



# Chapel End Primary School News

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**Week Ending: Friday February 8<sup>th</sup> 2019**



Dear Parents,  
Welcome to the penultimate newsletter of this half-term.

## Y2 Victorian Day

Yesterday children in Year 2 enjoyed a fabulous trip back in time as part of their history topic. They had lots of fun trying out Victorian toys and games and experiencing what it was like to come to school in the 1800s. Thank you very much for your support in providing their fantastic costumes. The children enjoyed the day, though they assure us they wouldn't like to attend a Victorian school every day!



## Comic Relief Red Nose Day 15<sup>th</sup> March 19

As always, we will be supporting Comic Relief Day. On Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March children may come into school in their own clothes to support Comic Relief, in exchange for a donation.

From Monday 11<sup>th</sup> February we also have red noses available from the school office should anyone like to purchase one, priced at £1.25 each with at least 65p going to Comic Relief.



This year the red noses all hail from the Isle of Silly, a magical kingdom ruled by Snufflekins from the Snoreytale Conk Castle. There are 11 different noses all individually wrapped in their own special sealed box to be revealed when opened. Carefully open it up and follow the instructions on how to build the blocks of your castle go to [rednoseday.com/noses](http://rednoseday.com/noses). You can also 'bring your red nose to life' by scanning the QR code on the box with your phone and download the 'Red Nose' app from the App Store or Play store. You also have a 1 in 840 chance of getting the Rare Nose and a 1 in 8,400 chance of getting the Ultra Rare Noses!

Healthy Living Team

The Healthy Living Team will be providing drop-in sessions for parents to discuss anything they wish around the healthy living agenda and provide advice around any concerns you may have either about yourselves or members of your family. Next Drop-in date Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> February 3.30-4.00pm in the Children's Centre.

Pupils of the Week

Well done everyone and keep up the good work!

Nursery Part-time	Sophie Partington	Y3JK	Lottie Wood
Nursery Full-time	Megan Pilling	Y4BM	Isabella Ormrod
R/1KP	Savannah Crehan	Y5GK	Amara Ashall
R/1SB	Chloe Hitchen	Y5/6RR	Tom Doyle
Y1/2AA	Lucy Hladikova	Y6JS	Finn Blundell
Y2KT	Everyone for being Amazing on Victorian Day		

Y6 PGL Holiday 2019 - 26<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup> June 2019

A reminder that all outstanding balances for this year's PGL trip must be paid by 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2019. This is less than 8 weeks away. The total cost is £280.00. If you are unsure of how much is left owing for your child, please ask at the office. Please also remember to send in your PGL payment card in order for it to be updated by Mrs Marsh. Thank you.

Change of Meal Arrangements

A reminder that if your child would like to change meal arrangements after the holidays, please fill in a pink slip, available from the leaflet dispenser by the office. Slips must be returned by Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> February. School meals cost £11.75 per week and are paid each Monday in advance.

Fish Friday (packed lunches Monday-Thursday and a school meal on a Friday) are also paid in advance for the term (£14.10 next term, 6 weeks).

**NB** Please remember that meal arrangements apply for a half term and pupils may only change after a holiday period.

Young Voices Concert



We are looking forward to the Young Voices Concert at the Manchester Arena on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> February. Final details have already been sent home with the Choir children who will be attending. We have now been informed where the choir children will be seated - Block 122, rows N-T. To those families who are joining us on the night, have a great evening!



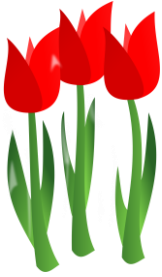
Mr Montrose's Football Training for Y4, 5 and 6



Football training will resume on Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> February, starting at 3.30pm and finishing at 4.30pm.

## PTFA NEWS

### Bedding Plants



This week you will have received an order form from the PTFA to purchase bedding plants, potted plants, planted baskets and bowls all from the comfort of your own home. Funds raised from the orders benefit our children.

All orders for bedding plants must be returned to school by **Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March**, to allow us to place our order with the supplier. Plants will then be delivered to school for you to collect on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> May. Spare order forms are available from the school office. If paying by cheque, please make payable to '**Chapel End School Friends Association**'. Thank you.

## Community News

### Free Introduction to Working with Children Workshop

Ever considered working or volunteering in a school to support children's learning? Do you want to know what jobs and volunteer opportunities are available/ what skills and qualifications you need? Go along to the free introduction workshop on Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> February 9.15am-12.15pm, Park Road Centre, WA9 1HE or telephone 01744 677328 to book a place.

### West Park RUFC - February Half Term Sports Camps

18<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup> February 9am-3pm. Open to both boys and girls aged 9-15 years with indoor and outdoor activities. £20 per child (discounts available for more than one child), cash or card accepted, packed lunch and own drinks required.

For more information please contact, [Lynn.Doyle@sky.com](mailto:Lynn.Doyle@sky.com) 07876 592216

### Next week in School

#### Monday 11<sup>th</sup> February

- Y3 Swimming (6 of 6)
- Young Voices

#### Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> February

- Violin lessons
- Guitar lessons
- KS 1 Dance (5 of 5) 3.20-4.20pm
- Eco Club 3.30-4.45pm
- Healthy Living Team Drop-in session 3.30-4pm Children's Centre

#### Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> February

Last day to change your child's meal arrangements for after half term!

- Brass lessons
- Fencing (5 of 5) 12 noon

#### Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> February

- Keyboard lessons
- KS2 Dodgeball (5 of 10) 3.30-4.30pm
- Drama 3.30-4.30pm

#### Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February

- Y4/5 Netball 3.30-4.15pm

**School closes for half term and re-opens on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February 19.**

Mr Smith  
Headteacher