

CAPENHURST CE PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

7th October 2019



Thank you to everyone who came along to the Harvest Service on Sunday. It was lovely to see church so full and the children were brilliant (as always).

I am pleased to say that the outcome of the recent Ofsted inspection has been finalised and we remain a 'GOOD' school. Full report and covering letter will be sent home using ParentMail - look out for the email later today. 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: Lottie R for her focus in all lessons and determination to do her best.

Class 2: Sophie J for super maths work - her enthusiasm and determination.

Class 3: Ethan H for excellent maths work and a more mature attitude.

Class 4: Kian J for fantastic work in maths.

The Infant cup was awarded to Nora C for her compassion and understanding of others. The Junior cup was awarded to Skye M for being open to trying new things and being outgoing in class.

Cheshire Phoenix Tickets: Elsa Y for working extremely hard in every lesson.

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

Dates and events - a few things for the calendar!

Tuesday 8th Oct - Open Afternoon at 1.30pm for families with children due to start school in September 2020

Wednesday 9th Oct - Street dance after school club starts (for five weeks)

Wednesday 16th Oct - Reception Trip to Holly Bank House; further details will follow in due course

Wednesday 16th Oct - Year 6 Family Lunch

Friday 18th Oct - Community Group Race Night

Wednesday 23rd Oct - Christmas Shoebox Assembly

Monday 28th Oct - Friday 1st Nov - School closed for half term holiday

Monday 4th Nov - School closed for INSET Day

Tuesday 5th Nov and Thursday 7th Nov - Parents' Evenings; further details will follow in due course

Monday 11th Nov - Ethos Group 'Worship on Tour'

Wednesday 13th Nov - Year 4 Family Lunch

Monday 18th Nov - Whole school Flu immunisation

Wednesday 20th Nov - Year 3 Family Lunch

Friday 29th Nov - Class 4 Trip to London and the Houses of Parliament

Saturday 7th Dec - Community Group Children's Christmas Party in the village hall, 3-5pm

Monday 9th Dec - Class 1 & 2 Nativity at 1.30pm

Tuesday 10th Dec - Class 1 & 2 Nativity at 6pm

Thursday 12th Dec - Learning Together Morning; parents welcome to join us in school to make Christingles

Thursday 12th Dec - Christingle Service at 2pm at Holy Trinity

Friday 13th Dec - Secret Santa (further details in due course)

Monday 16th Dec - KS2 Carol Service at 6pm at Holy Trinity

Wednesday 18th Dec - Christmas Lunch

Friday 20th Dec - Whole school panto trip to the Floral Pavilion, New Brighton

Friday 20th Dec - School breaks up for Christmas at 2pm

Monday 6th Jan - School reopens for the Spring Term

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.

Class 4 Trip to London

The children in Class 4 will be bringing home a letter today regarding a trip to London on Friday 29th November. In order to secure our train tickets at the discounted rate, we need to confirm numbers and pay for the tickets by Wednesday. Please return the consent form and lunch menu choice by **Wednesday morning** at the latest. You have until 22nd November to pay for the trip, however numbers are required urgently. Thank you.



Attendance Whole school attendance for September is:



Whole school attendance for the year to date is:

96.1%

Last week's best attendees:

Class #



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Friends of Capenhurst Forthcoming Events:

- **Tuesday 22nd October Starlight Clothing Collection -** please send in your old clothes and paired shoes by 9am. We will accept bags of donated items from Monday 21st October at **3pm**. Starlight can no longer justify the manufacture of plastic bags so please recycle a supermarket carrier bag or use a bin bag; any bag will do!
- Thursday 14th November Christmas Shopping Evening following the success of last year's event, please keep the date free! A good chance to make a start on your Christmas shopping! Further details will follow.

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.

Applying for school places

Parents with children in Year 6 and pre-school children due to start school in September 2020 are reminded that you are now able to apply for Year 7 and reception places online via the Council's website at www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk/admissions

The deadline for high school applications is October 31st 2019. The local high schools will have open evenings to help you choose the right school for your child and details of these are available on their websites and below.

We are holding an open afternoon at 1.30pm on Tuesday 8th October for parents with children due to start school in September 2020 and we would welcome your help in publicising this to friends and family who might be interested. The closing date for primary school admissions is January 15th 2020.



West Cheshire Foodbank

We will continue to support the West Cheshire Foodbank this year. This week the Foodbank is particularly in need of instant coffee, long life fruit juice, pasta/curry sauces, instant custard, instant pasta, treats (small chocolate bars/sweets), instant mash. If you would like to donate items there is a collection box by the back door, or alternatively items can be brought into the school office. Thank you for your continued support.

182/300 collected!

We're over half way!!

Please help us by collecting stickers when you shop at Aldi - 1 sticker for every £30 you spend. We need 300 for a free sports kit for school so please ask friends and family to collect for us too! There are 4 weeks to go!



<u>Bonfire Lunch - Tuesday 5th November</u> Helen will be providing a bonfire themed lunch on Tuesday 5th November instead of the usual meal.



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For more information, take a look at our website

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We are looking for our next cohort of trainee teachers who want to make a real difference to a child's future. Come and hear from existing associate teachers and see how **Ignite** can help you achieve your goals.

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EVENING

Monday 14th October 2019 5:30pm – 6:30pm

St Bernard's RC Primary - A Voluntary Academy Sherbourne Road Ellesmere Port CH65 5EW

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