



Thank you to everyone who took part in our first 'Bingo and Bangers' session last Friday. It was a fun evening and it was lovely to see families joining in together. Congratulations to the winners! A big 'THANK YOU' to Mr Henson who kindly donated the prize money and to Mrs Henson, Mrs Lowe, Mrs Broomfield and Mrs Osborne who gave their time to organise and run the event. A total of £344.75 was raised!

As always, if you have any questions about events or concerns about school, please do not hesitate to speak to a member of staff.

Mrs Green

Celebrations!

Stars of the week

Class 1: Alfie Austin for working hard with his letters and sounds.

Class 2: Charlie Cooper for some lovely writing and trying hard to stay on task.

Class 3: Grace Seddon for her improved writing.

The Infant cup was awarded to Leighton Bradley for being more confident to try new activities. The Junior cup was awarded to Aeryn Marsden for a fantastic attitude to all aspects of school life.



Maths Class of the week: Class 1

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



Dates and events - a few things for the calendar!

Tuesday 13th February - Clarinet concert at 2.40pm for parents of Class 3 children

Wednesday 14th February - Year 5 & 6 Family Lunch

Monday 19th Feb - Friday 23rd Feb - Half Term Week

Wednesday 28th February - Parents' Evening, 4-6pm

Thursday 1st March - Parents' Evening, 3.30-5.30pm

Wednesday 7th March - Class 3 trip to the Liverpool Philharmonic

Wednesday 7th March, 7pm - Edsential Musical Routes Showcase Concert for Class 3

Thursday 8th March - Forest School morning for Classes 1 & 2

Friday 9th March - Fun Science Assembly

Sunday 11th March - Mothering Sunday Service at Holy Trinity

21st - 23rd March - Conway residential trip for Class 3 children

Thursday 22nd March - Infant Ethos Group trip to Bishop Wilson Primary for joint worship

Thursday 29th March - School closes at 3.10pm for Easter holidays and Spring Break

Monday 16th April - Return to school for the Summer Term

Friday 20th April - Class Photos and Leavers' Photos

Thursday 3rd May - Forest School morning for Classes 1 & 2

Monday 7th May - School closed - Bank Holiday

Week commencing Monday 14th May - SATs Week - no absences will be authorised during this week

Friday 25th May - Sports for Champions

Monday 28th May - Friday 1st June - Half Term Week

Monday 4th June - School closed - INSET Day

12th - 13th June - Beeston residential for Class 2 children

Wednesday 20th June - Art Exhibition and cake sale after school

Thursday 28th June - Forest School morning for Classes 1 & 2

Friday 29th June - School closed - INSET Day

Tuesday 24th July - School closes for the summer holidays at 2pm

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.

Attendance

Whole school attendance for February (to date):

96.2%

Whole school attendance for the year to date is:

96.5%

Last week's best attendees:

Class 2

Conway Centre Residential - Class 3

If you have not yet returned the consent form and medical forms for your child's residential, please do so this week. The first instalment should have been paid by Friday 26th January. If you are not sure how much is outstanding or if you need to make alternative payment arrangements, please speak to Mrs Auld in the office as soon as possible. Thank you.



Friends of Capenhurst

Forthcoming Events:

- Tuesday 6th March, 3.10pm - Friends of Capenhurst meeting after school, crèche provided, all welcome
- Thursday 29th March, 2.30pm - Easter Dash!
- Friday 20th April, 7pm - Quiz
- Friday 18th May - Race Night (with community group)

Bonus Ball

This week's bonus ball was number 13 (10/02/18). There was no winner so next week will be a double roller! £51 is up for grabs! To join, please see Mrs Osborne.

Jam jars

Friends of Capenhurst are collecting empty, clean jars for future events. The jars need to be washed and have their labels removed before sending to school with their lids. Thank you.

Clarinet Concert

The children in Class 3 would like to invite their parents and extended family members to a short clarinet concert in the village hall at 2.40pm on **Tuesday** (13/02/18). We hope that many of you will be able to join us!



Parents' Evening

Parents' Evening will be held after the half term holiday on Wednesday 28th February and Thursday 1st March. Thank you to those who have returned the booking slip; appointments will be sorted this week with all parents being allocated a time. If no preference was given then a time will be allocated based on those available.

Balanceability

The children in Reception and Year 1 will have a taster session with our balance bikes this Friday. We have bicycle helmets in school of a suitable size. The taster session will be led by a Balanceability trainer who will also be training staff from Capenhurst and other schools in how to deliver these sessions to their classes. This will be a fun and active session which the children can access wearing their school uniform as usual - they will need to make sure that they have their trainers in school on Friday. Please return the consent form as soon as possible if you have not already done so. Thank you.



West Cheshire Foodbank

We are continuing to support the West Cheshire Foodbank this year. This week the Foodbank is particularly in need of **tinned spaghetti, UHT juice and mashed potato**. 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.



Letters that were sent home last week:

- Liverpool Philharmonic (Class 3)
- Mothering Sunday Service
- Balanceability (Reception & Year 1)

Birthday Celebrations

The following children will celebrate a birthday this week:



Freya Warner

CONFIRMATIONS 2018

Dates & arrangements

Backford and Capenhurst parishes are taking part in the Confirmation Service at **Chester Cathedral at 8pm on Saturday, 31st March 2018.**

If you are ready to grow in faith, confirmation is part of your journey with Jesus. Classes will be held at Mollington Old School, Mollington next door to St. Oswald's Primary School; please bring your Bible.

Thursday 1st March 7.00pm Mollington Old School with refreshments

Thursday 8th March 7.00pm Mollington Old School with refreshments

Thursday 15th March 7.00pm Mollington Old School House with refreshments

Thursday 22nd March 7.00pm Mollington Old School with refreshments

Thursday 29th March 7.00pm Mollington Old School with refreshments

Saturday 31st March - Easter Eve Cathedral 8.00pm
Ring Jo for further details on 07834 829074



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