



CAPENHURST CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

# NEWSLETTER

24th February 2014



Welcome back! I hope everyone had a relaxing break and managed to enjoy themselves over half term. This half term looks to be as busy as the last and only 6 weeks in which to cram everything in.

I look forward to seeing you at Parents' Evening this week and I am available if anyone has a specific query they wish to address with me.

Mrs Green

## 100 Club

Congratulations to Kevin Lee, a past member of staff whose number was drawn from the bag during Sharing Assembly on Friday 14th February. There will be another draw this half term - watch this space for the date!

## Celebrations!

Pupils of the week:

Class 1: Anna Fereday for super progress in her reading, writing and maths

Class 2: Rosie Howling for trying hard in both Literacy and Numeracy

Class 3: Jack Doyle for listening carefully and for enthusiastic participation in history

Class 4: Drew McMillan for great effort all week in his assessments without any anxiety

The Infant Cup was awarded to Hannah Lonsdale for having a sensible attitude and persevering with her writing. The Junior Cup was awarded to Sophie Howling for a mature attitude to her tests this week and super effort with her swimming. Well done to all the children who shared their successes in this week's sharing assembly and to those pupils who remained on green all week. 56 Certificates were awarded to those pupils who had remained on Green for the whole half term.

The following pupils were drawn from the raffle pots as 'Delightful Diners' - Jack Barnett, Harry Erraji, Dominic Evans and Thomas Ikin - their special lunch will be on Monday 24th February.



## Sporting events

The football team have the opportunity to play their remaining matches on Friday 28th February. These matches have been re-arranged following the cancellation before half term due to the weather. The arrangements for taking and collecting the children will be as before. Miss Ledsham and I will be there to support and encourage the team. This tournament has been arranged by Premier Sports, with thanks to Mr Ashton for his time in preparing the children for the tournament.

Gymnastic after school club for classes 1 and 2 continue this half term with Gymnastics starting for classes 3 and 4 on Monday 24th February.

## Whole school languages day - a reminder

On Friday 28th February we will be holding a whole school languages and cultures day. The children will be working in their houses and each teacher is planning a day based on a European country so that the children can develop an understanding of the language and culture of that country. Parents and families are invited to join their children from 1.15pm onwards. The children will also be sharing their experiences during sharing assembly that day. The assembly will start at 2.30pm that day.

## Parents' evenings

These will take place on **Wednesday 26th February and Thursday 27th February**. Each child will have brought home a slip detailing their allocated appointment time. I am available on both evenings if you would like to address a particular issue with me.

## Administration of medicines

Any medicines can only be administered in school once a parent has completed and returned the appropriate form (this is available on the school website, [www.capenhurstcep.cheshire.sch.uk](http://www.capenhurstcep.cheshire.sch.uk)); this includes prescription and non-prescription medicines such as calpol. This is a service that school offer so as to support a pupil's return to school following illness as soon as they are able but still need to complete a course of medicine. It is a service that can be withdrawn at any time if deemed necessary. If the appropriate form has not been completed, then the medicine will not be administered during the school day. Thank you for your continuing support and cooperation with this matter.



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Class 4 trip

Class 4 are looking forward to their trip to see the Shakespeare4Kids performance on Tuesday 25th February. Thank you to everyone who has returned their slip and money. I am sure the children will have a great afternoon and I am confident that they will behave in their usual exemplary manner.

Family Lunches

There are 2 more family lunches taking place this half term. Class 3 will host their family lunch on Wednesday 5th March and Class 2 will be hosting theirs on Wednesday 26th March. Text reminders will be sent near to each date, please reply as soon as you can so that food can be ordered in time to meet everyone's needs.

Class 3 swimming

Class 3 will begin their swimming lessons on Wednesday 26th February. All children will need to bring their swimming things to school in the morning ready to leave immediately after registration.

Friends of Capenhurst - reminder of events

**Friday 28th February - School sweater and summer dress sale**

This is an opportunity for you to re-cycle school sweaters and summer dresses that are in good condition by selling them to other parents for a nominal charge. The items of clothing will need to be washed and pressed with the size easily visible so that parents can buy the appropriate size for their child. Clothing is to be brought into school from Monday 24th February and the sale will take place before and after sharing assembly on that day.

**Friday 4th April - Chocolate tombola**

This event will take place before and after sharing assembly on the Friday. Donations of chocolate for the stall can be brought in on **Friday 28th March** with the children being able to wear their own clothes in return for a donation to the stall.

If you are able to help out at any of the above events, please contact a member of Friends of Capenhurst or let school know in the usual ways.



Birthday Celebrations

We have no birthdays to celebrate this week