



CAPENHURST CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

13th May 2024

'Two are better than one, because they have a good return for their labour. If either of them falls down, one can help the other up. But pity anyone who falls and has no one to help them up.' Ecclesiastes 4:9-10

Christian Value - Community Service



Last week it was a pleasure to take many of Class 3 to take part in the netball and fencing tournament at Willaston CE Primary School. The netball teams played well, scoring many goals and winning a few games. The fencing team of three took on children of a similar age and some Year 6 pupils. They played well with three matches coming down to the last point. We also had a win! Thank you to Mr Hartley for organising.

Please send any questions or comments to school using the email - contact@capenhurstcep.cheshire.sch.uk

Take care,
Mrs Green

Celebrations!

Stars of the week

C1 – Vinnie for amazing independent writing and reading with fluency.

C2 – Albie for being such a Year 2 superstar - always being ready to learn and always working hard.

C3 – Flynn for improving the presentation of his work and for showing attention to detail during the sketching activity at Church Farm.

C4 - Jax for demonstrating a mature and conscientious attitude to all of his work.

Infant cup - Seren for pushing herself out of her comfort zone to try new things and doing them with a smile on her face.

Junior cup - Verity for showing great resilience after being faced with personal challenges.

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



Dates and events - a few things for the calendar!

Mon 13th - Fri 17th May - KS2 SATS Week — NO HOLIDAYS WILL BE APPROVED DURING THIS WEEK!

Wednesday 22nd May - Year 4 Family Lunch

Thursday 23rd May - Class 4 Farm Visit

Friday 24th May - Sports Day from 1.30pm

Mon 27th - Fri 31st May - School closed for half term break

Monday 3rd June - INSET day (school closed for pupils)

Thursday 6th June - Class 2 Farm Visit

Thursday 13th June - Class 1 Farm Visit

Thurs 13th - Fri 14th June - Burwardsley residential for Class 2

Friday 14th June - Online Ethos Conference for Classes 3 & 4

Thursday 20th June - Class 3 Farm Visit

Tuesday 25th June - Class 3 The Green Ship experience

Thursday 27th June - Class 3 The Green Ship experience

Thursday 27th June - Class 4 Farm Visit

Thursday 4th July - Class 1 Farm Visit

Monday 8th July - AmaSing Concert at Chester Cathedral (Classes 3 & 4 choir)

Wednesday 10th July - Leavers' Service at Chester Cathedral for Year 6 pupils and staff

Thursday 11th July - KS2 Play, performances at 1.30pm and 6pm (further details will follow closer to the time)

Friday 12th July - Class 4 singing at The Old Rectory (date moved due to KS2 play)

Thursday 18th July - Leavers' Disco at Chester Rugby Club, 6-9pm (details will follow in due course)

Friday 19th July - Class 4 Activity Day at the Scout Hut on Heath Lane (details will follow in due course)

Tuesday 23rd July - Leavers' Service at Holy Trinity at 11am, followed by Leavers' Lunch for Year 6 families

Wednesday 24th July - School closes for the summer holidays at 1.30pm

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.

Sports Day - Friday 24th May

PE kit is to be worn for Sports Day and not general sportswear. T-shirts are to be **plain red, without patterns or logos** (with the exception of the school logo) and leggings/joggers/shorts should be **plain, logo-free and dark in colour**. Children will need a sun hat and a water bottle.



In worship this week...

...we will be using our time together in worship to think about how we can support the children who have tests this week. The children will be encouraged to do their best and know that we are here for them and proud of them, irrespective of the results. For those people of faith, they are confident in knowing that God is there for them and supporting them at all times. I have changed the Bible reference this week to reflect this. For those readers amongst us, we have the wisdom of Christopher Robin and Winnie the Pooh to reflect on.

'Leave your worries with Him, for He loves you' Peter 5:7

You're braver
than you believe,
stronger than you
seem, and smarter
than you think.
Winnie the Pooh



Class 4 Farm Visit - Thursday 16th May

Class 4 will be visiting the farm on Thursday morning next week. Your child will need to come to school in their PE kit, ensuring that he/she wears dark jogging bottoms (not shorts), due to the hay and long grass. Your child should wear a pair of trainers to school and bring a pair of wellies (preferable) or old trainers for the morning trip in a separate named bag. Your child will also need their school cardigan/jumper and a warm coat, scarf, hat and gloves. An extra/spare pair of socks would be a good idea to help keep feet warm!

If your child needs insect spray, please administer this at home prior to school. Please do not send any insect spray into school as it will be a distraction and the children should not be carrying medication with them in their coats or bags.

If your child suffers from hayfever, it would be helpful if you could give a dose of antihistamine in the morning before school and email school at contact@capenhurstcep.cheshire.sch.uk to let us know that you have done so.

Selfless Shelves supporting the West Cheshire Foodbank - All in, bring a tin!

We think that Capenhurst is a welcoming community that includes everyone irrespective of race, gender or religion. The 'Selfless Shelves' is a project where children can earn a token as a reward for a good deed in school. This token can then be exchanged for a food item from the 'Selfless Shelves' which can then be placed in the Foodbank. Everyone is encouraged to bring items for the shelves - the children see this as a 'Circle of Kindness'. **We encourage families to help out over the next few days by bringing in things for the Selfless Shelves. All in, bring a tin!**

The Foodbank will then use these items to support local families struggling to provide food for themselves. We will continue to support the West Cheshire Foodbank in our traditional way and food items can be brought in and placed on the 'Selfless Shelves' or directly into the collection box. The Foodbank is particularly in need of **UHT Juice, instant mash, tinned fruit, tinned meats/meat meals and toiletries, especially deodorant.**



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.

Dates for your diary!

Friday 21st June - Quiz Night

Birthday Celebrations

The following children celebrate a birthday this week: (13th - 19th May)

Abigail C

Sophia M



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