

Schools of Chesham Carnival 2021 Colours of Carnival!

For the first time ever, the Schools of Chesham Carnival is going 'virtual'! As we are again, this year, unable to hold our annual Carnival in its usual format, we have devised a number of ways in which everyone can still get involved and support us in our all new Colours of Carnival! Our colourful theme will aim to brighten up our town and bring a little joy and happiness to our wonderful community, at the end of what has been a very tough year for many.

Colourful Posters

We will be asking each school to help the children create a poster, with a colourful theme, and this will form part of a whole school display in one of our local shop frontages in and around the high street and the Chess Medical Centre. With ten participating schools we really hope to brighten up Chesham! **Your school will shortly receive an email with the template for the poster which we would like back by Friday, 28th May 2021 so we can display them in the town.**

Sponsored Walking Challenge

We will be inviting the whole family to take part in a sponsored walking challenge, taking place in and around the locations of our schools. Choose from one or more of six 'coloured-themed' routes, each of varying length. There will be a challenge for everyone! Finishing on Saturday, 12th June 2021 - which would have been Carnival day - we are going to total the miles collectively walked by all of our schools to see if we can 'virtually' reach Tokyo, hosts of the Olympic and Paralympic Games to be held later this year!! **A letter outlining the details, route maps and directions, plus entry and sponsorship forms will be sent to your school shortly.**

Grand Draw

As in previous years, we will be running our Grand Draw. The businesses of Chesham and the surrounding areas have been incredibly supportive, generously offering cash prizes, meals out, experiences and more. **Raffle Tickets will be on sale in participating schools very soon and on our market stall in the town on Saturday, 12th June 2021.** The draw itself will take place at 2pm and will also be live streamed on Facebook Live. **Further information regarding the Grand Draw will follow next week.**

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As we are unable to get together in Lowndes Park this year, we invite you to share the ways in which you are choosing to support us on social media. If you are on the sponsored walk (maybe in colourful fancy dress), then please take a picture and share it with us using #Cheshamcarnival. If you find your child's poster in town or at the Chess Medical Centre, please join in and share a picture. Please feel free to share any memories and pictures you have from previous Carnivals.

We really hope that as many of our children and their families as possible will be able to join in and, at the same time, help us raise funds for our schools, who would usually share all of the monies raised on Carnival day. Having had to cancel last years' event, and with many other fund-raising activities curtailed, this is needed now more than ever, and we would be hugely grateful for your support. We wish you all the best of luck, have fun, stay safe, and be colourful!

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