

# Cledford Primary School Newsletter

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#### Dear Parents and Carers,

This week our pupils received a visit from the Canal and River Trust who delivered assemblies to key stage 1 and 2 all about staying safe around water. In Middlewich we're lucky enough to have three canals; Shropshire Union, Trent and Mersey and Wardle, which happens to be the UK's shortest canal. We also boast three rivers; Dane, Wheelock and Croco. These beautiful waterways also possess many dangers hence why we invited the Canal and River Trust to deliver these assemblies for us.

Also attached to this week's newsletter you will find a flyer for the increasingly popular Sports Cool holiday club. There are lots of free places available for those who qualify for pupil premium/free school meals. PCORTS COOLUCE

#### School Car Park Reminder

•The health and safety of our pupils is of paramount importance to us at Cledford. We have some large vehicles that deliver daily to school therefore it is important that children are not on the car park so that they remain safe.

•An increasing number of parents are dropping children off in the school car park. The car park is for staff and cars clearly displaying a disabled badge. Please park courteously on the surrounding streets so that our pupils are as safe as possible.

### Mr Adlington Principal

### Merits

1 Miss Parton/Miss Welch – Deacon A, for super phonics.

2 Mrs Higgins – Finley A, for putting extra effort into all aspects of his learning at school. Well done, Finley, onwards and upwards!

3 Mrs Phillipson – Louie H, for his amazing story of the Everywhere Bear!

4 Mrs Giblin – Sophia H, for great improvement in her phonics.

5 Mr Varnom – Aurora B, for designing and making a print of the wave inspired by Katushika Hokusai.

6 Miss Addis – Ellianna H, for her positive attitude to learning and for writing some superb similes in her English.

7 Miss Platt – Brett K, for a real improvement in handwriting.

8 Miss Gee – Paige H, for outstanding effort in English, where we have been writing about 'Street Beneath our Feet'.

9 Mrs Appleton/Mrs Peters – Jessica H, for her positive attitude towards learning. Your success in class is phenomenal.

10 Mr Gill – Callum P, for working hard this week, he has been coming up with some great ideas for his writing on our class book 'Rose Blanche.'

11 Mrs Marsland – Emily P, for her resilience in maths when using algebra. Keep it up!

12 Miss Wagstaff – Alaya T, for taking responsibility for her learning by practicing new concepts at home.

## Dates for your diary

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> February 5.30 – 6.00pm – Multiplication Tables check information evening (year 4's)

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> February 3.00pm – 4pm – EYFS stay and get baking (limited places available)

- Friday 17<sup>th</sup> February school closes for half term
- Monday 27<sup>th</sup> February School re-opens
- Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> March World Book Day
- Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> March 6pm 7pm Bedtime reading evening Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> March – Year 2 & year 6 parents' evening
- Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> March Year 2 & year 6 parents' evening
- Thursday 9<sup>th –</sup> March 16<sup>th</sup> Book fair
- Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> March Year 5 visit to IWM
- Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> March EYFS forest school parent invitation Friday 17<sup>th</sup> March – Red Nose Day
- Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> March Gingerbread socks for sale
- Tuesday 21<sup>th</sup> March Class 6 family lunch
- Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March Class 7 family lunch Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> March – Class 8 family lunch

'The Girl who loves wellies' by Zehra Hicks has been a great way to learn about all sorts of science, geography and maths concepts and skills. The children have also used descriptive language to talk about wellies and shoes and had great fun wearing their wellies to go out on a 'welly wander' using all their senses to discuss what they could see, hear, smell and feel. On Wednesday, the children got a letter from the old woman who lived in a shoe. She needed their help to build a better home for her and all her children. The Forest school session provided the perfect time to solve this problem and parents got involved too. I was amazed by all your creative and imaginative house building techniques! Thank you for coming. Photos will be on the website soon.

**EYFS News** 

Next week, the journey will be by boat...the children are already excited to find out more!

Fingers crossed for more 'spring like' weather over the weekend.

If you have a confirmed place for Stay and Get Baking, you will need to meet us at the main entrance to school on Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> at the end of the day. We will bring your children down to meet you. The session will take place in the hall. If you were not able to get a place on the baking activity, please don't worry as we will hold another session in the summer term due to popular demand!

Thank you for your support as always. Looking forward to seeing you.

Have a great weekend, The EYFS team

Be an attendance

**HERO!** 

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Everyday

On time

Ready

## Attendance

CLASS OF THE WEEK Class 3 – Mrs Phillipson 97.69%

# WHOLE SCHOOL WEEK: 92.34% WHOLE SCHOOL YEAR: 93.46%

Class 1: 90.67% Class 2: 95.11% Class 3: 97.69% Class 4: 86.57% Class 5: 91.03% Class 6: 94.79% Class 7: 93.33% Class 8: 89.23% Class 9: 96.30% Class 10: 93.72% Class 11: 88.07% Class 12: 92.59%

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