

Castle Newsletter



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Castle School
Cambridge

Dear Families

Another busy week at school.

We were excited to host a Maths workshop in school yesterday. This event was very ably led by Anne, our Deputy Head, and was attended by teachers from 16 schools. The workshop was a great success and links really well with our work with the Cambridge Maths Hub.

On Monday 11th February at 2pm we will be having our third 'Friends of Castle' meeting in school. The 'Friends' are really looking forward to organising lots of amazing fundraising events with our first target to raise enough money to create a fabulous soft play area for our students to enjoy.

Students from Edinburgh and Deer classes can be seen below enjoying their new bean bags. These are just two of the four kindly donated by MADE.com following a request by parent Gayle Painter. Thank you very much Gayle.



Primary Outside Areas

In last week's newsletter we wrote about the fabulous new areas which have been created outside our Primary classrooms. We are delighted to report that these are already being put to very good use.



Here we are playing with our friends in the new Butterflies outside area.



Mother's Day Lunch

Our annual Mother's Day Lunch will be taking place on Monday 25th March and we're looking forward to welcoming our mums into school for a meal with their children.

Please look out for the order slips which will be coming home with your child after half term.

School PE Kit Request

Could you please check to see if you have any school kit at home? It has 'PE Department' written under the school badge logo.

If found, please return items to school. Thank you.



PE News

This term in PE we have been very busy taking part in many events during both curriculum time and extra-curricular activities; these have included the primary multi-sports game and the integrated arts project dance workshop.

Next week some of our KS3 students will be attending a trampolining workshop and members

of our Football team are attending a Cambridge United match.



At all of these events our students always perform extremely well and are great role models for the school. We are also proud that we are nearly always the smartest team there.

Cambridge United Community Trust

Cambridge United Community Trust now have 12 disability football weekly sessions running in Cambridge and the surrounding areas. All headed up by disability football coach Phil Mullen, there is something for everyone to get involved in. The first 2 sessions are free so why not pop along.

	DISABILITY FOOTBALL SESSIONS					
	'Irwin Mitchell' Ambulant Cerebral Palsy	Blind	Visually Impaired	Amputee	Women & Girls' Pan-disability	Down's Syndrome
DAY?	Saturday	Saturday	Saturday	Thursday	Saturday	Saturday
TIME?	10-11am	2-3pm	1-2pm	8.30-9.30pm	3-4pm	11am-12pm
WHERE?	Inspington Sports Centre	Cambridge Community College	Cambridge Community College	Battisdon Sports Centre	Cambridge Community College	Inspington Sports Centre
	Autistic & Learning Difficulties (16+)	Autistic & Learning Difficulties (16+)	Frame	Manual Wheelchair	Powerchair	Deaf & Hearing Impairment
DAY?	Sunday	Sunday	Sunday	Sunday	Sunday	Monday
TIME?	1-2pm	2-3pm	3-4pm	4-5pm	5-6pm	3.15-4.45pm
WHERE?	Inspington Sports Centre	Inspington Sports Centre	Inspington Sports Centre	Inspington Sports Centre	Inspington Sports Centre	Cottisham Sports Centre
GET ACTIVE. MAKE FRIENDS. CHANGE PERCEPTIONS.						
#UNITEDFORCAMBRIDGE						INTERESTED? PLEASE CONTACT PHIL MULLEN, DISABILITY SPORTS OFFICER 07948407950 phil.mullen@cambridge-united.co.uk

For more information please follow the link below <https://www.cuctrust.co.uk/disability-sport/> or email phil.mullen@cambridge-united.co.uk

Best wishes

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