



Cledford Primary School Newsletter

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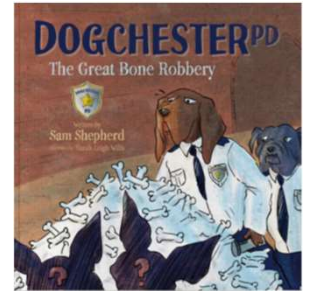
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Dear parents/carers

What an exciting week!

Reading is the key to success and at the heart of our curriculum and what better way to reinforce this than by speaking to real authors? This week we had a visit from a children's author who spoke about his journey to writing and even signed some books for the children. Year 6 have also written to an author and had a handwritten response! Experiences like this help to spark imagination and give real meaning to why a love of reading is so important.



We can't ignore the success of our movie nights this week too! The PTFA and staff were overwhelmed by the enthusiasm for the events so thank you for your support. We were also visited by local police officers and traffic enforcement officers at the end of school on Wednesday who were ensuring that cars were parking responsibly around the school. The safety of pupils really is of paramount importance to us. Parking away from junctions and double yellow lines will help to keep children safe. Please continue to park responsibly and respectfully outside school.

Have a lovely weekend.

Mr Adlington

Principal

Attendance



CLASS OF THE WEEK
Class 10 (Mr Gill) – 100%

WHOLE SCHOOL WEEK: 95.65%
WHOLE SCHOOL YEAR: 95.22%

Class 1: 97.78%	Class 8: 93.79%
Class 2: 96.44%	Class 9: 93.12%
Class 3: 98.61%	Class 10: 100.00%
Class 4: 95.83%	Class 11: 96.58%
Class 5: 97.22%	Class 12: 96.00%
Class 6: 93.75%	
Class 7: 91.67%	

School
Attendance
Matters

Merits

- 1 Miss Parton/Mrs Coppock – Olivia B, for always having super ideas during challenge time. You are always a busy bee!
- 2 Mrs Higgins – Jenson S, for learning to write his name all by himself!
- 3 Mrs Phillipson – Joshua M, for settling into Cledford so well over the half term.
- 4 Mrs Giblin – Amelia W, for independent writing.
- 5 Mr Varnom – Aurora B, for asking some thoughtful questions when we met the visiting author.
- 6 Miss Addis – Alice H, for working extremely hard on her Stone Age shoebox and taking pride in what she has created. We are very proud of her.
- 7 Miss Platt – Olivia Taylor, for fantastic artwork for the Cledford gallery.
- 8 Miss Gee – Kienna C, for continuous hard work and willingness to learn throughout the term.
- 9 Mrs Appleton/Mrs Peters – Ava C, for working hard to improve her writing. You should be very proud of your achievements Ava!
- 10 Mr Gill – Bella Holmes, for being an excellent role model for the class this week. Her desire to improve and the effort she puts in really has paid off. Keep it up, Bella!
- 11 Mrs Marsland – Cara D, for her detailed and creative Maya clay tile.
- 12 Miss Wagstaff - Rak R, for achieving a super score in her reading assessment. We are all very proud of you!

EYFS News

What a busy week! The children have really enjoyed the story of the Little Red Hen, the song we have been learning for the Harvest Festival and of course seeing all parents for Forest School and the reading breakfast. The movie night was a great success. Things don't get any less busy next week! We will be reading a story called 'Henri's Scissors' and creating some artwork for the new art gallery in school. The children will also spend a day learning about harvest and the Harvest Festival. On Thursday they will be walking to church with their new year 6 buddies to take part in the service. It is safe to say they will all be ready for a half term holiday. We have a number of items of clothing in school without names in. If you think they might belong to you please let us know otherwise they will be donated to the uniform shop at the end of next week. When your child brings their PE kit home next week, please check that it all belongs to them and send back anything that doesn't. We try to ensure that clothes go back in the correct bags but there are always one or two items astray! As long as the clothes have names in, they will get back to the correct person. On that note, a pair of trousers with Mason's name in and another pair with Aiden's name in went home with the wrong child on Wednesday. If you have them, please return them to school.

Please check the school website where you will find all the dates of events taking place specifically in EYFS over the year.

<http://www.cledford.cheshire.sch.uk/class/reception>

Enjoy the weekend, The EYFS Team

Messages

Harvest Festival – (Thursday 20th October)

Please bring foodbank donations into school between 10th and 14th October. If you are coming to the church to watch our Harvest service, you will not be able to enter the church until 10.30am as there is another service on prior to ours.

Bikeability

Bikeability for our year 4's and year 5's will begin after half term. You will be sent details next week confirming if your child has a place and when they will need their bike and helmet into school.

Cake Sale for Macmillian

We raised a total of £200.68 for Macmillian Cancer Support through sales at our cake sale. Thank you to everyone who donated.

Swimming for year 3 & catch up lessons for year 6

We are lucky enough to have a temporary swimming pool on site from Monday 31st October. All children in year 3 will receive daily lessons from Monday 31st October until Friday 4th November. Please ensure you bring in their swim kit into school on the first day back after half term.

Kinderton District Girlguiding

Children who attend Rainbows, Brownies, Guides or Rangers are invited to wear their uniform to school on Remembrance Day – Friday 11th November.

PTFA Movie Nights

Thank you to all our parents/carers, family, friends and staff who made the two film nights such a success for the children who were able to join us.

We raised an amazing £450. A big thank you to the PTFA who organised the evenings. Through events like this, the PTFA are able to pay for the coaches and ice creams for the upcoming theatre visits. If you would like to volunteer at any future PTFA event/s please contact them via cledfordptfa@gmail.com

NO NUTS

A reminder that we are a nut free school. This includes any products which contain nuts such as: cereal bars, Nutella products, peanut butter etc.

Menu

Next week we will be on week 1 of our current menu. Starting after half term we will be on a new menu. A copy is attached and it will be available on our website.

Dates For Your Diary

- Monday 17th – Wednesday 19th October – year 6 residential visit to Condover Hall
- Wednesday 19th October – Robinwood sharing assembly (6.00pm – 6.30pm)
- Wednesday 19th October – EYFS Open Day
- Thursday 20th October – Harvest at St Michael's church
- Friday 20th October – **INSET DAY (SCHOOL CLOSED)**
- Friday 20th - Friday 28th October - **HALF TERM**
- Monday 31st October – **School Opens**
- Monday 31st October – Friday 11th November – Swimming Pool in school for two weeks (years 3 & catch up for year 6)
- Monday 31st October – Bikeability level 1 (year 4)
- Tuesday 1st November – EYFS stay and get gardening! (3.00pm – 4.00pm)
- Thursday 3rd November – Bikeability level 2 (year 5)
- Friday 4th November – Bikeability level 2 (year 5)
- Thursday 10th November - (2.30pm – 3.30pm) – EYFS Stay and Play (Early Maths)
- Friday 11th November – Girls Guides can wear their uniforms for Remembrance Day
- Tuesday 15th November – Academy School Photos (Individual, family & siblings) Year 6 to be taken from 8.30am due to Chester Zoo visit.
- Tuesday 15th November – Year 6 to Chester Zoo
- Tuesday 15th November (12.55pm) – Class 3 Family Lunch
- Wednesday 16th November (12.55pm) – Class 4 Family Lunch
- Thursday 17th November (12.55pm) – Class 5 Family Lunch
- Thursday 17th November (5.00pm – 5.30pm) – Condover Hall Sharing Assembly (year 6)