



Cheselbourne Village School

Friday 1st October 2021



Dear Parents

October! As the saying goes 'time flies when you're having fun'. This week started off in one of the most fun ways possible with our Magic and Mayhem/Wizard of Oz literacy theme. It was clear that the children were absolutely inspired. There was a real excitement around the whole

school and great learning has continued through the week. These events are never 'simply' organised and I am grateful to have such a dedicated team. This has been commented on and noticed by many parents, which is much appreciated.

We look forward to continuing to enhance the opportunities that we give our children to flourish and love learning, and we wish to work with you on this journey. Please see some details of some parent workshops below.

Another highlight of the week was the tremendous presence of family and such generous contributions to our Harvest Festival celebrations. The children worked so hard and produced a thoroughly impressive showcase of their various talents. Well done!

Kind regards,

Mr C Perry


Mr C. Perry

Headteacher

Last call - NEW Starter Brass Lessons

Would your child like to start learning the trumpet?

We are delighted to be able to offer an opportunity for children in years 3 & 4 from any DASP first schools, to start to learn the trumpet in a small group. The session would run 5-5.30pm on a Wednesday at the Thomas Hardy School (if we have a lot of interest, we may be able to offer an additional session at 5.30 – 6pm).



The cost for each term (10 sessions) would be £55 and would include the hire of a trumpet for the term (for the first half term, the cost would be halved as only 5 sessions would be available).

If you are interested in your child taking part in this scheme, please contact Hanna Trevorrow at htrevorrow@thomas-hardye.net by Monday 4th October. We hope that the sessions might start after half term.

Halloween Disco - Thursday 14th October 2021@5:30



See attached poster for more details.





LOCAL FOOD LINKS

Competition Time

DESIGN OUR CHRISTMAS ECARD

Are you a budding photographer, a digital expert or even a budding artist who loves drawing and creating?

To celebrate Christmas in style this year, we need your child's help – by creating the design for our 2021 eCard. Your child can produce their design in any way they wish – it could be a drawing, collage, photograph or a digital design. The only things we ask are: the image represents the theme of Christmas, it is A4 in size, and the work of art should be sent to us via email – other than that your child can be as creative as they want!

What to do:

- 🎄 Draw/paint/collage/photograph or digitally design on A4 size only
- 🎄 Send your wonderful creations to natasha.elliott@localfoodlinks.org.uk by **Friday 19th November**
- 🎄 Its important to include your name, class, year and school on the email of your entry email
- 🎄 We will accept the following file types: PDF or JPEG

What you could win:

- 🎄 £20 Waterstones eGift card

We'll be selecting one winner from Foundation/KS1, one winner from KS2 & one from KS3!

We can't wait to see your designs!

Please note: Children of LFL employees are not eligible to enter!



Fresh, Healthy, Tasty School Meals

Phonics and Reading workshop - 10th November @5-6pm

We will be running 2 workshops. One aimed at parents that need or wish to improve their phonic understanding to support the children in early reading, and a more general reading workshop to help with reading fluency and effective questioning. Workshops will be run at 5:00 and 5:30pm. This will allow those parents that wish to attend one or both of the workshops to be able to.

We will be providing a place to drop the children off. They will receive a small refreshment/snack and have some storytime/movietime provided.

Further details to be shared closer to the time.

Achievers Assembly Awards for this week...

Well done to our superstar award winners:

Caterpillar class - Harry

Butterfly Class star pupil - Charlie

Kingfisher Class star pupil - Cameron

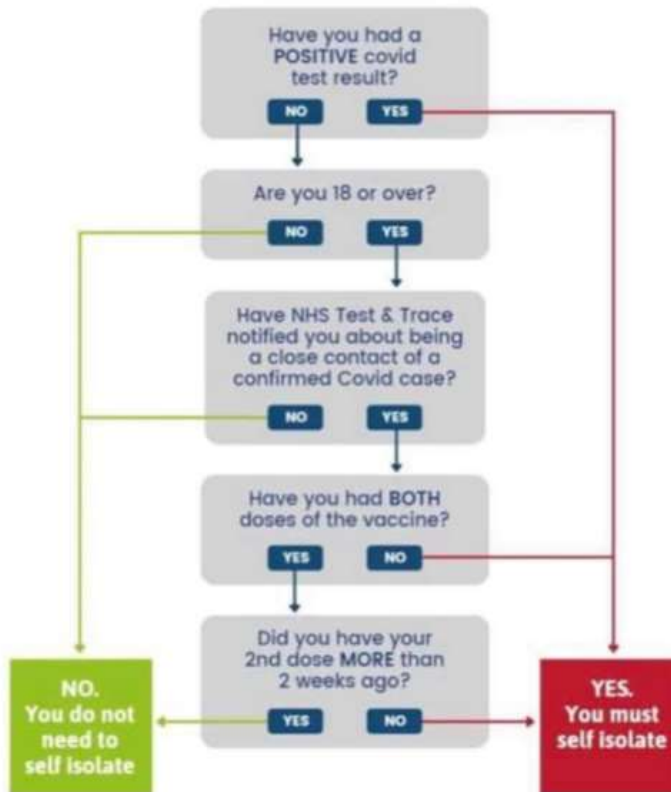
DASP Citizen - Harry / Florence

Lunchtime award - Adam/ Charlie



PE superstar - Amelia
Golden Broom - Caterpillar class
House points (weekly) - Cherry and Copper Beach


Do I need to self-isolate?



Safeguarding Support

If you ever have a concern about a child, please contact our Designated Safeguarding Lead
Mr Perry

In the absence of Mr Perry please speak to our deputy Designated Safeguarding Leads:
Mrs Collett or Mrs Mowlam



**CHESELBOURNE
RESPECTS**

We treat people, our school and the environment the way we want to be treated.



**CHESELBOURNE
NURTURES**

We nurture young, enquiring minds in a fun and caring way to inspire a lifetime love of learning.

**CHESELBOURNE
CHALLENGES**

We try, try and try again to push our limits, because *can't* is not in our vocabulary.

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2021-22 Term Dates

AUTUMN TERM 2021


Thursday 2 September - INSET day - Children not in school

Friday 3 September - Children return for new school year

(3 INSET DAYS - Children not in school - 20, 21, 22 October)

AUTUMN HALF TERM - Monday 25 October - Friday 29 October 2021

Monday 1 November - start of second half of Autumn Term



Friday 17 December - Last day of Autumn Term

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY

Newsletters and Information - Please remember that key information and copies of letters are on the school website: www.cheselbourne.dorset.sch.uk

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