

Chapel Chat

The weekly news from Chapel St Leonards Primary School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

The weeks are flying by and so far we have avoided the snowy conditions that some places have experienced. Information about what we do if we need to shut the school is found overleaf.

We are looking forward to our History week next week. Key Stage 2 will be focusing on the Ancient Greeks and the teachers have been planning lots of exciting lessons and activities for the children. On



Monday the children in Years 3,4,5 and 6 will be taking part in an Ancient Greece workshop run by Portals to the Past . If you have not already sent in your £3

voluntary contribution please send this in to school as soon as you can.

It was the turn of the Year 2 parents to come and have lunch with their children on Wednesday a fantastic turnout again from our parents. Thank you for coming. Year 3 next week.



Year 1 and 2 had a royal

visitor this week as part of their Bright Lights, Big City topic and enjoyed afternoon tea. The children enjoyed their afternoon and asked some excellent questions.

Have a good weekend, wrap up warm!

Graham Almond - Headteacher

Diary Dates

Monday 4th February (History Week)

Key Stage 2 Ancient Greek Day

Dates

Tuesday 5th February

High 5 Netball (letter will be sent out)

Wednesday 6th February

Year 3 Parents' Lunch (letter with menu)

Friday 8th February

History Week - Open Afternoon (more information in the newsletter)

Wednesday 13th February

Reception Parents' Lunch (letter with menu)

Thursday 14th February

Last Day of Term 3

Monday 25th February

First Day of Term 4

Tuesday 26th February

Cross Country (letter will be sent out)

Wednesday 6th March

Quick Sticks Hockey (letter will be sent out)

Monday 11th March and Wednesday 13th March

Parents' Evenings

History Week

Next week is our History week in school. We would like to invite parents and carers into their children's classrooms on Friday afternoon to share in a history related activity and see some of the work the children have been getting up to. If you have more than one child in school we will make sure you get to spend time with all of your



children. You will be able to come into school from 2pm on Friday please come to the School Office from that time onwards and we will show you to your child's class. We look forward to seeing lots of parents and carers.

Chapel Champions - 1st February 2019

Achievement Award

Values Award: Initiative

m door to keep us warm

Reception	Finley: becoming so confident at reading during lesosns	Jayce: closing the classroom door to keep us warm
	and with his reading at home.	without being asked.
Year 1	Tommy E: detailed and creative homework which he	Bella: for always using her common sense and helping

was keen to show our visitor this week. to organise herself and helping others.

Year 2 Kian: showing drive and determination in fractions and Alissia M: using her initiative in improving her skills at

always aiming to do his best.

Alissia ivi: using her initiative in improving her skills a home.

Year 3 Grace: her work on the formation of a fossil Jordan C: showing initiative and fetching the equipment she needed in Maths.

Year 4 Molly: a fantastic 'Adder Hoop' game made for homework. Ethan H: using his initiative and taking the Year 4 lunch trolley to the hall.

Year 5 Taylor: for showing a dramatic improvement in his Maisie: using her initiative to improve her defending handwriting style. skills in PE.

Year 6 Luna: fantastic Timestables Rockstars score and her Rocky: impressing Mr Borrell with his initiative in PE persuasive letter writing this week.

Fizz Free Feb

Mrs Pruhs-Borrell is taking part in 'Fizz Free Feb'. Why not join her and cut out fizzy drinks this February? Save money, lose weight and keep your teeth



Traffic outside of school

Please **do not park on the yellow lines** outside school they are there to keep the children safe.

Please remember you are driving outside a school and there will be children around. **Drive with caution and obey speed limits.**



Please DO NOT park in the staff car park across the road from school. This is required for taxis, staff and visitor parking.

Shutting the school for snow

If we ever need to close the school due to snow we will assess the situation and if we realise that staff or pupils would be in danger we will not open.



Notification of any closure would be by local radio, word of mouth, Twitter, Facebook and most importantly the school website.

Gymnastics Success

Lexi in Year 5 competed in the Lincolnshire Schools' Gymnastics Competition on Sunday in Grantham. She came 4th out of 30 girls in her age group just 0.01 off bronze. Well done for representing our school so well Lexi!



Ordering School Meals

We now send out the dinner menus on a Tuesday. The deadline for ordering school meals is **Friday at 3.30pm.** We cannot accept

any orders after this time. If we do not receive a menu from children in Reception,



Year 1 and Year 2 they will be ordered 'Main Option 1' from the menu. Children in Key Stage 2 including those eligible for Free School Meals must return a completed menu.