

CAPENHURST CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

22nd November 2021



Thank you all for your cooperation and support over the weekend; it is much appreciated. Please continue to keep a close eye on your children for signs of covid-19 so that we can reduce the spread. Children in Class 2 are strongly advised to take a daily lateral flow test for at least the remainder of this week. Should any child in any class develop a new continuous cough, high temperature or loss of sense of taste or smell, please book a PCR test at a test centre, remain at home and advise school of the result when it arrives. Thank you.

As usual, if you have any queries or questions, please do not hesitate to raise them at school. Mrs Green

Celebrations!

Stars of the week

Class 1 - Heidi SLW for excellent focus and progress with her maths.

Class 2 - John W for listening and responding well in class and making an extra effort with his written work.

Class 3 - Afreen S for her effort and progress in maths.

Class 4 - Frankie S for an excellent report about elephants.

Infant Cup - Alice R-J for her positive attitude to school and developing sense of humour.

Junior Cup - Lucy G for being so hardworking and such a good friend to everyone in school.

Chester FC tickets were awarded to William R for his hard work and focus during football coaching sessions.

Cheshire Phoenix tickets were awarded to Douglas C for increased confidence and self-belief.

The winning house was EARTH! Congratulations to everyone in Earth for their teamwork in earning the most house points during last week.

Well done to everyone who shared their news and achievements in assembly last week.



Dates and events - a few things for the calendar!

Friday 26th Nov - Please return Christmas shoeboxes by 26th Nov

Friday 26th Nov - Deadline to order Christmas dinner, Panto lunch and infant nativity tickets - please complete Parentmail forms ASAP!

Friday 3rd Dec - Bible exhibition for Class 4

Friday 3rd Dec - Infant Nativity dress rehearsal—costume requests have ben sent via Parentmail

Monday 6th Dec - Infant Nativity afternoon performance - ticket request form has been sent via Parentmail

Tuesday 7th Dec - Infant Nativity afternoon and evening performances - ticket request form has been sent via Parentmail

Friday 10th Dec - Whole school Panto trip to the Floral Pavilion to see Beauty & the Beast

Tuesday 14th Dec - Final swimming lesson for Class 4 children

Wednesday 15th Dec - Christmas Jumper Day - please dress for the festive season and bring an unwrapped new toy (one per family) to donate to the Stanlaw Abbey Toy Appeal (details overleaf)

Wednesday 15th Dec - Christmas Lunch - please complete the ParentMail form by Friday 26th November

Friday 17th Dec - School breaks up for Christmas at 1.30pm for ALL pupils

Wednesday 5th Jan - School reopens for the Spring Term

Tuesday 11th Jan - Swimming lessons start for children in Class 3 - details were sent via Parentmail on 08/11/21

Wednesday 9th Feb - Young Voices

w/c Monday 28th Feb - Bikeability for Class 4 children

Wednesday 16th Mar - Friday 18th Mar - Conway Centre residential for KS2 children - details will follow in due course

There will be more details sent home for the events as they become available and closer to taking place. Other dates will be added as they are set in the diary.

Children in Need

Thank you for your support on Friday. Together we raised £215 for Children in Need. KS2 children made the longest change trail - but well done to everyone who took part!



Teams4U Christmas Shoeboxes

Thank you to those families who have already filled a Christmas shoebox for Teams4U. Shoeboxes should be returned by **Friday 26th November** for anyone else who would like to take part.



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Road Safety Week Competition

Our road safety competition winners were as follows:

Class 1 - Lucia C

Class 2 - Laila K

Class 3 - Olivia O

Class 4 - Orla M

Well done to everyone who took part.

Thank you from your JSOs.

Applying for school places

Parents with pre-school children due to start school in September 2022 are reminded that you must apply for reception places online via the Council's website at www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk/admissions
The closing date for primary admissions is **January 15th 2022.**

Friends of Capenhurst

Facebook Page

Just a reminder, and for our new families, that Friends of Capenhurst has a Facebook page, 'Friends of Capenhurst School (PTA)'. This is a closed group for current parents/carers only; please request to join the group if you have not already done so and you will be added. The group provides fundraising updates and general school reminders.

100 Club

There are still numbers available for 100 Club; if you would like to take part, please see Mrs Henson on the playground. The cost is £12 per year and you could win a monthly monetary prize if your number is drawn, whilst raising money for school. For those of you continuing with your number, please ensure that you pay as soon as possible if you have not already done so. Payment can be made in cash to Mrs Henson or via a Paypal friends and family payment at https://paypal.me/capenhurstprimarypta?locale.x=en GB

Bonus Ball

The bonus ball on Saturday 20th November was number 53 which is unclaimed so next week will be a rollover draw!

West Cheshire Foodbank

We will continue to support the West Cheshire Foodbank throughout the year. Food items can be brought in and will be gathered in each classroom before being placed in the collection box by a member of staff. This week the Foodbank is particularly in need of tinned meats, UHT milk, UHT juice, tinned desserts, custard, treats (eg. small bars of chocolate/bags of sweets), instant coffee, jams and spreads, instant mash/tinned potatoes, pasta sauce and biscuits. Thank you for your continued support.



Christmas Jumper Day—Wednesday 15th December

This year we will be wearing our Christmas jumpers (or tshirts) on Wednesday 15th December. Each Christmas we support a different charity and this year we would like to help the Stanlaw Abbey Toy Appeal. We would like each family to donate a new toy (for example a colouring book, a jigsaw, a lego set) in exchange for wearing their festive attire. Unwrapped toys (or a monetary donation towards a toy) can be brought to school from Monday 13th December to Wednesday 15th December so that they can be passed on to the Toy Appeal



in good time for Christmas to be redistributed to local families in need. Thank you for your support.



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Birthday Celebrations

The following children celebrate a birthday this week:

(22nd to 28th November)



Joshua B Skye M Elsa Y