

Week Ending 6th October 2017



Beat The Street

Two weeks ago every child was issued with a Beat the Street fob and card for parents which can be used to collect points as you walk or cycle around the streets of Colchester, the aim being to get everyone more active. Many thanks to those who have been involved so far to win points for themselves and the school. At present Parsons Heath School is 20th on the leader board with 15810 points, which is great, but it would be fantastic if we could get more. As with most things, points mean prizes, the more points for the school the better chance of receiving funding for sports equipment. If you would like to register your parent card, download a map or find out more information log on to

www.beatthestreet.me/colchester

Swimming Pool Update

Although work has started on the pool, there is still much to do. The pool has been emptied, a new lining laid, pool refilled and a new boiler installed. Jobs still to complete include a new cover as well as new cladding around the pool, together these items mean we are sorry but will not be able to swim in the pool this year. Although we are of course disappointed, once the project is finished, the pool will be ready for us to use as required at the beginning of the summer term 2018.



Well Done Mr Dallimore

Well done to Mr Dallimore, our site Manager who attends Dragon Martial Arts School. He has been awarded with a certificate and trophy for Best Senior Newcomer 2017, a silver medal for Phoenix Form and a silver medal for Sparring. What an achievement!



Super Hero Themed Lunch Day

Yesterday we all enjoyed a Super hero themed lunch, Hulk Burgers and Radioactive Jelly all round!



Bags 2 School

Hopefully you should all have received your bags 2 School bag by now to collect any unwanted clothes, shoes, hats etc. These bags make money for the school dependant on weight. Filled bags need to be back in school by Tuesday 7th November. Many thanks



Colchester Fire Swim—Good luck to

Mrs Newson, Mrs Newman, Mrs Johnson, Mrs Clark, Miss Acheson, Mr Dallimore and Miss Bowen who are taking part in the Colchester Fire Swim on Saturday 7th October. If you would like to sponsor them, please call into the office to complete the sponsor form.

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Shriek Week Returns

Get set for a week of spook-tacular treats at Colchester Zoo's themed Halloween half term events. Aimed at a wide range of ages the popular Shriek Week and Fright Nights caters for the whole family so don't be a scaredy cat - head to the Zoo between the 21 – 31 October and join in with all the fun.



Doomsday is coming!

Spooky goings-on at the free GloomSDay family-friendly festival, 10am to 4pm from 21 to 29 October, with street entertainment, puppet shows, games and haunted houses (activities individually priced).

Firework Spectacular

Get your tickets early for this year's firework spectacular by King Coel's Kittens taking place in Castle Park on Saturday 4 November. The gates will be open from 6pm with entertainment leading up to the main event at 7pm. Tickets can be bought from the Visitor Information Centre.



Halloween Lanterns

Get Halloween ready by making your own creepy lanterns at Hollytrees Museum on Thursday 26 October.

Sessions will be running throughout the day but booking is required. Find out more here.

