

Chapmanslade School

Newsletter

1st October 2018



Message from the Head Teacher

Dear parents

Long ago in July, we said farewell and good luck to last year's Year 6 pupils as they scattered far and wide to new schools. The list of Leavers' Prizes and Destinations is included further down this newsletter. We wish them every success in the next stage of their education.

We have now welcomed our new cohort of Reception pupils to full time school; their delightful performance in church for our Harvest Festival shows just how well they have settled in and embraced Chapmanslade life. Thank you very much for your generous Harvest contributions which will be sent to Warminster Foodbank and thank you too for the yummy cakes you all baked in aid of MacMillan.

Please see the separate data sheet accompanying this newsletter for an overview of our full set of academic results for 2018. Pupils and staff worked very hard to achieve our aspirational targets in writing and mathematical reasoning, and deserve the excellent outcomes that we have seen across the school. Please note that we had an exceptionally young Reception cohort last year and that we are confident that each one of them made good progress throughout the year.

It is almost two years since we asked parents to give us feedback via the Ofsted Parent View Questionnaire. Please let us know how we are doing. If you have any difficulty setting up an account, please do not hesitate to ask Mrs McCall, our School Business Manager, for help. You can access Parent View via the school website or by clicking [here](#).

Finally, I am delighted to announce the appointment of **Harley-Eva** as Head Girl and **Oscar** as Head Boy. Deputy Head Girl and Boy are **Mabel** and **Rawson**. Our Young Sports Ambassadors are **Libby** and **Oliver**. I am sure you will join me in congratulating these pupils on their important appointments.

Yours sincerely,
Mrs Chapman

Save the Date

Chapmanslade School is 150 years old! We plan to celebrate this special occasion with a Big Birthday Party on the evening of Thursday 4th July with staff, pupils, parents, church and local community invited. Please save the date.

PE Kit

Please ensure that your child wears the correct PE kit at all times. Children must wear plain black jogging bottoms with either their purple school logo sweatshirt OR with a plain black or school logo hoodie or zip-up jacket. Pupils in Key Stage 2 must wear purple school logo polo shirts for external events. You can find the uniform policy on the school website, or by clicking [here](#)

We are currently allowing Redwood pupils the privilege of wearing school PE kit on swimming days for ease of changing. Those pupils who do not own the correct PE kit must wear full school uniform on swimming days. Non-uniform sports wear is unsuitable for school.

Mischief Makers

Congratulations to all those who completed the Summer Reading Challenge 2018 – **Annabelle, Ava, Erin, Eva, Ethan, Faye, Hannah, Isaac, Isis G, Jude, Lewis, Lily-Rose, Lottie, Martha, Rachel, Riley, Teddy, Theo and Toby** – having read at least six books over the course of the holidays.

Wire Fencing and Chalk Boards

Parents are politely requested to ensure that school rules are followed on the playground before and after school by all children, including preschool siblings. One of our lovely chalk boards has been snapped in two by children repeatedly kicking the fence and banging the flowers when under parental supervision. The boards were donated to the school by the PTFA who work hard to provide extra resources for the children.

Special News

Our pupils continue to excel in so many different areas, enjoying their clubs and hobbies outside of school. Please do keep sending in certificates and medals as we love to celebrate the children's successes.

Congratulations to

Caitlin (now in Year 7) who achieved Grade 1 piano just before she left Chapmanslade;

Daniel who was awarded Best Junior Handler 2018 at Frome Dog Training Club;

Emelia who achieved British Gymnastics Trampoline Proficiency Award 8 in July;

Lexi who completed Mud Kids 2018 3-mile run in the Spring;

Jude who achieved Distinction in her Cecchetti Classical Ballet assessment in May;

Ky awarded the Squad Medal for his performance at Melksham's Football Tournament;

Riley and Isaac who successfully completed Intensive Swimming Lessons in August;

Sofia who completed Learn to Swim Stage 6 in Swim England Awards in August;

Lottie who achieved her Rainbow Distance 10 metres Swim England badge;

and **Isabella** who passed Level 4 Bars Award at Liberty Gymnastics in March.

Well done to you all.

2K Running Club

Thank you to Mrs Payne for organising and leading the 2K Running Club last term. This popular club saw a number of children achieve the distance, earning a lovely medal. Congratulations to **Archie, Harley, Libby, Martha, Kai, Isis, Alex, Mabel, Rawson, Evelyn, Beau and Eva**.

