



CAPENHURST CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

8th February 2016



The staff and I are looking forward to seeing you all at parents' evening this week. It has been a very busy half term and I hope you all have an enjoyable break. We will see you back in school again on Tuesday 23rd February. Don't forget that the children in Class 1 will be sharing their dinosaur work with the school during this week's sharing assembly. There will also be a cake sale and a 100 club draw.
Mrs Green

Celebrations!

Stars of the week

Class 1: Libby Brassington for her contributions and enthusiasm during dance.

Class 2: Abigail Heeley for trying hard with her literacy and independent writing.

Class 3: Kyran Pover for his enthusiastic response to our topic of time travel.

Class 4: Jamee Jones for great perseverance when finding things difficult and always trying her best.

The Infant cup was awarded to Bella McKenna for increased independence and focus during a range of class activities. The Junior cup was awarded to Will Guest for always tackling challenges with enthusiasm and perseverance. Well done to everyone who shared their news and achievements in assembly last week.



Attendance
Whole school
attendance for the
month of January was:

96.5%

Dates and events - a few things for the calendar!

Wednesday 10th February - Parents' Evening, 3.30 - 5.00pm

Thursday 11th February - Parents' Evening, 4.00 - 6.00pm

Friday 12th February - Cake sale after sharing assembly

Friday 12th February - School closes for half term

Monday 22nd February - INSET day. School closed to pupils

Tuesday 23rd February - School re-opens for pupils

Friday 26th February - DVD/Book sale after sharing assembly

Thursday 3rd March - Young Voices concert, please refer to earlier letter for details

Thursday 3rd March - World Book Day, further details to follow

Wed 16th - Fri 18th March - Residential trip for pupils in Classes 3 and 4

Wednesday 16th March - Class 1 Family Lunch

Monday 21st March - Sport Relief - further details to follow

Tuesday 22nd March - Class 1 & 2 Trip to Bickley Hall Farm - further details to follow

Wednesday 23rd March - Easter Service at Holy Trinity Church at 11.30am - all welcome

Thursday 24th March - Non-uniform day with chocolate contributions for the tombola

Friday 25th March - Good Friday - school closed

Monday 28th March - Easter Monday - school closed

Friday 1st April - Chocolate tombola after sharing assembly

Friday 1st April - school closes for Easter holiday. Pupils to be collected at the usual time of 3.10pm

Monday 18th April - School re-opens for the summer term for staff and pupils.

Wednesday 27th April - Class 2 Family Lunch

Wednesday 18th May - Class 4 Family Lunch

Wednesday 25th May - Class 3 Family Lunch

Saturday 27th August - Family fun day (further details to follow during the rest of the school year)

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.

Safer Internet Day

Safer Internet Day will take place on Tuesday 9th February this year. The children will be taking part in awareness raising activities throughout the day, planned for by the staff. There is an e-safety section on our school website under the 'Parent Information' tab, with links and information which you may find useful. This is updated and added to on a regular basis. Most recently we have added a link to the 'Parents Protect!' website, a project of the Lucy Faithfull Foundation, as well as two useful leaflets produced by Cheshire Police relating to Internet Safety and Cyber Fraud.



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Friends of Capenhurst

Do you have any unwanted (and unused) Christmas gifts that need a new home? If so, please bring them into school so that they can be kept and used as raffle prizes etc. for future fundraising events.

Friday 12th February - Cake sale after sharing assembly; please bring cakes to school on the day.

Friday 26th February - Book/DVD sale; please bring in contributions from Wednesday 24th February onwards.

West Cheshire Foodbank

Thank you for your recent donations of items for the West Cheshire Foodbank. This week the Foodbank is particularly in need of **long life fruit juice, UHT milk and sugar**. 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.

Young Voices Reminder (Choir)

Please send in £11.50 for your child's coach travel for Young Voices by this Friday (12th February), if you have not already done so. Cheques should be made payable to 'CWAC'. A limited number of adult seats are available.

Conway Residential - Classes 3 & 4

With the half term holiday next week, just a reminder that the balance of your child's Conway residential trip should be paid in full by Friday 26th February. Thank you.

Vouchers for Schools

Sainsburys Active Kids - we are once again collecting vouchers; please send them in to the school office if you collect them when you shop.

Sycamore Garden Centre - Strikes Garden Centres run a 'Gardens for Schools' scheme, whereby they allocate a voucher for every £10 spent in a single transaction in their garden centres and coffee shops. Customers can then donate their vouchers to the school of their choice so they can be exchanged for free gardening products. We would welcome your vouchers as we need 250 vouchers to exchange for £100 to spend in the centre.

Golden Mile

Don't forget that everyone is welcome to join us on a Tuesday afternoon (weather permitting) from 3.10-3.30pm to take part in the Golden Mile.

Letters that have been sent home

No letters were sent home last week, other than the newsletter.



Birthday Celebrations

The following children will celebrate a birthday this week or during the half term break:

Suki Evans

Freya Warner