

# Chalkhill Primary School Bulletin

Boletín de noticias de La Escuela Primaria de Chalkhill



Friday 17th July 2026

## **-REMINDER-Summer Holidays-**

**Children are back to school on Thursday 3rd September 2026**  
**School Starts at 8.30am**

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have come to the end of the Summer Term and another successful academic year. Thank you to our pupils, staff, governors, parents and carers for their continued support throughout the year. It has been a year filled with achievement, growth and memorable experiences. Some of last few weeks highlights can be seen on pages 4–7 of this newsletter.

2026 Summer Fair at Chalkhill Primary School raised an impressive **£1,517.00**. This fantastic achievement would not have been possible without the generosity, enthusiasm and hard work of our school community.

A gentle reminder, parents and carers please ensure that your child's Arbor account is fully up to date, with all outstanding balances cleared before the start of the new term in September 2026. This will help us ensure a smooth and efficient start to the new school year.

I want to go on record to thank everyone connected past and present to Chalkhill primary for the love care and acceptance during the first two years I received. Thank you!

From SLT, and staff at Chalkhill Primary School we wish everyone a blessed summer holiday and would like to extend our very best wishes to our Year 6 pupils as they move on to secondary school.

See you in September!

Kind regards

Mr Cloete

## **Chalkhill Primary School – Wraparound Breakfast and Afterschool Care - Summer Term 2**

We are pleased to confirm that both Breakfast Club and Afterschool Club will continue to operate during Summer Term 2. Food will be provided at both clubs and is included in the cost.

Wraparound Breakfast Club will run Monday to Friday – from 7:45am – 8:30am

Wraparound Afterschool Club will be available from Monday to Friday from the following times:

3:15pm – 4:15pm: £6.50

3:15pm – 5:15pm: £12.00

3:15pm – 6:00pm: £16.00

All sessions must be booked and paid for in advance on Arbor using the Top Up option on your account.

### **Please note:**

If your child is not booked and payment has not been made in advance, they will not be able to attend the Breakfast Club or Afterschool Club.

Please use the link below for a step-by-step guide on how to sign up for the wraparound clubs:

<https://support.arbor-education.com/hc/en-us/articles/4407797520017-Signing-my-child-up-for-a-Breakfast-or-After-School-Club-on-the-Parent-Portal-or-Parent-App>

This guide will walk you through how to book a place on a Breakfast or After-School Club via the Parent Portal or Parent App.

# ARBOR

**PLEASE, PLEASE, PLEASE**

**Everybody **MUST** register and download the ARBOR app.**

**All communications will be sent by email ONLY through Arbor.**

**To register and download the ARBOR app**

We advise you use a desktop or laptop and the internet browser Google for login in for the first time.

Once you have successfully logged on, you can use your phone to download the Arbor app from the App store (Apple) or Google Play (Android).

Please remember you must use same registered email address that you gave to Chalkhill Primary School when you enrolled your child.

**All balances **MUST** now be paid on ARBOR**

**Thank you.**

# Olivia!

The Year 6 production of *Olivia!* was a tremendous success and a wonderful showcase of the children's talent, dedication, and hard work. The young performers amazed the audience with their confident acting, beautiful singing, and energetic dancing, bringing the story to life on stage. Every child played an important role and should be incredibly proud of their achievements. The production was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone who attended, including children, staff, and parents, who were captivated by the outstanding performances. It was a memorable event that celebrated creativity, teamwork, and the many talents of our Year 6 pupils.





# ☀️ SUMMER FAIR ☀️

On Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> July, we held our annual Summer Fair and what a wonderful event it was! Children, parents and staff enjoyed an afternoon of fun, laughter and community spirit. With so many exciting stalls and activities, the children have not stopped talking about it. Children believe this was our best Summer Fair ever – perhaps the popular water fight had something to do with that!

A huge thank you to everyone who helped make the event possible, especially our volunteers, private stallholders, sponsors and all the parents who generously donated snacks, drinks and sweets. Congratulations to **Year 1Y**, who won our donations competition and will enjoy a special celebration party next week.

We would also like to thank **Warmis UK** for their beautiful Ecuadorian dance and parade, our talented **Year 6 girls** for their fantastic World Cup dance performance, and all the children who entertained us with their wonderful steel pan music.