Attendance Certificates

At the end of last term, BRONZE Attendance Certificates were awarded to pupils who achieved one whole big term of full attendance – **Ethan, Poppy D, Isabella, Annabelle, Joshua, Louis, Emily, Lauren, Liam, Kai, Felicity, Summer, Caitlin and Abigail.**

Those pupils who achieved two full big terms were awarded the SILVER Attendance Certificate – **Bailey, Erin, Ivy, William, Faye, Amelia B, Zachary, Tabitha, Alexander, Rachel, Beau, Eva, Martha, Bradley, Lewis C, Lleyton, Holly and Rory.**

GOLD Attendance Certificates were awarded to pupils who achieved 100% attendance for the entire 2017-18 academic year, a superb achievement. Congratulations to **Lyla Rose, Lottie, Daisy, Ava, Sofia, Lolabelle, Bertie and Stanley.** This was the third year out of four in Key Stage 2 that **Stanley** achieved 100% attendance. For such outstanding attendance, Stanley was awarded a prize of £25 in gift vouchers. **Sofia and Ava** both achieved 100% attendance all the way through Key Stage 1 and were each awarded a prize of £10 book tokens. Well done to you all!

Prize Giving 2018

The Leaver's Prize: all leavers were presented with a Year Book from the PTFA, and a Bible from Chapmanslade & Corsley Parochial Church Council.

Pupil	Prize	Destination
Grace	Head Girl's Prize, Deputy House Captain's Certificate (Green), Prize for Attainment in Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling	Kingdown
Eva	Certificate for Participation, Determination and Success	Kingdown
Zoe	Prize for All Round Academic Achievement	South Wilts Grammar
Emily	Deputy House Captain's Certificate (Red) Prize for Attainment in Writing	Matravers
Caitlin	Deputy House Captain's Certificate (Blue) Certificate of Attainment in Reading	Kingdown
Lleyton	Head Boy's Prize, Prize for Attainment in Maths House Captain's Prize (Blue), Sports Personality 2018	Beechen Cliff
Holly	Certificate of Attainment in Maths Deputy House Captain's Certificate (Yellow)	Kingdown
Ariel	Spirit of Chapmanslade Prize	Kingdown
Alfie	Certificate of Attainment in Reading	Kingdown
Harvey	Prize for Attainment in Reading, House Captain's Prize (Green)	Kingdown
Stanley	House Captain's Prize (Red)	Kingdown
Gabriel	House Captain's Prize (Yellow)	Beechen Cliff
Olivia	Certificate for Achievement in English	Kingdown

Date	Time	Event
01/10/18	3:30pm	Y3/4/5 Multi Sports Festival at Kingdown. No Football training
02/10/18	1:30pm	Friends of Chapmanslade AGM at village hall - all welcome!
05/10/18	9:00am	Maranatha Assembly - parents and younger siblings very welcome
	10:00am	Y1/2 Football Festival at Warminster School - details TBC
08/10/18	8:40am	Sign up for parents' evening appointments
	2:45pm	Oak class Drop-In for parents
09/10/18	11:00am	Y5 Girls' Science Day at Bruton School for Girls
	2:45pm	Willow class Drop-In for parents
10/10/18	2:45pm	Blossom class Drop-In for parents
11/10/18	2:45pm	Redwood class Drop-In for parents
12/10/18	1:30pm	Open Afternoon for prospective new to YR 2019
13/10/18	2:00pm	Messy Church Harvest Activities in school hall
15/10/18		Y3-6 Cross Country at Stonar School - details TBC
16/10/18	3:30pm	Parents' Evening (3:30 - 6:00pm). No Multi Skills club
18/10/18	3:30pm	Parents' Evening (3:30 - 6:00pm)
19/10/18	10:00am	Open Morning for prospective new to YR 2019
23/10/18		David Wiltshire Photography - school photos
24/10/18	3:15pm	End of Term 1
	5:30pm	Friends of Chapmanslade (PTFA) Halloween Disco in school hall
05/11/18	8:40am	Term 2 begins
08/11/18	3:10pm	Book Fair in school hall
09/11/18	3:10pm	Book Fair in school hall
12/11/18	3:10pm	Book Fair in school hall
	3:00pm	Y5/6 Girls' Football Tournament at Kingdown
16/11/18		Mufti Day in aid of Children in Need
26/11/18	3:00pm	Y5/6 Small Schools' Football Tournament at Kingdown
30/11/18	10:00am	Y3/4 Hockey Festival at Warminster School - details TBC
10/12/18	morning	Flu Immunisations for YR to Y5
	2:45pm	Redwood class Drop-In for parents
12/12/18	2:45pm	Willow class Drop-In for parents
13/12/18	2:45pm	Oak class Drop-In for parents
14/12/18	2:45pm	Blossom class Drop-In for parents
18/12/18	2:00pm	Redwood Christmas performance to school and all family members
19/12/18	6:00pm	Redwood Christmas performance - parents and adults only
20/12/18	12:00pm	Christmas Lunch
21/12/18	9:00am	Carol Service - parents welcome. 3:15pm End of Term 2