



CAPENHURST CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

11th July 2022



Class 2 had a wonderful time at Delamere last week. The staff at the centre were impressed with their independence and behaviour throughout their stay. The staff and I enjoyed spending time with the children and were very proud of everyone and how they had a go at everything. A good first residential.

This week sees the start of our end of year events - KS2 performance early this week, Diocesan Leavers' Service at the Cathedral on Wednesday and the Leaver's Disco on Thursday evening.

Any questions, please email us at contact@capenhurstcep.cheshire.sch.uk

Mrs Green

Dates and events - a few things for the calendar!

Monday 11th July - KS2 Play morning dress rehearsal and afternoon performance

Tuesday 12th July - KS2 Play afternoon (1.30pm) and evening performance (6pm) for Y3-6 families

Wednesday 13th July - Year 6 Diocesan Leavers' Service at the Cathedral (pupils and staff only)

Thursday 14th July - Year 6 Big Maths event at The Whitby High School

Thursday 14th July - Leavers' Party (whole school invited) - tickets will be sent home this week

Thursday 21st July - Leavers' Service at Holy Trinity Church followed by Leavers' Lunch in school

Friday 22nd July - School closes at 1.30pm for the summer holidays

Thursday 1st Sept - School closed INSET Day

Friday 2nd Sept - School closed INSET Day

Monday 5th Sept - School open to pupils in Y1 - Y6

Tuesday 6th Sept - School open to all pupils, including our new Reception children

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.

Diocesan Leavers' Service - Wednesday 13th July

Our Year 6 children have been invited to Chester Cathedral to attend a Leavers' Service along with other schools from across Cheshire West & Chester. The Service takes place this Wednesday 13th July and is for pupils and staff only.

The children should arrive at school as normal on Wednesday morning and then we will travel to Chester by coach, along with children and staff from St Oswald's CE Primary School. After the service, we will be having a picnic - and maybe an ice cream - in Grosvenor Park, before returning to school in time for the end of the school day.

Your child will need a packed lunch in a named carrier bag if you have not already ordered one in advance from school. There will be a charge of £2.40 for a school packed lunch if your child is not in receipt of income-based free school meals. Please ensure that your child comes to school in full school uniform as normal.

Year 6 Big Maths - Thursday 14th July

Our Year 6 children have been invited to take part in a Big Maths session at The Whitby High School organised with the University of Liverpool. The session will take place during the school day and the children will be collected by minibus from school at 11.25am and will return to school at approximately 1.05pm. Mrs Ritson will accompany the children. Due to the timings of the session, a hot school dinner will not be available, so your child will need to bring a packed lunch from home if you have not already ordered a school packed lunch. Your child should wear school uniform as normal.

Selfless Shelves supporting the West Cheshire Foodbank

The children of class 4 think 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'. 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 **tinned tomatoes, UHT milk, UHT juice, cereal bars, tinned fruit/desserts, custard, instant coffee (small jars), jams and spreads, instant mash/tinned potatoes, sweet treats/crisps, instant pasta/noodles, small boxes tea bags, tinned meats/fish.**





Updated guidance about general childhood illnesses and on-going covid-19 infections.

The list of symptoms for Covid-19, flu and common respiratory infections include:

- continuous cough
- high temperature, fever or chills
- loss of, or change in, your normal sense of taste or smell
- shortness of breath
- unexplained tiredness, lack of energy
- muscle aches or pains that are not due to exercise
- not wanting to eat or not feeling hungry
- headache that is unusual or longer lasting than usual
- sore throat, stuffy or runny nose
- diarrhoea, feeling sick or being sick

If your child has any of the above symptoms and are generally unwell, they should not attend school. If your child has a high temperature, fever or chills, they should remain at home until their temperature has returned to normal. Typically, a child with a mild runny nose or infrequent cough, who is generally well, can attend school. If their wellness changes during their time school, you may be called to collect them.

If your child does test positive for Covid-19, the advice is that they remain at home for 3 days. For further advice, please refer to <https://www.gov.uk/guidance/people-with-symptoms-of-a-respiratory-infection-including-covid-19>

Please find attached a sheet containing information about a range of common childhood illnesses which you may find useful. When calling to report a pupil absence, please be specific about the reason for their absence as this will help everyone to understand and offer appropriate guidance and advice. Comments such as 'a bit poorly', 'unwell' and similar are unhelpful and are to be avoided.

Friends of Capenhurst

Facebook Page

Just a reminder 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.

Bonus Ball

The bonus ball on Saturday 9th July was number 45. Congratulations to Pam Oldfield!

Birthday Celebrations

The following children celebrated a birthday last week or do so this week (4th—17th July)



Kaitlyn R

Isla G-C

Eddie B

Emilia R

Ted A

Scarlett W



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