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### **SCHOOLS OUT FOR SUMMER**



It's officially summer and we couldn't be happier. July was full of love, support and happiness. We are so thankful for everyone who held a fundraising event, donated and attended events for us last month, your support never goes unnoticed.

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## **Family Events**

**Herstmonceux Science Centre** 



In July we took our families to The Observatory Science Centre in Herstmonceux. Our families got to enjoy what the centre had to offer as well as a telescope tour which everyone seemed to love!

The wonderful team at the centre catered for us and gave us our own private area to eat. We even surprised one of the parents with a cake as it was her birthday! After lunch the families enjoyed exploring more of the centre before having our own private Science Show. The host did an amazing job explaining how gravity works and showed us some fun experiments.

Our families had this to day about the day:

"After a further cancer diagnosis, the time together as a family was really appreciated, it's given us the space to enjoy each other and have fun whilst being supported by other who understand the challenges we face"

"brilliant to get together, events like this make families feel less isolated"

Thank you so much to the team over at Herstmonceux Observatory Science Centre for having us for the day and making it so special. Quality family time is so important and we are so grateful to be able to provide this to our families.



## **Wet Wheels**



During Hastings Pirate Day our families set sail to the sea! Despite bumping into some pirates, our families had a great (and wet) day out

Huge thank you to Wet Wheels or an incredible day and helping our families make some amazing memories! and a big thank you to The OS&B Society for sponsoring the event and allowing us to make these memories for our families.

#### **CWCF News & Updates**

Last month CWCF turned 26. Here are some words from our founder Chris:
"We never dreamed that Children with Cancer Fund would become what it has or to have been able to help as many families. It has only been possible with the help and support of those around us that we have been able to do it. A big THANK YOU"

Thank you to everyone who has supported us over the past 26 years - We appreciate each and every one of you! Here to another 26 years of CWCF.

In line with our 26th birthday we also had an unveiling of our new memorial board. Gap Solutions Brighton took our old board in and refreshed it for us. This board sits just outside of Polegate train station and has the names of the children we unfortunately have lost to cancer. The children will never be forgotten and will always remain in our hearts.

Thank you to everyone who came to the unveiling and to everyone who continues to support us.



# **Happy Maternity Leave!**



Happy Maternity Leave to our Operations Manager Chloe 👶

Many of you would have met or spoken with Chloe at some point during her time here at CWCF. She has become such a valued member of staff. We wouldn't been half the team we are today without all of her hard work and support. We want to say a massive thank you to Chloe for all her hard work over the years.

We wish Chloe and her husband the best of luck with their next chapter of their lives. You will be amazing parents! Here's so a happy and healthy baby. We love you Chloe!

We are pleased to welcome Penny to the CWCF team, she will be taking over grants whilst Chloe is gone. And our Events Manager Jess will be stepping into the role of Operations Manager! We wish Jess and Penny the best of luck with their new roles here at CWCF.

#### Could You Be One Of CWCF's Dream Makers?

Childhood cancer remains one of the most devastating diseases affecting children worldwide. The emotional and financial toll it takes on families is unimaginable. To become a Dream Maker, we are asking you to commit to a monthly donation of just £25 to Children with Cancer Fund. By donating this amount, you will become an integral part of our mission to support families battling childhood cancer, from diagnosis, throughout treatment, and beyond.

Make their dreams reality



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