

### CAPENHURST CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

# NEWSLETTER

8th July 2019



The junior children have been practising their end of year performance and we hope you are all looking forward to being entertained on Wednesday. The weather has been kind and we are all looking forward to sports day this afternoon.

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: Emily-Grace C for her hard work and progress with phonics.

Class 2: Lexi E for always trying her best and being a good all-rounder!

Class 3: Ava A for working so hard all of the time.

The Infant cup was awarded to Mason L for improved focus and cooperation in class and on the playground. The Junior cup was awarded to Ben H for all his fantastic effort and hard work.

Premier Sport Star: Amelia R for her listening skills and enthusiasm in PE.

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



#### Dates and events - a few things for the calendar!

W/C Monday 8th July - Final week for all after school clubs

Monday 8th July - Sports Day

Tuesday 9th July - Year 6 Leavers' Service at Chester Cathedral (pupils and staff only)

Wednesday 10th July - KS2 Play at 1.30pm and 6pm

Monday 15th July - 9am Guitar Performance

Tuesday 16th July - All children singing at the soup lunch at 1.15pm in the village hall - all parents/carers/families welcome to attend

Wednesday 17th July, 6.30-9.30pm - Leavers' Disco at The Whitby Sports and Social Club

Monday 22nd July - Y6 Leavers' Service, 11am, at Holy Trinity Church followed by leavers' lunch back at school

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

Wednesday 4th September - School re-opens to pupils for the autumn term

Tuesday 10th September - Swimming starts for Years 3-6

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 July (to date) is:

98.6%

Whole school attendance for the year to date is:

74.7%

Last week's best attendees:

Class 3

#### SEND Consultation

The Council is running a consultation from 20<sup>th</sup> June until 12<sup>th</sup> September 2019 on services for children and young people with SEND needs, to help inform the future development of the service and would like to hear your views. In February 2018, Cheshire West and Chester Council commissioned a review of its high needs provision. This involved identifying the key issues and challenges facing the local area's SEND system and highlighting areas for development. They would really value your views on the proposed options under consideration to help shape the services provided to children, young people with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities.

#### Ways to get involved:

You can complete our online survey <a href="https://www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk/SENDconsultation">www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk/SENDconsultation</a>
You can register to attend one of our stakeholder events

- Monday 8<sup>th</sup> July at Winsford Lifestyle Centre, 2pm 4pm
- Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> July at County Officer's Sports Club, Upton, 10am 12pm
- Monday 15<sup>th</sup> July at Ellesmere Port Civic Hall, 6:30pm 8:30pm

You can find out more information about the consultation and other ways to take part by visiting <a href="https://www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk/SENDconsultation">www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk/SENDconsultation</a> You can also complete a paper copy of the survey available from your local library, Children's Centre or Council Office or by contacting the Information, Advice and Support Service on 0300 123 7001. The results from the consultation will be made available on the Council's Website in December 2019. Any future provision agreed will be implemented from September 2020 allowing us time to ensure any changes are well managed.



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#### Friends of Capenhurst

#### **Forthcoming Events:**

#### **Bonus Ball**

This week's bonus ball was number 9 (06/07/19) which belongs to Lezley Grimshaw! Congratulations! Please see Mrs Osborne if you would like to get involved.

## 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.

#### Parent Mail Reminder

From September, we will **no longer be accepting cash or cheques** for payment of school dinners, snacks, swimming and trips. Please make sure you create an account with Parent Mail as soon as possible if you have not done so already.

Parent Mail also sends a handy reminder, detailing how much your child owes for dinners and snacks every time your balance reaches £0. This should reduce the need to ask Mrs Auld how much is owing on your child's account. If you have any queries regarding online payments and need any help, please bring your mobile device to the office and Mrs Auld will assist.

#### Summer Reading Challenge 2019



There are lots of activities and fun available at your local libraries this Summer and it's all free! Just visit your local branch **from Saturday 13 July onwards** in order to take part. All you have to do is read 6 books over the summer and collect rewards along the way including bookmarks, glasses and window stickers.

This year's Summer Reading Challenge takes place in space, in celebration of the 50th anniversary of the first Moon landing.

If you manage to find all the books and complete the mission there's also a certificate and medal to collect, given out at a special award ceremony.

It's that simple – just call into your local library, from Saturday 13 July onwards, and let the adventure begin!

#### **Enterprise Fundraising**

Your child will be bringing home a cup shortly. Please fill it with goodies as you see fit eg. sweets, party bag items, hair bobbles, small toys etc. Please cover with a piece of wrapping paper and an elastic band to secure the items inside the cup. Please return to school by Monday 15th July so that they can be raffled off in the tombola at the leavers' disco. Thank you for your support.

#### Club Cancellations

Due today's Sports Day the following clubs are cancelled:

- Craft Club cancelled on Monday 8th July (Sports Day)
- KS2 Premier Sport cancelled on Monday 8th July (Sports Day)

Please arrange to collect your child at 3.10pm on this day; apologies for any inconvenience caused.

#### Letters sent home last week:

- KS2 Performance Ticket Letter (KS2)
- Leavers' Disco (whole school)



#### Birthday Celebrations

The following children celebrate a birthday this week:

Emmie S Isla G-C Emilia R

#### West Cheshire Foodbank

We are continuing to support the Foodbank this term. The Foodbank would particularly welcome the following food items:

UHT fruit juice, UHT milk, instant coffee, instant custard, instant pasta/noodles, Cup a Soup

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.



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