



Chapel End Primary School News

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Week Ending: Friday December 13th 2019



Dear Parents,

Welcome to the penultimate newsletter of the year. It was lovely to see so many of you at the Christmas performances and, I'm sure you will agree; the children were absolutely amazing. I hope you can join us again next Friday for our carol singing on the playgrounds (weather permitting) and in the meantime, on behalf of the children, staff and governors of the school, I would like to say a huge thank you for all your support during the autumn term. We look forward to the New Year and wish you all a very happy and peaceful Christmas.

Y5 Visit to Imperial War Museum

Year 5 visited the museum last Friday and had a great day out. We learned a great deal about life during conflict and the children showed wonderful empathy. We were very pleased when comments about our good behaviour were made by the visiting public. Well done everyone!

Christmas Fair

The total amount raised was **£1,321.85** - a fantastic amount. It was a very successful evening with tremendous support from parents, families and ex-pupils. A huge thank you to Blackpool Pleasure Beach, Bubbles World of Play, Wigan Roller Rink, Houghwood Golf Club, Gullivers World, WWT Martin Mere, Dark Star Laser, Acorn Farm, for donating the raffle prizes.

Tea with Santa

Thank you to everyone who came and had their tea with Santa last Thursday. Everyone had a great time and Santa promised to return very soon with lots more presents! Santa judged the decorated Christmas Bauble Competition. Well done to Alfie Gough in Y2KT who was the winner!



Drama Performance

On Thursday morning Years 1-6 were treated to an improvised performance by the children who attend 'Wake Up Drama' classes in school.

Well done to James Rathbone-Britch, Maddison Smith, Caitlin Fass, Riley Underhill, Anna Williamson, Katie Carlyon, Isabelle Platt, Liam Barnes and Ryan Thorpe on a fantastic performance!

If your child was inspired by the performance and wishes to join the class the details are on the letter sent home yesterday.



Junior Treat Day - Monday 16th December



Junior Treat Day will take place next Monday 16th December. Y3, 4, 5 & 6 children can come to school dressed in pyjamas and bring a teddy/cushion. The children will be choosing from a range of activities in the morning and having a cinema experience in the afternoon enjoying pizza.

Dinner, After School and Breakfast Club Money

To assist with end of year banking arrangements can you please ensure all dinner, after school and breakfast club monies are paid promptly on Monday 16th December. Thank you.

Pupils of the Week

Well done everyone and keep up the good work!

<u>Year</u>	<u>Pupil</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Pupil</u>
Nursery Part-time	Everyone in Nursery, Reception, Y1 & Y2 for great nativity performances. Well done!	Y3JK	Faye Jackman
Nursery Full-time		Y4BM	Zac Boylan-McCann
R/1KP		Y5GR	Ella Brown
Y1/2AA		Y6AK	Caitlin Fass
Y2KT		Y6JS	Faye Daltonshaw



Christmas Party Dates

Tues 17th Dec - Y1 & Y2

Wed 18th Dec - Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6

Thurs 19th Dec - Nursery & Reception

All children should come in their 'party clothes' on the morning of their party.



Infant and Junior Carol Sing

As is tradition at Chapel End, the Infants and Juniors will be carol singing on the last day of term, **Friday 20th December**.

Nursery, Reception, Y1 & Y2 will be performing on the Reception playground at 1.15pm followed by Y3, 4, 5 and 6 at 1.40pm on the Junior playground.

This year's carol sing is in aid of The Samaritans. The Carol Sing will provide a lovely end to our very busy term. We hope you will all be able to come and support us with this event.



After School Club

Please note that there will be **NO** After School Club on Friday 20th December. It will recommence on Tuesday 7th January 2020.

Christmas Holidays

School closes on **Friday 20th December at 2.00pm**, and children may bring in a small, quiet toy of their choice. Please note: school can accept no responsibility for any damage to toys whilst they are on site. School uniform should be worn as normal. School re-opens on Tuesday 7th January 2020.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Haresfinch Hawkes/Haresfinch ARLFC

Haresfinch Hawkes are looking for rugby player; girls and boys aged 4-7 years, to join their ever growing community. For more information please contact Danny on 07584 243932.

Next week in School

Monday 16th December

- Y3, 4, 5 & 6 Treat Day - children to come to school dressed in pyjamas and bring a teddy/cushion

Tuesday 17th December

- Y1 & Y2 Christmas Party PM
- Last Violin lesson of year (postponed from last week)

Wednesday 18th December

- Y3, 4, 5 & 6 Christmas Party PM
- Choir 3.15-4.15pm

Thursday 19th December

- Nursery & Reception Christmas Party PM
- **After School Club closes 5.30PM and re-opens on Tuesday 7th January 2020**

Friday 20th December

- Uniform to be worn and children may bring a small quiet toy of their choice.
- Carol sing on playgrounds for parents in aid of The Samaritans: Infants (1.15pm) and Juniors (1.40pm)
- **School closes today at 2.00pm and re-opens on Tuesday 7th January 2020**

Mr Smith
Headteacher