



# Chapel End Primary School News

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**Week Ending: Friday January 24<sup>th</sup> 2020**

Dear Parents,

Welcome to this week's newsletter. The weeks seem to be flying by and it will be half term before we know it.

### Medical appointments during school hours

Since September 2019, 57 school sessions have been missed by children attending medical appointments in school hours. All medical appointments, including dentist and doctor's appointments, should be arranged, whenever possible, outside of school hours. Please note that in order to satisfy DFE requirements, when appointments are taken in school time, parents must provide medical evidence to support the absence for example by providing an appointment card or hospital appointment letter, clearly marked for the attention of the office staff. Thank you for your cooperation with this.

### Young Voices Concert



We are looking forward to the Young Voices Concert at the Manchester Arena next **Friday 31<sup>st</sup> January**. Final details have already been sent home with the Choir children who will be attending. As soon as we have been informed where the choir children will be seated and when the tee shirts arrive, we will let you know by text. To those families who are joining us on the night, have a great evening!

### 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 12<sup>th</sup> February**.

School meals cost £12.00 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 (£14.40 next term, 6 weeks).

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

### 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	Megan Hawksworth	Y3JK	Milla Mullarkey
Nursery Full-time	Harlow Smith	Y4BM	Charlotte Wood
R/1KP	Harmony Slater	Y5GR	Sam Holland
Y1/2AA	Corey Davies	Y6AK	Maddison Smith
Y2KT	Luca Hanna	Y6JS	Faye Daltonshaw

### PTFA NEWS

#### 5p Friday

Each class has been given an empty 2L milk bottle, and the aim is to fill each bottle with loose change. The class to fill their bottle first will win 50% of their change back to spend on supplies for their class. When all remaining classes fill their bottles they will win 25% of their change back to spend on supplies for their class.

We are asking for volunteer donations so please do not feel you have to send money every Friday. This will be an ongoing fundraising event either until all the bottles are full or we reach the end of the school year, at which point the bottle containing the most will be declared the winner. Also although we would like to collect 5ps in our bottles, all loose change, no matter how small will be greatly appreciated.

**Thank you for your support. Chapel End PTFA**

### Dates for your Diary

We will be holding a **non-uniform day on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March** in exchange for chocolate donations towards the Easter Bingo. Our **Easter Bingo will take place on Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> April**. More information on this event will follow after February half-term. Thank you for your support.

### Next Week in School

<p><b><u>Monday 27<sup>th</sup> January</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> January</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Violin Lessons</li><li>• Guitar Lessons</li><li>• Keyboard Lessons</li><li>• Woodwind Lessons</li><li>• Y1/2 Dodgeball 3.20-4.20pm (3 of 4)</li></ul> <p><b><u>Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> January</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Brass Lessons</li><li>• Archery 12-12.50pm (3 of 5)</li><li>• Choir 3.15-4.15pm</li><li>• Reading Groups N/R &amp; Y1/2 3.15-4.00pm</li></ul>	<p><b><u>Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> January</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Reception Vision/Hearing Screening</li><li>• KS2 Dodgeball 3.20-4.20pm (3 of 4)</li><li>• Drama Club - 3.20-4.20pm</li></ul> <p><b><u>Friday 31<sup>st</sup> January</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Young Voices</li></ul>
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**Mr Smith**  
**Headteacher**

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31<sup>st</sup> January - Young Voices

6<sup>th</sup> February Y2 Victorian Day

11<sup>th</sup> February Parents Evening 3.30-6.30pm

13<sup>th</sup> February Parents Evening 3.30-6.30pm

**14<sup>th</sup> February school closes at 3.15pm for half term and re-opens on 24<sup>th</sup> February**