

JUNE	Friday	24	Open Morning for prospective parents (8.45am)/Fairseat Hall
	Friday	24	Reports Home to Parents
	Friday	24	Last day of swimming for Year 1 and Year 2
	Monday	27	Yr 7 Induction Afternoon (2.30pm-4pm)/New Hall, Senior School
	Tuesday	28	Staff at home to see Parents for reports (4pm-5pm)/Classrooms
	Wednesday	29	KS2 Dress Rehearsal (9.30am-10.30am)/New Hall, Senior School
	Wednesday	29	KS2 Concert (6.30pm)/New Hall, Senior School
	Wednesday	29	Senior School Concert (7.30pm)/New Hall, Senior School
	Thursday	30	Open Afternoon for prospective parents (2pm)/Fairseat Hall
JULY	Friday	1	Food Committee Meeting (8.30am)/Fairseat Library
	Friday	1	School finishes at 12pm in preparation for Founders' Day
	Saturday	2	Founders' Day Celebration
	Monday	4	Founders' Day Holiday/School Closed
	Tuesday	5	Yr 6 Leaver's Party (1.30pm-3.30pm)/Fairseat Hall
	Wednesday	6	Second Hand Uniform Sale (2.45pm)/Fairseat Hall
	Friday	8	Leaver's Assembly (9.00am)/Fairseat Hall
	Friday	8	End of Term (12.30pm)

Fairseat Picnic

Can I say a very big thank you to Sarah and Helen and all the parents who helped make the Fairseat picnic the wonderful day that it was. I have had nothing but rave reviews about the afternoon and everyone had a lovely day. It is a huge undertaking to put on an event like the Fairseat Picnic and it could not have been done without a great deal of help and support. It is occasions like this that make me feel so proud.

Sports Day

Thank you to all the parents who came to Parliament Hill to support our Sports Day. A wonderful time was had by all! We were fortunate to enjoy perfect weather conditions and most importantly, the girls competed in true Channing Spirit. Thank you to Miss Mort and her team of PE staff for all the hard work and effort they put into making the day run as smoothly as it did. Thank you also to the members of the Channing Association who helped with the setting up and the provision of refreshments for the parents and the girls.

Y7 Induction Afternoon at the Senior School for Y6 girls and Parents

The Y7 Induction afternoon takes place on Monday 27 June. Please could parents pick their daughters up from Fairseat by 2.15pm in order to get to the New Hall for 2.25pm. Tea will be served at 3.30pm. The afternoon ends at 4.00pm unless parents wish to stay for the Year 7 Concert at 4.30pm. There will also be a Second Hand uniform sale from 4.00-5.00pm in the Senior School Dining Room.

Key Stage 2 Music concert

The Fairseat Summer Concert involves all girls from Year 3 to Year 6. The girls and Miss Pepper have spent a great deal of time rehearsing and I am sure that this year's concert will, once again, be a highlight of the year. If you are intending to stay for the Senior School concert at 7.30pm please see Mrs McNerney, as it is a ticketed concert. The Late Owls club will operate on Wednesday evening so KS2 girls will be supervised and given something to eat before the concert. If you would like you daughter to go into Late Owls, please could you inform Mrs McNerney so that we can cater for her. Please ensure that if your daughter plays in either the Wind Band or the Fairseat Orchestra that she has her instrument with her on **MONDAY 27 June** as final rehearsals are scheduled to take place in the Senior School.

Founders' Day

We are looking forward to Founder's Day on Saturday 3 July and preparations have already begun for our action packed morning! A programme for your information will be sent home shortly.

Flowers for Founders' Day

The Channing Association traditionally provide the beautiful flower arrangements for Founders' Day, which are greatly appreciated and add to the colourful displays and work that is set out. Could we please ask parents to remember to bring freshly cut flowers to school on the morning of Friday 1 July and leave them in the buckets provided in the courtyard. If you have any vases that you would be prepared to loan the school for Founders Day we would be grateful for them! Can I echo the advice from Helen and Sarah that the vases are labelled so that they can be returned to you. We will also need assistance with flower arranging at the same time and would welcome any help. We start flower arranging at 8.30am and should be finished by 9.30am. If you are able to help, please contact your class rep, Helen or Sarah.

