

# Chapelford Village Primary School

# **NEWSLETTER**

# Friday 17th September 2021



Finally, we've managed to go to on a residential visit for the first time in nearly two years. Year 3 kicked off the first of our planned visits as they spent time at Delamere Education Centre. We know that educational visits are so important in developing independence, resilience and a range of life skills. The staff thoroughly enjoy watching the children grow in confidence and overcome challenges. We often find that children who may present as reserved in a school setting, show us a different side to them that we can further develop in the classroom.

The Year 3 children took part in a range of exciting activities that are linked to the school curriculum and gave them opportunities to apply prior learning as well as develop new skills. The centre staff were amazing at encouraging and inspiring all of the children. They thoroughly enjoyed all of the activities but one of the highlights was wild camping just like Commando Jo! Given the challenge of making a dry, safe and secure camp, the children built jungle shelters using hammocks, tarpaulins and ropes. Using their character education skills, the children focused on teamwork, communication and self-awareness in their teams. The teachers were blown away by the positive attitude and perseverance of all of the children. Another firm favourite was pond dipping and stream shuffling. Elise told us that she really loved pond dipping and caught a water beetle that her group were able to identify by following the key. Some children even managed to catch a newt and Lewis told the teachers that he would like a newt as a pet as it has now become his favourite animal!

It is not always possible for some children to attend residential visits and so we ensure that they have a wonderful experience in school whilst their class friends are away. They do not miss out on the curriculum and the teachers plan fabulous activities to give them opportunities to develop their character education skills within school. Please check out the calendar on our school website to find the dates of the other residential visits for years 4, 5 and 6. The class teachers will be organising educational trips of all year groups too that further enhance our curriculum.

Have a lovely weekend

Kind regards

*Mrs Hewson* Headteacher



## **Head Boy & Girl 2021/22**

Head Boy - Harrison R

Head Girl - Lily R

#### School Ambassadors 2021/22

Year 1 - Evelyn	Year 2 - Jack & Archie
Year 3 - Millie	Year 4 - Thomas
Year 5 - Isabella	Year 6 - Harrison

Star Learner					
4	Jamie	13	Ella		
5	Leo	14	Sheethal		
6	Hunter	15	Holly		
7	Maanvi	16	Melody		
8	Elsie	17	Kavya		
9	Henry	18	Ibrahim		
10	Sienna	19	Rebecca		
11	The whole class	20	Bradley		
12	Ana	21	Charlie		

Reader of the Week					
4	Josh	13	Aahil		
5	Anvi	14	Arlo		
6	Harriett	15	Maverick		
7	Evelyn	16	Shontay		
8	Sam	17	Mia		
9	Zara	18	Hattie		
10	Anson	19	Ashley		
11	Anika	20	Amelia		
12	Zohran	21	Evie		

EYFS will start their Star Learner and Reader of the Week next half term.

#### **School Kitchen Vacancy**

Position available in the kitchen for kitchen Assistant 10 hours a week, 2 hours a day over the lunchtime period, Training and uniform provided

Kitchen experience is a bonus but not essential.

Please email <a href="mailto:kahmad@warrington.gov.uk">kahmad@warrington.gov.uk</a>
for an application form.

Please be aware that we are a **NUT FREE** school as we have children in school with nut allergies. Please do not send your child into school with nut related products. Thank you





ChaPTA will be positioned for the sale of ice lollies between the Year 1/2 and 3/4 playground after school today Friday 17th.

This event will continue until the weather turns.



#### **Out of School Achievements**

**Betsy, Elsie** and **Rosie** in classes 14, 8 and 2 have passed their first ever Karate grading and achieved their orange belts.



Well done to you all.

#### **Health & Safety Reminders**

Bikes and scooters must **NOT** be ridden until outside of the school grounds!

Please remember that dogs except for assistance dog are <u>NOT permitted</u> on school grounds <u>under any</u> circumstances. Thank you .

### **Parent Pay**

Can we request that children's ParentPay accounts are regularly topped up, to make sure the children continue to receive their school lunches and snacks.

If you require more help please don't hesitate to contact the school office on 01925 712554 or email us on <a href="mailto:chapelford">chapelford</a> admin@omegamat.co.uk

Free School Meals end for pupils at the end of Year 2.

School lunch is £2.40 per person per day it to be paid via Parentpay.