Thank you once again to everyone who contributed to such a memorable day. Read below to find out what the children had to say about their favourite parts of the Summer Fair! 🥰 🎉 🌊 🎵



The water fight was so fun. The burgers were very yummy. Noor 5M

My favourite part was watching the Ecuadorian parade and the water fight. I loved the ice cream from the ice cream van. Antonia 5M

I liked watching the still pan and dances performances. I had a lot of fun. Mansura 5M

I was selling bracelets at the Summer Fair. It was really fun. We sold out! What an experience Sana 5C

I loved taking part in the Raffle. I won so many things, a scooter, a box of toiletries, and a £50 voucher for Babylon Park. The water fight was so much fun, we should definitely do that every year, I loved it. Daniel 5C

I took part in the Raffle, in the water fight, I had a lovely ice cream from the ice cream van. The Ecuadorian dance from the Warmis Uk was amazing! I had lots of fun. Zoe 5C





# CHALKHILL PRIMARY SUMMER FAIR!



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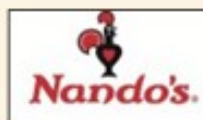
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THE BAKERS

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Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> July

3:15PM – 6:00PM

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# COOKING WITH FRANCO CLUB



At Chalkhill's Cooking After School Club, children have had a fantastic time learning how to create a wide range of delicious recipes with Franco. From making creamy homemade ice cream to baking and decorating tasty cupcakes, the children have discovered that cooking from scratch can be both fun and rewarding. They have developed important skills such as measuring ingredients, following recipes, mixing, kneading, and working safely in the kitchen. The club encourages creativity, teamwork, and confidence, while giving children the opportunity to try new foods and celebrate their culinary successes together. Every session is filled with excitement, learning, and the wonderful aromas of freshly made treats.







# Brent

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**23 April 2026**

Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing to inform you of Brent's PHONE Pledge, which I am pleased to say your child's school has signed up to.

I know that children's use of smartphones is a concern for parents and this concern is shared across our school community. That is why the local authority has worked with a group of primary and secondary headteachers from across Brent to explore how we could respond to these concerns. Through this, we created the Brent PHONE Pledge to support schools in managing children's use of mobile phones. The Pledge is made up of five clear principles:

**P – Protect**

**H – Help**

**O – Observe**

**N – Nurture**

**E – Educate**

**Protect**

*Place learning, wellbeing, and safeguarding at the heart of all decisions about smartphones and smart technology.*

**Help**

*Provide clear guidance and practical support to pupils, families, and staff. Our policies will be transparent and accessible to all.*

**Observe**

*Monitor and review our school's approach to technology regularly.*

**Nurture**

*Promote positive development by teaching digital literacy, critical thinking, and responsible online behaviours.*

**Educate**

*Work collaboratively across Brent to share best practice and raise awareness about the benefits and risks of technology.*

As you may know, recent Department for Education guidance states that all schools should be "mobile phone-free environments by default", but the Brent Pledge intentionally goes further than simply restricting mobile phone use. It supports schools to consider the safe and purposeful use of *all* smart technologies, ensuring:

- Consistency across classrooms and spaces
- Safeguarding against the broader risks posed by connected devices
- Clarity for pupils, staff, and families



# Brent Schools Commitment: The PHONE Pledge

As Brent schools, we commit to working together to create safe, supportive, and forward-thinking environments for our children. We will:

## **P** – **Protect**

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## **H** – **Help**

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## **O** – **Observe**

Monitor and review our school's approach to technology regularly.

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# The Crunch – Week 1

|                                                                         | MONDAY                                               | TUESDAY                                       | WEDNESDAY                                        | THURSDAY                               | FRIDAY                                                                             |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| MAIN (OPTION 1)                                                         | Tomato Fusilli Pasta Bake<br><b>WHEAT &amp; MILK</b> | Chilli Con Carne<br><b>CELERY</b>             | Maris Piper Potato & Paneer Curry<br><b>MILK</b> | Peri Peri Chicken<br><b>PAPRIKA</b>    | Panko Crumbed Fresh Fish of the Day<br><b>FISH, EGGS &amp; WHEAT</b>               |
| MAIN (OPTION 2)                                                         | Green Pesto Pasta<br><b>WHEAT</b>                    | Chilli Sin Carne<br><b>CELERY</b>             | Sri Lankan Coconut Daal<br><b>COCONUT</b>        | Jerk Halloumi<br><b>MILK</b>           | Maccaroni Cheese<br><b>WHEAT &amp; MILK</b>                                        |
| SIDES<br>Where main includes, portion will be offered as optional extra | Wholemeal Bread<br><b>WHEAT</b>                      | Tortilla Wraps and Salsas<br><b>WHEAT</b>     | Coconut Milk Rice<br><b>COCONUT</b>              | Spicey Veg Rice<br><b>PAPRIKA</b>      | New Potatoes, Tartare Sauce with Capers & Cornichons<br><b>EGGS &amp; SULPHITE</b> |
| VEGETABLES                                                              | Mix Veg                                              | Smoked Paprika<br>Sweetcorn<br><b>PAPRIKA</b> | Coleslaw                                         | Roasted Fine Beans<br><b>SULPHITES</b> | Peas                                                                               |
| EXTRAS                                                                  | Fresh Fruit & Salad Available Daily                  |                                               |                                                  |                                        | <b>Allergies in RED</b>                                                            |



