

Capel-Le-Ferne Primary School

Newsletter Friday 19th January 2024

'Learning today for life tomorrow'



RESPECT

INDEPENDENCE

CONFIDENCE

CREATIVITY

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been a cold week, but the winter sun has made it a lovely week and hopefully the fine weather will last a little longer. Thank you for remembering jackets, hats and scarves for your children. We have lots coming up so please make sure you check the dates on this newsletter. We also have a new website that will be launched in the coming weeks as well as outlining our school approach to homework moving forwards (thank you to parents who sent in feedback about this topic). Have a great weekend,

Anthony Richards, Headteacher

PFA QUIZ NIGHT

Capel-le-Ferne PFA are holding a quiz night in our school hall on Friday 26th January at 7.00pm. Teams of 6. £3 per adult and £1.50 per child. To book please let the school office know, alternatively there will be a limited number of tables available on the night. Please bring your own food and snacks. We look forward to seeing you there!

POLITE REMINDER FOR YEARS R AND 1

Please can we ask that children do not bring in toys from home. We have had an increasing number of children bringing in soft toys or figures and they will be very sad if their toy gets lost or broken, so please can toys stay at home. Thank you.

YOUNG VOICES

Members of the School Choir took part in Young Voices at the O2 arena on Tuesday 16th January. They absolutely did us proud with their fantastic singing, dancing and even signing! Everyone had an amazing time watching some amazing acts and getting the chance to sing at an incredible venue as part of the largest children's choir in the world. The children were a real pleasure to take on the trip, so well done, Choir!



SCHOOL COUNCIL EVENTS-

CAKE SALE

Next Friday the school council will be holding a cake sale in the school playground after school, (weather permitting) to raise money for our community charity this term-Shelter. Please send in cake donations by the morning of the 26th and then please come along to buy some cakes as an end of week treat on Friday.

SPONSORED BOUNCE

The School Council are also organising a sponsored bounce on Wednesday 7th February, in the school hall during the school day. The school have paid for this workshop, led by Bounce and Beyond and it looks like it will be a fun day for all the children. To help raise money for some resources within school, we have decided to make this event a sponsored bounce, this will be in lieu of the colour run this year. Further details will be provided next week.

Reception: Honeybees

Jack- for excellent doubling in class this week

Thomas- for fantastic sentence writing this week

Year 1: Turtles

Harper – for great painting with numbers work in art.

Sophie – for retelling a story by sequencing pictures.

Year 2: Parrots

Easton: For following classroom modelling and using tens and ones to help him calculate with money.

Jesse: For excellent writing and presentation to introduce his dragon information page.

Year 3: Dolphins

Charlie- for excellent reading and predicting.

Beau- for excellent ideas for our shared adventure story.

Year 4: Leopards

Andy- For an amazing setting description in English.

Poppy- For some great work in maths dividing 3 digit numbers by 1 digit.

Year 5: Rhinos

Joshua – Excellent art work creating a self-portrait.

Liam – Perseverance during Maths when dividing 4 digit numbers.

Year 6: Tigers

Annie – for writing a well-structured non-chronological report

Cosmo – for excellent discussion during paired reading

BOOKS, BOOKS, BOOKS: A BIG THANK YOU!

We are continuing to expand the books on offer in our library. Please think of the school and donate to us if you have any children's books (fiction and non-fiction) that are in good condition and are no longer needed (drop them in to the school office please). We have also been able to spend money on boosting the books that children use in English lessons (class sets of books) making a significant difference to children's learning in both their English lessons and in their Guided Reading (Destination Reader). Buying all these books was only possible from the money raised at the Christmas Fair so thank you for your generosity at this event.

Dates for your diary-

Friday 26th January- School council cake sale at 3pm for the charity Shelter.

Friday 26th January- PFA quiz night 7.00pm in the School Hall

Monday 29th January- Meeting for Year 6 parents/carers on SATS preparation and homework changes. School hall at 9.30am.

Thursday 1st February- Reading and Phonics coffee meeting. School Hall at 9.15am and 4.30pm- Parents/carers only need to attend one.

Wednesday 7th February- Sponsored Bounce workshop with Bounce and Beyond.

Friday 9th February- INSET day. School closed to all pupils.

Monday 19th February- First day of term.

Friday 1st March- Year 5 class assembly

Honours List: Celebrating children who have shown our school values this week

| Honeybees | Turtles | Parrots | Dolphins | Leopards | Rhinos | Tigers |
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| Lewis Felicity | Henry. B Harry | Lottie Edward | Imogen Evangeline | Olivia B Max | Chase Connor | Jasper Bella Jessica |

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