

## Sporting Diary

### Cross Country

On Monday 8th October Chapelford Village attended the Cross Country trials for out MAT schools at Great Sankey High School where our children showed strong resilience and lots of physical and mental capabilities in blustery conditions. There were many stand out runners on the day but Ethan, who finished 4th out of approximately 50 children was the main highlight. Children will now compete on a larger scale at Walton Gardens over the next few weeks.



### 5/6 Football Competition - 30<sup>th</sup> October 2018

On the 30<sup>th</sup> October, Chapelford Village fielded 2 strong football teams who both gave an excellent account of themselves, showing excellent values, skill and commitment throughout. Chapelford 1 were convincing during the group stages, playing 4, winning 2 and conceding 0. As they progressed into the semi-finals, they lost 2-0 to a talented Penketh South team who proceeded to win the competition.

The B team, fielding a team of mainly year 5's played heroically and also won 2 of their first 4 fixtures - including an emphatic 5-1 victory.

Chapelford 2 faced four teams. Despite losing their first match 2-0 they stuck together and supported each other. Keeping their spirits up the team talked about positions and made their own changes to how they would play their next game. This resulted in a 1-0 win. Their third

match was tough, facing a really big, strong team, but Chapelford persevered and battled through. From magnificent passing to well supporting each other in defence they managed to keep the score to only a 1-0 defeat. Feeling positive they faced their final match and were rewarded with a 5-1 win. Throughout the tournament the team were a credit to Chapelford Village Primary School with fair play, exceptional football skills and good sportsmanship throughout.



### 3/4 Girls Football Competition - 1<sup>st</sup> November 2018

On Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> November, Chapelford fielded 3 very strong and enthusiastic teams, who were all competitive throughout and had many star performers. Chapelford 1 displayed continuous improvements throughout the competition and progressed to the semi finals with ease. They were then paired against an in-form Penketh South team who had won all their games - but such was our quality, Chapelford 1 ran out 3-0 winners. On to the final, where the girls showed such great discipline and resilience to ease to another 2-0 victory - ensuring that they were crowned champions and progress through to the Cheshire Finals in Crewe.





Warrington Town FC Mascots

On Tuesday 6th November, children from year 5 and 6 had the fantastic opportunity of walking out with the **Warrington Town** football team. Children were accompanied by their parents as they watched the game together from the stands. Mr Metcalfe said 'Thank you to all the parents who attended with their children - the children had a great time watching the game and felt really inspired by being mascots for the game.'

A massive thank you to **Warrington Town** for the free tickets and allowing this to happen.



### Year 5/6 Handball Champions

On Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> November, Chapelford Village were victorious in a highly competitive Handball tournament at Westbrooke Old Hall against the other schools within the OMEGA MAT. The children showed great application, spirit and character throughout all of the games to qualify for the final. In a closely contested final, Chapelford found themselves a goal down and struggled to make any breakthrough before a brilliant goal from Lewis pulled them back in to the game before racing into to a 2 goal lead to end the game 3-1! A special mention to Henry who was the catalyst in a great team display.





### Year 3/4 Girls Football - Cheshire Finals

On Monday 28<sup>th</sup> January, the girls football team enjoyed a sunny day out in Crewe as part of reaching the Cheshire Finals. The girls produced several gritty performances which enabled them to qualify through to the knockout stages. Unfortunately, lady luck wasn't on Chapelfords as the opposition was gifted a bizarre goal with their only shot of the game. Chapelford continued to rally and must have had at least 15 shots on goal but were unable to get the ball over the line despite hitting the woodwork twice. The game somehow finished 1-0 to the huge disappointment and shock of the Chapelford supporters. The girls should be proud of reaching the last 4 schools in Cheshire and with better luck on their side - would have made for an interesting final.

Also a massive thank you to **'Argus Fire and Security'** for kindly sponsoring us a lovely Nike kit!











## **Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> February 2019 - OMEGA Football Tournament**

On Wednesday the 13<sup>th</sup> February, Chapelford Village hosted a KS1 football competition for OMEGA schools, featuring; 2 teams from Chapelford Village, Burtonwood and WBOH. The tournament was played to an exceptionally high standard, with many of star players - some of which also play for professional clubs - including Manchester United! A massive thank you to all the parents who attended and encouraged the games to played in a good spirit. A big shout out to our year 5 Sports Leaders 'Jenson' and 'Henry' who refereed the games superbly throughout. Have we inspired the next Howard Webb?



## **Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> April Dance Show - OMEGA MAT**

On Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> April Chapelford Village attended the first ever Dance Show for our MAT schools at Great Sankey High School, pupils of Great Sankey High School choreographed a dance routine with a group of our children so that they could take part in the show. Our children were fantastic as both performers and as an audience to the other schools who were there taking part. Three of our children (Atalia, Ethan and Faye) were nominated as stand out performers by one of teachers at Great Sankey High with Faye Winstanley winning her category over all. Well done to all of our other dancers, we are looking forward to practicing our dancing and hopefully taking part in the next show.

## **Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> April – Year 4 Football Competition**

On Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> April Chapelford Village attended the 'Finch Farm' Football competition at Orford Jubilee. After fielding 2 strong teams, both Chapelford A and B teams made an encouraging start to the tournament. Unfortunately, as the group games went on we were both met by sterner opposition featuring rising stars from Manchester City and Blackburn Rovers and finished the competition in 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Place. Will, Ryan and Adam were the pick of the bunch contributing over 10 goals between them.











