 Form team and I look forward to working closely with the parents and carers of the new Year 7s to ensure that their start at Chessington is the best it can be!



ClassCharts for parents

ClassCharts is a useful app that parents can use to track behaviour and see homework set at school. Teachers log both negative and positive points throughout the day for things such as: no homework, lateness, kindness, answering questions and good progress! They can also add extra comments activities they have shown good participation in and reasons for detentions.

If you have not received your parent logon yet please contact the school and we will be able to give it to you along side instructions for setting up your account. The app can be downloaded on both Apple and Android phones!

PE CLUBS

Afterschool 3:00pm to 4:00pm

Monday	Girls Netball
Tuesday	Boys Football
Wednesday	Dance
Thursday	Basketball
Friday	None

Extra-Curricular Timetable

Mrs Ford

A 'Clubs Fair' was hosted on Friday at lunch time to show students the clubs that are on offer to them this year!

The complete Extra-Curricular timetable will soon be published on the school website for parents to see, this will include details of who is running the club and when. You will be able to find it in the 'Calendar' section of our website.

For now please see a brief timetable of the PE clubs that have already started.

Proximity Cards

All students should now have working proximity cards or linked oyster cards to the school's catering system, allowing them to purchase food in the canteen. This will allow students to top up their card with cash in school or for parents to top up online via the School Gateway app. If your child does not have a working proximity/oyster card to use in school, please contact the school office to request one.

Open Evening at Chessington Community College Thursday 28 September 2017 – 6:15pm to 9:00pm

Prospective students and parents are warmly invited to attend our open evening this year. Please come along to discuss with teachers and students, the opportunities that are awaiting new students, and see for yourself what a great school you have here in Chessington.

All absences should be reported to
Mrs Kerly (Attendance Officer) on 020 8974
1156 Ext: 207

By text on: 020 3137 6796
By email: SC3144006a@schoolcomms.com



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College and Apprenticeship Fair — 29 September

Parents of Year 10 and 11 students are warmly invited to our College and Apprenticeship Fair on Friday 29th September from 1:30 to 3:00pm. This will be a great chance to hear from local colleges and start those all important conversations with your children about their next steps after Chessington. Doors open at 1.20pm for a prompt start at 1.30pm, see you there!

Our Attendance Best Tutor Groups

Year 7	7CLs	100.0%
Year 8	8SHn	98.6%
Year 9	9BCe	98.3%
Year 10	10AFy	96.7%
Year 11	11TSs	99.0%

Piglet Pre-School Sarah Bettinson

We would like to say a massive thank you to everyone at Chessington Community College particularly Mr Moralee and Mr Ali for all their support throughout the transition. All staff children and parents are loving their new nursery. We have been made to feel so welcome by everybody in the school, and we are so impressed with the behaviour of your children in and around the school. We look forward to our future here with you all.



Update from Lower School:

Miss Rutledge

Welcome back to the Lower School, it is nice to see all of your smiling faces again. I hope everyone had a fabulous summer, and is ready for term 1 of school life. Year 7 have settled in very well and have had a great first week. Year 9 have begun their elective options and some are working towards GCSEs. It is the beginning of a promising year!



Chessington PTA notice of AGM



To be held at 7:00pm on Monday 25 September at Chessington Community College, Garrison Lane, Chessington, KT9 2JS

All Parents/Carers, Governors and Staff welcome

Please email pta@ccc.kingston.sch.uk for further information

PLEASE KEEP US UP TO DATE WITH YOUR CONTACT DETAILS

including email addresses and mobile numbers. It is vital that we are able to contact you at all times, particularly in an emergency.

