

2nd December 2022

The Great Fire of London

Dear Parents and Friends of Castle Hill

As you know our topic is themed around The Great Fire of London. For homework we have asked for the children to bring in houses made out of cardboard, from the time of 1666. The final date for these houses is Monday 5th December.



Please see the examples below to give you some ideas for the house that you could make.



To help the children's understanding of how the fire spread quickly, we will be looking to set up a demonstration of this at school. We have done this in previous years and it is highly memorable. The demonstration will include us standing the houses closely together so the children can see how the fire spread quickly to each house. The children will be at a safe distance to watch the fire and we will be accompanied by a fire fighter who will help us with the process.

This event will be taking place on **Wednesday 7th December 2022 at 2pm**. We would like to invite you in to come and watch with your children. We will be providing hot chocolate and biscuits to share whilst we watch. We ask that only **2 adults** per child attend the event. Please fill out the Google form below to let us know if you are coming or not.

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfd2AYHjC6SZ9s72zk1OE36UUP1hGEjC4RLak5OiWWWxN5gZg/viewform?usp=sf_link

We hope you enjoy making these houses and we look forward to seeing them. If you have any questions about this homework, please speak to your class teacher.

Kind regards,

The Year 1 Team