

# Chapel Chat

The weekly news from Chapel St Leonards Primary School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

There is lots of information in this week's newsletter so I will keep my message short and sweet! Please



have a look through the dates for this term. There are also some important reminders and information about the term ahead. Thank you for your continued support.

**Graham Almond** 

# **Breakfast Bagels!**

We are delighted to be able to share with you that



from Monday we will be offering children a free half or quarter of bagel first thing in the morning when they arrive at school, if they would like one. The children will be able to help themselves once they have put their coats and belongings on their peg. This is part of the National School Breakfast Programme. Giving the children this option of a bagel in the morning means that we can help set up children to succeed and give them the very best chance to learn during the school day.

# Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 Christmas Play

We are pleased to be able to hold Christmas Plays this year and invite an audience to watch the children perform. However, having carried out a risk assessment we can only accommodate one set of year group parents/carers at each performance and maintain distancing and ventilation.

We hope by giving you plenty of notice you are able to attend. So that this is fair for everyone please do not ask us to accommodate you at a different time as we will be unable to do this. Thank you.

Please see the date for your child's performance:

# **Dates for your Diary**

#### Monday 22nd November 2021

Year 6 Parents' Evening

# **Tuesday 23rd November 2021**

Year 6 Beach Schools

#### Wednesday 24th November 2021

Year 2 Trip: Lincoln

#### Friday 26th November 2021

SEND Coffee Morning (9.15am to 10.15am)

Chapel 'light switch on' - children singing\*

#### **Tuesday 7th December 2021**

Year 6 Trip: We'll Meet Again

Thursday 16th December: 9.30am

Key Stage 2: 'Carols around the tree' 3.00pm

(KS1 playground)

# Friday 17th December

**Christmas Craft Day** 

#### **Monday 20th December**

School Christmas Dinner and Christmas Jumper Day

Christmas Craft Fair (after school)

#### **Tuesday 21st December 2021**

End of Term 2

\*letters will go out

Tuesday 14th December: 9.30am

EYFS/KS1 Christmas Play for Reception parents

Wednesday 15th December: 9.30am

EYFS/KS1 Christmas Play for Year 1 parents

Thursday 16th December: 9.30am

EYFS/KS1 Christmas Play for Year 2 parents





# Chapel Champions: 19th November



#### **Achievement Award**

Christopher D: creating some powerful and emotive

#### **Reception** Myles: working hard on his blending and letter Harvey: always being responsible and organised in the formation Year 1 Alani: her persistence with her Phonics and reading. Lavinia: organising herself in the mornings. Year 2 Lacie: careful observations during our English lesson. Joshua: organising himself at home and learning our History song. Ruby: listening carefully in English and producing some Zac: always ensuring his table is organised at the end of Year 3 wonderful instructions work. each session. Year 4 Tina: outstanding gymnastics in PE this week. Akira: showing a real improvement in organising her learning in class. Macie-Mae: a mature attitude during personal develop- Harry: working hard on his organisational skills in class Year 5 ment discussions. in order to further develop his learning.

# **Parent Survey**

Year 6

Your child will have brought home a Parent Survey tonight. Please take sometime to give us your views. Completed surveys can be posted in the box at the School Office.

# Applying for a place in Reception

WW2 poetry.

The online application system is now open for applications for entry into Reception for September 2022. If your child was born between 1.9.2017 and 31.8.2018 they will be due to start school in September 2022

If your child is 4 between September 2021 and August 2022 then you need to apply for a place!

To access the online application system follow the QR code below.

If you would like to come for a visit or know anybody who does then make an appointment with the school office.

# Trips

It is great that we can resume taking the children on educational visits having missed them for so long. The children really benefit from these first hand experiences. The school funds part of all trips so that the voluntary contribution requested will be no more than £10. Each class will not take part in more than two educational visits that require contributions in a school year. Every class visits the beach once each term (3 times a year) as part of our Beach Schools programme and we also make use of the local area visiting the church and taking part in local walks. When we have workshops or visitors in school we fund these from the school budget.

Ruby: constant and mature approach to the

organisation of her work.

In Year 5 and 6 the children will have the opportunity, should they wish, to go on an over night residential trip which is often considerably more expensive.

#### **Year 5 Beach Schools**

Year 5 visited the beach on Wednesday.

















