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Newsletter 1

Autumn Term 1, Week 2

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Welcome to our Weekly Newsletter—this is the last letter we will send out to everyone via paper. After this week Newsletters will be sent out via email to parents who have provided us with an email address. If you would like school correspondence to come to you via email and you haven't already told us, please speak to Mrs White in the office. Please also see our <u>website www.cheselbourne.sch.uk</u> for updates and information.

News from this week:

What a great first full week back! All our new members of school, including Mrs Collett in Kingfisher Class, have settled in really well. Reception have completed their first full week superbly and we're already really excited by all the great learning and achievements of the children so far.

Class Information and Learning for this term:

Please find attached to this newsletter information from your child's class teacher about each class and a topic web, which will give you an overview of the learning planned for this term. Normally spellings and homework will come out on a Friday but just for this week, spellings will begin next Monday and homework will start next Friday. Spellings and homework should be available to access each week on our website (in the class sections) too.



Each week at our Friday Celebration Assembly we will hear about all the great learning from the week and Mrs See will award certificates and special gold Headteacher stickers to say Well Done. The children's achievements will also be put up in the frames on the 'Wow Work Wall' outside her office.

WELL DONE to our Award Winners this week who have all got their achievements on the 'WOW Wall'...

Year 4 - Phoebe

Year 3 - Harry F

Year 2 - Alicia

Year 1 - Emily

Year R - Sophie

Lunchtime Superstars:

Harry G & Katie

DASP Citizen of the Week:

George

Superstar Caterpillar:

Eloise & Grace



Notices:

- We currently have plenty of spaces on our Wednesday (netball/basketball) and Friday (multi-sports) afterschool clubs. If clubs don't have a minimum of 4 children, I am afraid we will not be able to run them. Please see Mrs White if your child is interested in joining the club.
- Naming ALL Uniform! We are only a week and half in and already we have had to deal with a number of bits of unnamed uniform. Please ensure that all your child's school uniform and PE Kit is named clearly. Children should also not be wearing home clothes in school. Please make sure your children come to school in the proper uniform. Thank you.
- Mrs Bagwell has asked me to pass on information about the 2018 Ansty Christmas Panto and encourage children to sign up to take part in this fun annual event. Rehearsals for this year's performance of Peter Pan begin this coming Monday 17th September at 6:30pm at Ansty Hall. Performances will be on Friday 14th December at 7pm and Saturday 15th December at 4pm & 7PM. (Dress rehearsals—the two Sundays before.)
- Cooking club requests if any parents are interested in helping us run a cooking club each week for the children in school, please could you speak to Mrs See. We are keen to get some cooking up and running and would be very grateful of any parental help with this. It doesn't necessarily need to be a regular commitment.
- Bottle tops—please note we are no longer collecting milk etc. bottle tops.

Dates for Autumn Term 2018:

SEPTEMBER:

- Tues 18th September, 9-9.30am **Parent 'Drop Off-Drop In'** drop in to school at the start of the day to see the classrooms and new working spaces, plus meet the school staff and find out a bit more about your child's class.
- Wed 26th September, 9-11am (Workshop from 9:30am) Macmillan Coffee Morning & Parent Workshop 1: Reading and Phonics

OCTOBER:

- Mon 1st October, after school Parent Meetings 1
- Wed 10th October, 2:30pm Harvest Festival Open Assembly in Village Hall
- Wed 10th October, 7pm CSF Meeting at the River's Arms
- Saturday 13th October, time TBC Swimathon 'save the date', more information to follow
- Fri 19th October, 5:30-7pm, CSF Halloween Disco in Village Hall
- Mon 22nd Fri 26th October HALF TERM (Mon 29th Oct- INSET 3)

NOVEMBER:

- Thurs 8th November, 10:45am- Remembrance Service at St Martins Church, Cheselbourne
- Fri 16th November Children in Need

DECEMBER:

- Week beginning- 10th Dec Christmas Service Date, Time and Venue TBC
- Tues 18th December CSF Christmas Meal
- Thurs 20th December Class Christmas Parties
- Fri 21st December Last Day of Term (Spring Term Starts—Monday 7th January 2019)

Please see the website calendar which will also be regularly updated with dates.









