

Update for Chippenham Area Board

Update from	Chippenham Partnership of Schools
Date of Area Board Meeting	25 th April 2016

Headlines

- Chippenham Children's and Young Peoples visit to Parliament – awaiting confirmation for potential visit to the Houses of Parliament on Monday 23rd May. Parliament's theme this year has been 'Understanding our Democracy'.
- MAF development of a commission conversation around behaviour, more details to follow.
- Safeguarding: The Partnership continues to work very closely with all agencies to make sure our children and young people are safe. Areas include Child Sexual Exploitation, Radicalisation and Drugs awareness.
- Five to Thrive Training to support and enhance transition to Primary School

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- Continued support on the Local Youth Network (LYN) steering group
- **'Wow this is Maths'** day Wednesday 23rd March 2016: Organised by the Maths Leads in the cluster and supported by Chippenham Borough Lands, this day targeted years 2 & 4 and 6 & 7 pupils who were struggling to be enthused by Maths. The aims were to build confidence by engaging and exploring the magic of Maths with stimulating practical hands on activities to inspire a love of maths. The day was supported by Steve Lomax and Martin Adsett who are part of the GLOW maths hub. Approximately 150 pupils and 20 staff, who learnt new techniques to engage learners, benefited from this day.
- **Governor Training** Monitoring Funding Streams Wednesday 9th March 2016: 19 governors from our schools in Chippenham benefitted from this bespoke training package.
- **Commonwealth Day** Monday 14th March 2016: 14 schools took part in the commonwealth day celebrations learning about the cultures and customs of the service personal at Buckley Barracks. The pupils and students particularly liked the World War 1 workshop, the food and the dancing. Thank you to all involved.

Future Events/Dates for the diary

- **Chippenham games and Para Games 2016 at Stanley Park**
Games: Tuesday 21st June and Wednesday 22nd June 2016
Paragames: Monday 11th 2016 at Hardenhuish (please note new date)
- **Governor Training**
'Accounting and Budgeting Support' Wednesday 20th April 2016 at Langley Fitzurze School, Kington Langley
- **MAF (Multi Agency Forum)** Thursday 28th April 2016 at Stanley Park
- **Chippenham Children's and Young People's Parliament** – Wednesday 8th June 2016
- **Next Partnership** meeting Wednesday 6th July 2016
- **PCAMHS Mental Health Forums**
Thursday May 19th 3.30pm
Monday June 27th 3.30pm
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Signed: Stephanie Davis

Date: 14th April 2016

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