



Issue 165

# Chapel Chat

The weekly news from Chapel St Leonards Primary School

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week our school has been a hive of activity: we welcomed Ben Keaton, Actor and Writer, in on Monday for the first of many Creativity workshops with the whole school; then on Wednesday we met singer song-writer Hayley Sanderson who performed and coached our Year 4, 5 and 6 children - along with a 4 piece band! These opportunities, along with our curriculum design, are there to help children realise their potential and develop in many different ways. Once again, I have been immensely proud of the children's engagement, enthusiasm and approach to these events. A big thank you to Miss Smith and Lincolnshire Music Service for organising the SingSations event. Well done everyone!!!

*Mr Shaw*

## SINGSATION with a TV Star!

We were delighted to host the latest SINGSATION' this week and welcome Hayley Sanderson, one of the lead vocalists from **Strictly Come Dancing**, to our school.

The interactive event saw performances from Hayley and her professional band, as well as vocal coaching sessions for our Year 4, 5 and 6 children. They all performed excellently and the band made comment on how well our children had done. Well done children, you are all superstars!



## Creativity Award 2022



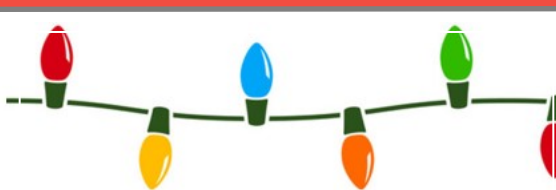
We recognise that children learn in many different ways and have different strengths and struggles. We have signed up to the Creativity Academy this year to help us support children to approach their struggles in different ways and find their hidden talents.

Working with Actor, Ben Keaton, will enable staff and children to develop strategies to engage our children in different ways. He has the phrase, "*Do More, Do Better*" and his approach is to encourage children to celebrate what they have done, even if it isn't how they imagined it whilst also recognising that by making mistakes - good things can happen.

Follow our journey at:

[www.creativityacademy.org.uk](http://www.creativityacademy.org.uk)

# 'Caring, Successful Learners'



## Christmas Lights Switch on

We need more children to kick start Christmas at the Chapel Lights Switch on. Please return your completed form to Mrs Vessey in the school office.

## Congratulations

A huge congratulations to Hannah and Katie in their tap performance last week who ended up bringing home the trophy!!!



## **Attendance this week, who is close to our 96% target?**

Rec: 96.15% Y1: 94.12%

Y2: 97.06%

Keystage 2:

Y3: 97.33% Y4: 96.92%

Y5: 95.29% Y6: 85.71%

*Well done Year 3.*



## **Next Week's Diary Dates**

Thursday 24th November

Year 5 and 6 Beach School sharing assembly - gates open at 2:50pm

(Year 5/6 parents, carers, family and friends welcome)

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Friday 25th November

Special **Year 5** Achievement Assembly

(A chance to see what Year 5 have worked on so far this year)

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Friday 25th November

Singing Around The Tree on Chapel Green

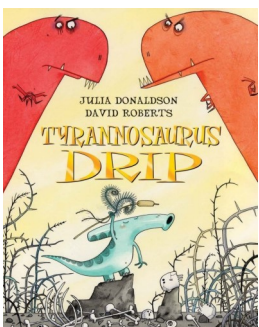
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## This week's 'Recommended Read'

Julia Donaldson is a fantastic author and this is one of her best but lesser known texts.

Three copies will be at the front office for you to book out for a different bedtime read.

Please help us celebrate your children by uploading a photo onto our Padlet using the QR code.



# Learning Around School



## Chapel Champions

	Achievement Award	Values Award
<b>Reception</b>	Lilly-May for amazing cutting skills.	George (resilience) for still smiling even when things have been tricky.
<b>Year 1</b>	Sophia for her determination to add finger spaces to sentences.	Agata (organisation) for always being ready to learn and bringing her reading book in every day.
<b>Year 2</b>	Layton for his wonderful observations during our silent firework activity.	Chloe O (organisation) for always being in the right place at the right time and for helping organise equipment for her friends on her table.
<b>Year 3</b>	Malachi for his amazing knowledge during geography.	Teddy (communication) for his thoughtful contribution during personal development
<b>Year 4</b>	Avory for some stunning writing in our digestion project.	Tyler Kay (communication) for communicating his thoughts, feelings and ideas effectively.
<b>Year 5</b>	Harlow for displaying wonderful badminton skills in P.E.	Hannah (organisation) for always being organised with her learning and her resources.
<b>Year 6</b>	Macie-Mae for having the strength to stand up to her peers during Geography when her table was trying to convince her she was wrong – when she was correct!	Keenan (ambition) for excelling at a skill through practice during his free time.