



Cledford Primary School Newsletter

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Dear Parents and Carers

Year 2 took over the forest on Monday morning with Mr Hadfield. On Wednesday our year 3 and 4 children took part in an Olympic festival at the high school and they represented Iceland; they came 3rd in the competition and brought back several first place certificates!

The EYFS sharing assembly was simply charming; we couldn't believe how bright, skilful and confident they were! They are certainly ready for year 1!

There was a full governing board meeting on Thursday and year 4 have enjoyed a Roman workshop this morning. Our visitor commented on what a great school this is with "lovely and well-behaved children". Thank you for all of your donations to the summer fair today for the non-uniform day.

EYFS will be enjoying an animal "WOW" day on Monday and on the same day year 5 will be making a virtual visit to Brazil! Monday is year 2 family lunch day; we are looking forward to seeing you all.

Don't forget to "Stay and get Muddy" with us on Tuesday for parents of EYFS and KS1 and Thursday for parents of KS2. Tuesday is the last messy church for this school year in the sports hall at 4.30pm. Wednesday is a very active day at Cledford; Tommy Thumbs will be holding their sports day on the school field and we will be doing town sports at St Mary's Primary School at the end of the school day.

Year 5 will be taking part in a water workshop on Thursday about the importance of not wasting water.

On Friday the children will be joining their new teacher for the morning.

The Mediterranean weather is set to continue this weekend!! Olé!

Warm regards

Mrs A J Booth - Federation Headteacher

Class Merits

RTC	All of RTC for their brilliant assembly
REH	All of REH for their brilliant sharing assembly
1CB	Diego for doing extra research in class to write a detailed fact file about giraffes.
1ST/AP	Oliver for his super 'Can do' attitude to his work. It is lovely to see Oliver approach all challenges with determination and a smile on his face!
2RG	Molly for always going the extra mile to help others and spread kindness
2EP	Maisy for her hard work and determination in reading
3HD	Ollie for showing excellent learning behaviour for Miss Bird. Ollie always listens well, participates and tries his very best. Well done!
3NT	Harvey for always trying his best and having a positive approach to his learning
4LA	Mia for making excellent progress in all areas of her learning
4AW	Theo for giving his all in the assessments this week. Thanks!
5KM	Calvin for excellent batting skills in rounders
5LW	Alfie for being an enthusiastic reader. It is wonderful to see
6AP	Esther-May for really trying hard with her writing about Sir Earnest Shackleton

Dates for your Diary (more dates are available on the website)

Monday 2nd July - EYFS - Animal "WOW" day
Monday 2nd July - Year 2 Forest School morning
Monday 2nd July - Year 5 Brazil "WOW" day
Monday 2nd July - 11.45am - Year 2 family lunch
Tuesday 3rd July - 3.15pm - 3.45pm - EYFS/KS1 Stay and Get Muddy
Tuesday 3rd July - 5.30pm - 7pm - Messy Church
Wednesday 4th July - 2pm - 3pm - Parent Forum meeting
Thursday 4th July - 3.30pm - 5.30pm - Town Sports (St Mary's Primary)
Thursday 5th July - 1.15pm - 2.45pm - Reception 2018 pupils' visit
Thursday 5th July - 3.30pm - 4.00pm - KS2 Stay and Get Muddy
Monday 9th July - Year 2 Forest School morning
Tuesday 10th July - Outdoor Learning Day
Tuesday 10th July - Year 1 Visit to Chester Zoo
Wednesday 11th July - 2.30pm - 5.30 - Parents' evening
Thursday 12th July - 3.30pm - 7.30 - Parents' evening
Wednesday 18th - Leavers' Assembly and Year 6 Family Lunch
Wednesday 18th July - 6pm - 7pm - Year 2 residential sharing assembly
Friday 20th July - 3.30pm - School Closes

Attendance

CLASS OF THE WEEK	
2RG - Miss Gerrard	
WHOLE SCHOOL WEEK: 95.3%	
WHOLE SCHOOL YEAR: 94.9%	
RTC: 97.2%	REH: 89.6%
1CB: 96.3%	1ST/AP: 88.3%
2RG: 98.9%	2EP: 97%
3HD: 98.2%	3NT: 91.9%
4LA: 92.4%	4AW: 96.4%
5LW: 95%	5KM: 98%
6AP: 95%	

Reception have enjoyed rehearsing for our sharing assembly this week. Thank you to all those parents and carers that came to watch us in action! We have enjoyed staying cool through water play and finding dinosaurs in large ice cubes. Please remember to bring in a named hat and water bottle every day.

On Monday 2nd July it is reception's animal 'WOW' day. Children can come in dressed as their favourite animal. This may be one they saw at the safari park last week?

Thank you for your continued support,
EYFS Team

Class News

ALL - KEEPING SAFE ONLINE

It has been brought to our attention by a parent this week, that some pupils have been using the app 'Movie Star Planet'. This is presented as a site for 8-15 year olds, where users are encouraged to create movie star characters, choosing clothes, hairstyles etc. The reports to school are that this site is not suitable for children and advice is that parents scrutinise their children's activities online and consider whether or not they are safe. We continue to support children developing the understanding of how to stay safe online and hope you will work with us to safeguard pupils.

ALL - PARENT FORUM - 4th JULY - 2PM-3PM

All parents are invited to the parent forum meeting at 2pm on Wednesday 4th July. Feel free to come along and join in this informal meeting with other parents, and 2 members of staff from our parental engagement team. Refreshments will be available.

ALL - EMERGENCY ACCESS GATE

Can parents/carers refrain from parking in front of the Emergency Access gates (near the nursery). All vehicles parking in front of this gate are potentially endangering the lives of all pupils and all staff in our school. This gate must be kept clear **AT ALL TIMES.**

ALL - YEAR 6 LEAVERS

Please note that the leavers' hoodies and leavers' party are being organised by some of the year 6 parents. Unfortunately the school cannot accept money or orders on their behalf.

ALL - GOLDEN DAY - MONDAY 9th JULY

Monday 9th July is an exciting day for the children where they will take part in 7 different activities throughout the day such as, sport, art, construction, etc. Please can children come into school in their Cledford PE kit (not football kits).

Office News

ALL - VACANCIES

We will have a position available for a midday assistant from September. Application forms are available from the school office if you would like to apply.

ALL - PARENTS' EVENING SLIPS

If you have not already sent in your slips to meet with your child/ren's class teacher, please could you send these in as soon as possible.

ALL - DINNER MONIES

Can you please ensure that all outstanding dinner monies are paid by the end of term. Please contact the office if you have any queries.

ALL - ABSENCES

Any absences should be reported to school by telephone or email and NOT via the school's facebook page or facebook messenger.

ALL - MENU

Week beginning the 2nd July is week two. Please see our website for details.

LOST PROPERTY

Please call in to the office to look through to see if you can reclaim any lost items; **Any items not claimed will be disposed of at the end of this term.** We are considering having a "sale table" of these items and will put any proceeds into the school funds. If you have any other ideas of what we may do with these items, please contact Mrs Roberts in the office or share at our next Parent Forum on Wednesday 4th July.

ALL - SUNHATS/WATER BOTTLES

Now summer has well and truly arrived, please ensure you child/ren have sunhats/water bottles in school and sunscreen where required. If your child has hayfever/allergies, please ensure they have taken their medication before they come to school.