

CAPENHURST CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER,

20th January 2025

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Christian Value - Celebration



It was lovely to be able to host Celebration Worship last week - it seemed such a long time since the last one! I hope the families of Class 4 children enjoyed seeing their Tiger Books. I'm sure you will agree they are pretty fabulous!. More good news - the Ten Pin bowling team have been invited to take part in the National Final in March. More information will be sent home to families of the children involved closer to the time.

As usual, if you have any queries or questions, please do not hesitate to raise them at school - it is easiest to send them via email to contact@capenhurstcep.cheshire.sch.uk.

Many thanks, Mrs Green

Celebrations

Stars of the week

- C1 Jack for fantastic writing and great engagement at the zoo.
- C2 Olivia R for her infectious enthusiasm about the dragon egg, and fantastic mental maths.
- C3 Sienna for brilliant understanding and application in maths.
- C4 Nora for always having pride in her work and producing a lovely list poem using noun phrases and relative clauses.

Infant cup - Alexandra for always helping out and being a positive role model to her peers.

Junior cup - Ava M for being a helpful member of our school community.

Cheshire Phoenix tickets - Luke for consistently making sensible choices and for always following our golden rules.

Chester FC tickets - Fletcher for producing some lovely work in both maths and English this week and his enthusiasm for the zoo project.

Vauxhall FC tickets - Verity for having a happy and settled start to the New Year.

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



Dates and events - a few things for the calendar!

Tuesday 21st Jan - Class 1 Farm Trip - please note change of day

Wednesday 22nd Jan - Year 4 Family Lunch

Friday 24th Jan - Dodgeball Tournament at Willaston CE Primary School - the team has been notified via ParentMail

Thursday 30th Jan - Class 2 Farm Trip

Wednesday 5th Feb - Year 3 Family Lunch

Thursday 6th Feb - Class 3 Farm Trip

Friday 7th Feb - Y1/2 Multi-skills event at St Oswald's CE Primary School - the team will be notified via ParentMail

Thursday 13th Feb - Class 4 Farm Trip

Friday 14th Feb - After-school clubs finish until Monday 10th Feb

Monday 17th - Friday 21st Feb - School closed for half term break

Monday 24th Feb - INSET day (school closed for pupils)

Wednesday 26th Feb - Parents' Evening, 4-7pm (further details will follow in due course)

Thursday 27th Feb - Parents' Evening 4-7pm (further details will follow in due course)

Wednesday 5th Mar - Year 2 Family Lunch

Wednesday 5th - Friday 7th Mar - KS2 Conway Centre residential

Monday 10th Mar - After-school clubs resume for the second half of Spring Term

Wednesday 19th Mar - Ten Pin Bowling National Final - further details will be issued closer to the time

Wednesday 26th Mar - Year 1 Family Lunch

Monday 4th Apr - Tuesday 22nd Apr - School closed for Spring Break

Wednesday 23rd Apr - School reopens to pupils for the Summer 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.

Swimming Coach Payment for Class 3

A reminder that payment towards the swimming coach should have been made via Parentmail; £33 was due by Tuesday 7th January and the remaining £33 on or before Tuesday 25th February. If you have not yet made payment for the first half term, please contact Mrs Auld in the school office to let us know when to expect payment. Thank you.



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In worship this week...

...we are joining our small family of schools in shared worship with each school leading worship across the week. Today, the children from Capenhurst led worship. It was based around the BFG - Big Family of God - but did start with the Big Friendly Giant. Taking the theme of trust, the children talked about the trust that Sophie and the BFG showed each other and the trust that we can show others. Placing our trust in God, enables Him to help and guide us. It also shows how we can follow His example and develop trust between ourselves and each other. Being part of a family, building strong relations that are built on trust is vital for everyone to thrive and flourish. The children led worship well this morning; I was very proud of them.

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Spring Term After-School Clubs

Spring term after-school clubs started on Monday 13th January. Sports clubs, Minecraft (KS2 only) and fencing (Years 2-6) should be booked and paid for directly with the external providers before Monday 13th January. All teacher-led clubs incur a cost of £3.50 per week and you will be billed via ParentMail as appropriate. Please pay half termly in advance.

Mondays - CEPD Gymnastics (Y1-Y6); Lego club (Rec - Y2)

Tuesdays - British Sign Language (Y1-Y6) for 5 weeks to Feb half term; Mindfulness club (Rec - Y2); Origami club (Y3-Y6)

Thursdays - CEPD Dodgeball (Rec - Y2); Minecraft (Y3-Y6) Fridays - Lunchtime Fencing (Y2-Y6) up to Feb half term

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 respectively. for a good deed in school. This token can then be exchanged for a food item from the 'Selfless TOOO 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 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 juices, breakfast bars, pudding/desserts, tinned fruit, jams and spreads.

Birthday Celebrations

The following children celebrate a birthday this week: (20th - 26th Jan)

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