## Crunch – Week 2

### Menu for 3rd September

|                                                                         | MONDAY                                     | TUESDAY                                      | WEDNESDAY                                                   | THURSDAY                                     | FRIDAY                                                                             |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| MAIN (OPTION 1)                                                         | Macaroni Cheese<br><b>WHEAT &amp; MILK</b> | Curry Chicken<br><b>PAPRIKA, CHICKPEAS</b>   | Chipotle Chicken<br><b>BEANS &amp; CHICKPEAS</b>            | Lasagne Al Forno<br><b>WHEAT, MILK EGG</b>   | Panko Crumbed Fresh Fish of the Day<br><b>FISH, EGGS &amp; WHEAT</b>               |
| MAIN (OPTION 2)                                                         | Tomato Rigatoni<br><b>WHEAT</b>            | Vegetable Sauce<br><b>PAPRIKA, SULPHITES</b> | Mexican Beans<br><b>BEANS &amp; CHICKPEAS</b>               | Vegetarian Lasagne<br><b>WHEAT, MILK EGG</b> | Pasta Bake<br><b>WHEAT &amp; MILK</b>                                              |
| SIDES<br>Where main includes, portion will be offered as optional extra | Wholemeal Bread<br><b>WHEAT</b>            | Coconut Milk Rice<br><b>COCONUT</b>          | Tacos, Dips and Chilli Sauce<br><b>PAPRIKA WHEAT, DAIRY</b> | Broccoli                                     | New Potatoes, Tartare Sauce with Capers & Cornichons<br><b>EGGS &amp; SULPHITE</b> |
| VEGETABLES                                                              | Honey Roasted Carrots                      | Stir Fried Vegetables                        | Sweetcorn with Paprika<br><b>PAPRIKA</b>                    | Broccoli                                     | Peas                                                                               |
| EXTRAS                                                                  | Fresh Fruit & Salad Available Daily        |                                              |                                                             |                                              | <b>Allergies in RED</b>                                                            |





**Chalkhill Primary School**  
**Term Dates**  
**Academic Year 2026/2027**

| <b>AUTUMN TERM 2026</b>  |                                                                             |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Staff Inset              | Tuesday 1 <sup>st</sup> September 2026                                      |
| Staff Inset              | Wednesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> September 2026                                    |
| School starts for pupils | Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> September 2026                                     |
| Last day of term         | Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> October 2026                                        |
| Half Term                | Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> October - Friday 30 <sup>th</sup> October 2026      |
| Staff Inset              | Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> November 2026                                        |
| School starts for pupils | Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> November 2026                                       |
| Last day of term         | Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> December 2026 - finishing at 1.30pm                 |
| Christmas Holidays       | Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> December 2026 - Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> January 2027 |

| <b>SPRING TERM 2027</b>  |                                                                          |
|--------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| School starts for pupils | Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> January 2027                                      |
| Last day of term         | Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> February 2027                                    |
| Half Term                | Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> February - Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> February 2027 |
| School starts for pupils | Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> February 2027                                    |
| Last day of term         | Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> March 2027 - finishing at 1.30pm               |
| Easter Holidays          | Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> March - Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> April 2027        |

| <b>SUMMER TERM 2027</b>  |                                                                |
|--------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|
| School starts for pupils | Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> April 2027                             |
| Last day of term         | Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> May 2027                               |
| May Bank Holiday         | Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> May 2027                                |
| Half Term                | Monday 31 <sup>st</sup> May - Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> June 2027 |
| School starts for pupils | Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> June 2027                               |
| Last day of term         | Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> July 2027 - finishing at 1.30pm        |
| Staff Inset              | Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> July 2027                             |
| Staff Inset              | Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> July 2027                           |

**\*Dates are subject to change.**