Leaver's Assembly

The Year 6 Leaver's Assembly will be held on Friday 8 July at 9am in Fairseat Hall. Parents of the Year 6 girls are welcome to attend. As you know, space in the hall is limited. Please could those parents who would like to attend, inform Mrs McInerney in the school office so we can ensure there is a seat for you!

School Uniform

You should have all received a parentmail regarding the second hand uniform sale, which will be held on Wednesday 6 July 2011 at 2.45pm in Fairseat Hall. Any items of second hand uniform that you wish to donate would be gratefully received.

Our Suppliers Uniform4Kids have put aside Saturday 9 July 2011(9.00am-5.30pm and Sunday 10 July 2011 (10.00am-1.00pm) for Channing parents to visit the store to purchase uniform for September 2011. Please phone them on 020 8209 0999 to make an appointment if you would like to take advantage of this opportunity. You can also visit their website at www.uniform4kids.com.

As the weather in September is often warmer than it is in July, we are going to keep the girls in their summer uniform until half term. This means that the girls will continue to wear their summer dresses or trousers with white socks or white tights.

Library

We are very grateful to the parent helpers who have given up their time to open the library for the girls during lunch times and after school. The girls would not be able to make such good use of this valuable resource if it weren't for the generosity of these parents. If you would like to volunteer to be a library helper next year, please complete the form attached to the bulletin and return it to Mrs Mac in the school office. It is a wonderful opportunity for you to get involved in school life and it is greatly appreciated.

Scooters

Can I respectfully remind you that once you are on the school premises that scooters are not to be used by the children. The mornings and afternoons are busy times of day and recently we have had a number of accidents, which we would like to avoid!

Parking outside Channing School

Once again, I would ask parents **NOT** to park on the zigzag lines directly outside the school gates. The lines are for the safety of the children and are intended to provide a clear area in which children can cross safely. Children often cannot see if the road is clear from behind parked cars and, in turn, drivers cannot see the children. The children's safety is of paramount importance and we ask for your co-operation in this matter.

Miss Louise Tarr

CHANNING ASSOCIATION BULLETIN

Dear Fairseat Families

How lucky were we with the weather last weekend? The sun really did shine on us and it was lovely to see so many of you come along for the annual Fairseat Summer Picnic on Saturday afternoon. We think you will all agree that the Reps did a fantastic job of organising their stalls and enlisting the help of their fellow classmates. We thank you for baking and bringing in your old books, tombola and raffle prizes. Without everyone's generosity, it would be impossible to run these events in the way that we do. There was a real 'big family' feeling in the Fairseat grounds for a few hours on Saturday and we hope that you all had a very enjoyable time.

Then on Tuesday, the sun came out again for Sports Day. Well done, Yellow House! We thank 2C for organising refreshments and for keeping everyone hydrated. And we thank 2K for coming up with the bright idea of designing your own white cap at the Summer Picnic. They turned out to be more useful than we could have ever imagined.

There are two more dates on the Channing Association calendar for this term. The first will be arranging your flowers for Founders Day, on Friday 1 July. If anyone would like to help us for half an hour after drop off, please feel free. Any vases that are brought in should, as always, be clearly labelled so that we can return them to you promptly.

The second date is the Year 6 Leavers Tea, which is being organised, as is the tradition, by the Year 5 Reps on Tuesday 5 July. We are always so sorry to say goodbye to our Year 6 girls and the Leavers Tea is a big part of their send off. We thank Year 5 for all the hard work that is going into the preparations for this event.

Finally we would like to thank everyone for supporting our events over the last year. We hope that you enjoyed yourselves and that you will come along and get involved next year.

Can we remind all of you who would like to come to Chessington on 4 July that completed forms must be returned to Mrs Mac in the school office no later than Wednesday 22 June.

Have a lovely weekend

Helen Mules and Sarah Ozin
Co-Chairs Channing Association

FAIRSEAT LIBRARY

Dear Parents

Fairseat parents offer an additional library service for:

Reception and Year 1 girls on Tuesday afternoon between 3.00pm-3.30pm and

Years 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 girls every lunchtime between 12.15pm and 1.15pm.

If you are interested in helping, please complete the slip below and return it to the office at your earliest convenience.

Thank you for your assistance.

Amelia Lobb

Library Co-ordinator

LIBRARY VOLUNTEER

Name: _____

Email address: _____

Telephone No: _____

Preferred Day: _____ Time: _____

Weekly

Fortnightly

Monthly