

CAPENHURST CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

4th May 2015



A short week this week following a longer weekend which I trust you all enjoyed with family and friends. The children in Year 6 will be revising this week in preparation for their SATs next week - we all wish them well with their revision and the tests that will follow.

Kind regards,

Mrs Green

Sharing assembly

Sharing assembly will take place on Friday at the usual time of 2:40pm.

We look forward to seeing you

Celebrations!

Stars of the week

Class 1: Milla Evans for fantastic work in maths

Class 2: Evan Bartlett for fantastic problem solving in maths

Class 3: Dominic Evans for trying really hard with column addition in maths and setting his calculations out neatly

Class 4: Mark Howie for some good detailed instruction writing last week

The Infant cup was awarded to Lucy Brassington for an excellent attitude to work and school. The Junior cup was awarded to Claudia Barrett for demonstrating a more mature attitude towards school and making sensible choices.



Congratulations to all the children who remained on GREEN all week.

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

Dates for your calendars

Wednesday 6th May - Family lunch for Class 2

w/c 11th May - KS SATs for Y6 pupils. No holidays will be approved during this week.

Monday 11th May - Parents' Information Meeting after school for Years 1 and 2 regarding Beeston Residential Wednesday 13th May - Parents' Information Evening for Classes 1 and 2 about the Discover Arts Award Friday 15th May - Cake sale after sharing assembly

Monday 18th May - Whole school dance workshop

Friday 22nd May - Visit from Adrian Derbyshire, Great Britain Paralympic Athlete - families are invited to join us for sharing assembly at the earlier time of 9:10am

25th - 29th May - School closed for Half Term Break

Monday 1st June - INSET day, school closed to pupils. School re-opens to pupils on Tuesday 2nd June.

9th - 10th June - Y1 and Y2 pupils to Beeston

Wednesday 17th June - Y6 pupils trip to Chester University

Thursday 18th June - Whole school trip to the Horse Trials at the Bolesworth Estate, Cheshire. More details to follow.

Tuesday 23rd June - Y6 Diocesan Leavers' Service at Chester Cathedral

23rd - 25th June - Ellesmere Port Arts Festival

Thursday 2nd July - Sports Day (to be confirmed)

Wednesday 15th July - Leavers' Disco at Mollington golf club, all invited

Monday 20th July - Leavers' Service for pupils in Year 6 at Holy Trinity church starting at 11.30am

Tuesday 21st July - School closes for summer at 2.00pm

Wednesday 2nd September - School re-opens to pupils following the summer break

Further dates, events and details will be sent home as they become available.

Friends of Capenhurst - A reminder about the clothes collection

Thank you to everyone who brought bags of clothes for the collection. If you have any further items, there will be another collection on Friday morning at the back of the village hall.



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Collection for Nepal

Thank you to those who contributed to our collection to help those affected by the earthquake in Nepal. If you would like to add to the collection, please send any contributions to school in an envelope marked 'Nepal Collection' and we shall then arrange for the monies to be sent on during the week.

Y6 trip to Chester University

On Wednesday 17th June the pupils in Y6 will join Y6 pupils from schools within the local area as they mark the end of their time at primary school. This is a new venture for the pupils of Capenhurst and one that we hope will become a regular part of Y6 activities in the future.

Discover Arts Award

The children in Classes 1 and 2 will have the opportunity to work towards achieving the Discover level Arts Award during this term. They will be able to use their experience with the artist Ticky Lowe in preparation for the Arts Festival, their participation in the dance workshop and the arts festival itself. Miss Riddiough will be running a short meeting on Wednesday 13th May where she will explain the award in more detail. There will be an additional letter sent home this week.

Beeston Residential - 9th & 10th June - Parents' Meeting

The children in Years 1 & 2 have the opportunity to visit Beeston Outdoor Education Centre for an overnight residential stay. This will take place during 9th and 10th June. It is an excellent experience for all the children with a variety of activities being planned by Mrs Wilbraham and Miss Riddiough. Letters detailing the arrangements and costs were sent home just before the half term break. Please return consent forms and medical forms ASAP if you have not already done so.

There will be an information meeting for Y1 & Y2 parents regarding this trip straight after school on Monday 11th May. Mrs Wilbraham and Miss Riddiough will be available to answer any questions you may have about the residential.

Polling day - Thursday 7th May

School is open as usual on polling day, however, the village hall will be used as a polling station. Please be mindful that the car park may be busier than usual when dropping off and collecting your children at the start and end of the school day. Thank you for your cooperation with this in advance of the day.

Cheshire Police and Cheshire Fire and Rescue Service - Open Day

On Sunday 17th May, the above services will be holding an open day at Cheshire Police HQ, Winsford, CW7 2UA. The event is free and will run from 11am until 4pm. It looks to be an informative and engaging day which I hope many of you are able to attend.

Starting School in September 2015

Today is the deadline for accepting a reception place for September 2015. If your child is starting school in September, please ensure that you accept their place today. Please remind family and friends who may also be in a similar position. Thank you.

School Uniform Orders

If you need to order any school uniform from our supplier www.yourschooluniform.com the next cut off date for free delivery to school is Tuesday 12th May. This will ensure delivery in early June, after half term.

Letters that have been sent home

There were no additional letters to parents sent home during last week.