

CJP News



APRIL 2016

Easter 2016 Playscheme

The Easter holidays were finished off nicely for CJP with an amazing week of Playscheme fun at the Granta School, Linton.

16 children attended the playscheme, with many more on our waiting list. The children and young people were supported by an amazing staff team, led by superwoman, Carol Brown.

We had a packed week which seemed to centre upon the theme of "football", we took advantage of the dry weather to spend a lot of time outside playing football and working on our team skills.

As always our week including lots of swimming and thanks go to Luke our lifeguard for watching over us all.



Arts and Crafts and Sensory play featured in our week along with lots of cooking including pasta, cheese straws and cupcakes.

On Wednesday we welcomed a very good friend of ours to Granta, **Sonia** from Tesco Newmarket Road who came along to the scheme to spend a full day with us. She brought lots of great activities for us, including tasting of raisins, apricots and sultanas, boiled egg decorating and baking hot cross buns.



It was fantastic for us to show Sonia around our Playscheme and for her to see us "in action". The children really look forward to seeing her and the visits are always a firm talking point for months to come. We cannot thank Sonia enough and look forward to seeing her and Emma at the 21st Birthday Party and welcoming her back again to our Summer Playscheme!

Thursday was a much anticipated day as it meant an "access all areas" tour of Cambridge United. We were met by Simon Wall who works for the Cambridge United Youth and Community Trust who talked to us about the Football club and allowed us to see behind the scenes including the players changing rooms which caused a great deal of excitement for our children. The trip ended with everyone practising their chants and cheers in the "Newmarket road" end of the stadium!

We would like to thank Simon for his great tour and spending so much time with us, the children, young people and staff really enjoyed it and we hope we can come back again soon!



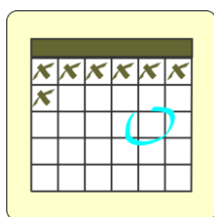


Our last day at the Easter Playscheme involved a chocolate hunt, more arts and crafts and swimming, more football and a final goodbye!



The Easter Playscheme would not be possible without the generosity of Granta School, Tesco Newmarket Road and Cambridge United Youth and Community Trust.

Dates for your diary



We are pleased to announce that we will be running a Summer Playscheme across two weeks

01 - 05 August 2016

08 - 12 August 2016

Cost per week £300

Places are limited to 20 children each week. If you would like your child to attend please drop us an email indicating the weeks you wish to attend.

- Activities Planned including swimming, cookery, arts & crafts
- Visit from Sonia at Tesco Newmarket Road
- Visit to Grafham Water thanks to the Generosity of **TWI Ltd**
- Visit to the Seaside, with thanks to **Scotsdales Garden Centre**

Plus much more!

21st Birthday Party

Tickets are selling fast for our 21st Birthday party which is being held on **Saturday 21st May 2016**.

We have booked some wonderful entertainment at the party including

- Robert Gough, close up Magician
- A Face Painter
- A Silent Disco
- Bouncy Castle
- Visiting Princesses and a Super Hero to play games with the children



We will also be holding a raffle with many amazing prizes. Tickets can be purchased in advance from Mel Stanford, Carol Brown and Marley Lagey or on the day. Don't miss out!

John Lewis Token Collection

From 1 May for three months, the John Lewis Coffee Shop will be collecting tokens for three charitable causes to receive a share of £3,000. CJP is featuring as one of the three so please pop down, grab a green token and put it on our box. The more tokens we get, the bigger our share of the money!

Printer Cartridges

We are still collecting printer cartridges. Please pass onto Carol or Mel or drop them into the office.

Easy Fundraising

Don't forget our Easy Fundraising tool, shop online and raise free donations on your purchases for CJP. So far we have 20 regular supporters who have raised £39 just by shopping online and using the free app and website.

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/camjointplay/>

CJP Wristband

What better way to show your support to CJP by wearing one of our wristbands. One side indicates our name, the other our website. £1 each available from Mel Stanford, Carol Brown, Marley Lagey, Jo Robinson or at the CJP Party!



Don't forget to like us on facebook and visit our webpage. They are being updated all the time—don't miss out on all the news and events!



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