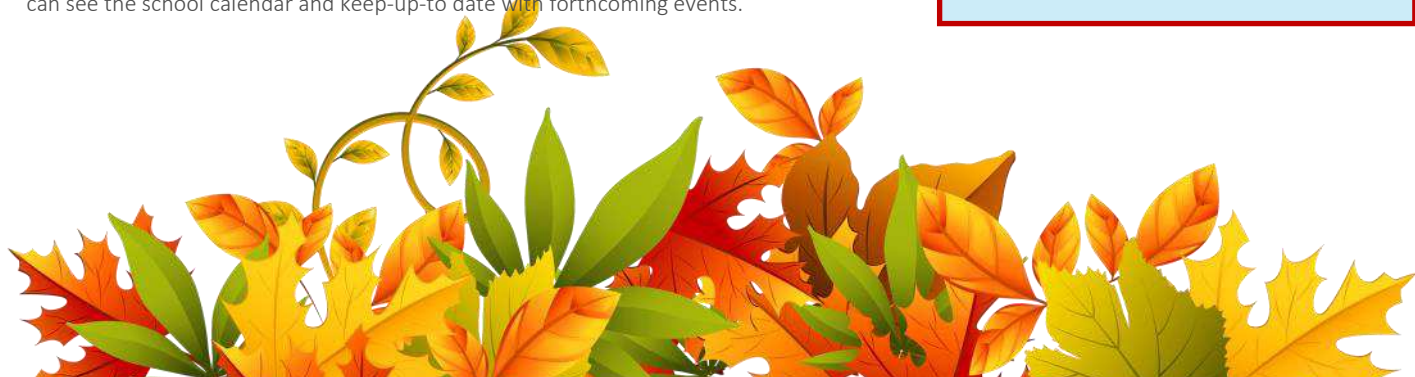
We can also let you know what is going on at school including parents evenings, closures and INSET days.

Please remember to visit our website, www.chessingtoncommunitycollege.co.uk where you can see the school calendar and keep-up-to-date with forthcoming events.

Update from Upper School:

Mr Ratcliffe

Welcome back to all Upper School students. We are really excited to have the corridors filled again and the classrooms busy. We hope that everyone had a really relaxing summer and is looking forward to get back into swing of things at school. Year 10 are starting their GCSEs and we are looking forward to seeing how they progress over the next two years. Whilst Year 11 start the journey of leaving Chessington and working towards the results that will take them to their next phase of education.





Open Evening

28th September 2017, 6.15pm

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All of the community at Chessington are delighted to extend an invite to you to our Open Evening. We continue to build on our successes and are now becoming the school of choice for our area. This could definitely be the right school for your child.

Why are we doing so well and moving forward at such pace? It's because we value each and every child; tailoring our learning to them. Our teachers are excellent in the classroom but even more positive are the high quality relationships they establish that make our students feel happy and eager to learn. Importantly too, is our firm belief in the traditional values of respect, pride and hard work.

We are a happy, thriving school which may be just right for your family. Come and see for yourself. I look forward to meeting you and your child very soon.

Mr A Ali
Headteacher

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SAVE THE DATE

Friday 6th October
10am to 11.30am

**Bring your friends and family along to
Chessington Community College
coffee morning to help raise funds for
Macmillan Cancer Support.**



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BBQ and FIREWORKS

FRIDAY 20TH OCTOBER

Starts at 6pm - Fireworks at 7:15pm

**Rides - Bouncy Castle - Coconut Shy
Side Stalls - Music - Cash Bar - and more!**

Tickets available online at Eventbrite

**[https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/bbq-fireworks-
night-tickets-36356311707](https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/bbq-fireworks-night-tickets-36356311707)**

Adult - £8 each
Child (under 16) - £5 each

Family ticket
£22 2 adults +
2 children

Ticket price includes food and fireworks only. Bar and attractions are cash on the night.

For more information email: pta@ccc.kingston.sch.uk

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BBQ & FIREWORKS ORDER FORM - FRIDAY 20TH OCTOBER FROM 6PM

Ticket price includes BBQ food, Fireworks and school entertainment. The bar, glowsticks, sweets, drinks, stalls, amusements, bouncy castles + slides, tombola and coconut shy - these types of attractions are cash only. SORRY! No ticket sales at the gate. All tickets must be booked in advance, this is due to catering no's.

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EMAIL: _____

MOBILE: _____

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TOTAL COST OF ALL TICKETS	

4 WAYS TO BOOK & PAY

Send this form in a sealed envelope and make cheques payable to CHESSINGTON PTA

Send this form in a sealed envelope and bank transfer to Chessington PTA. Sort code: 23-05-80 Account: 25001508

Send this form in a sealed envelope with the exact cash. Chessington PTA cannot be held responsible if incorrect cash is found in the envelope.

BOOK + PAY ONLINE

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/bbq-fireworks-night-at-chessington-community-college-20th-october-tickets-37596510174>

TICK BOX

CHEQUE	
TRANSFER	
CASH	
ONLINE	

CONFIRMATION

You will receive an email notification confirming your tickets. Please make sure your email address is at the top of this form.

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