Ash Cartwright and Kelsey CEP School

Through God's love and strength all flourish * Achieve * Create * Know



Friday 12th October 2018 Newsletter No: 5

Dear Parents/Carers

Autumn seems to be well and truly upon us as the leaves are now falling quickly from the trees but the children have enjoyed the warmer weather and have spent lots of time outside. Walking around the school this week, I have seen lots of enthusiastic learning. The EYFS unit loved their autumn walk, year 1 have enjoyed the story of the Enormous Turnip, year 2 have been learning about tens and ones and Darcey told me "We were taking away tens today and it is now a bit easier for me". Louis is year 3 told me that maths was his favourite subject this week as they tackle column subtraction and he can now "Take away numbers over 100". Lexi in year 5 loved art this week and the silhouettes they created of African animals. She told me "We learnt to blend in the sunset colours. I liked it so much I painted another one at home". The school is looking very vibrant and the children are clearly enjoying their topics. I always feel a sense of pride when I visit the classrooms.

It is hard to believe that next week will be the end of term 1. It has flown by! I hope to see many of you at the Harvest Festival on Friday 18th October.

Have a lovely weekend. Fiona Crascall Headteacher

Harvest Festival

Our Harvest Festival service will take place at St. Nicholas Church on Friday October 19th at 1.45pm.

Children will register and be taken down to Church, after the service parents are free to take their children home and any remaining children will return to school with staff to be collected at the usual time. Staff will have registers at the Church so please notify your child's teacher as you take them.

This year we shall be raising money for WaterAid - a global charity providing clean drinking water for those around the world who cannot access this. Please send in your donation in an envelope and in addition we will have a retiring collection at the Church.

https://www.wateraid.org/uk/



<u>Attendance</u>

Class	%
Robins - year 1	98.26
Magpies – year 2	98.15
Owls - year 3	96.25
Hawks - year 4	98.00
Eagles - year 5	99.60
Falcons year 5	96.00

<u>Star of the week</u>

Year R Wrens	
Year 1 Robins	Harry Daw for Super Science and always doing his best.
Year 2 Magpies	Harrison Reid for writing a lively and exciting story in English.
Year 3 Owls	Shay-Anthony Ring for working really hard to improve his handwriting and reading.
Year 4 Hawks	Kadi Brice for her constant hard work and brilliant R.E. work.
Year 5 Eagles	Veronica Quint for showing increased confidence and resilience.
Year 6 Falcons	Sabia Brice for being a sensible role model and always being kind and helpful in class.

Dates for your diary

NSPCC assemblies and year 5/6 workshops
Individual school photos
KS1 Shared learning 3.20 until 4pm
Dance Club cancelled.
KS2 Shared learning 3.20 until 4pm
Halloween Discos - KS1 after school (3.30-4.45pm and KS2
5-6.30pm
Eagles Class Assembly 2.30pm
Harvest Festival at 1.45pm at the Church. End of term 1.
Children back in school
Halloween dress up tag day - £1 donation for PTFA. Toffee apples on sale after school

New parents of Ash Cartwright & Kelsey.

Find our school page on Facebook & Like! Help stay informed.

Date for Diary

Quiz Night-Friday 16th November- 7pm for a 7.30pm start.

Come along to our quiz. Bring your own food and drink. Raffle and maybe even a prize for the winners! Look forward to testing your general knowledge and having a fun evening with no kids. T&C's £5 per person. Tables of max. 8 booked in advance. Over 16 yrs ONLY. Please contact Debbie on 07932032540 EMAIL: Candk.ptfa@gmail.com

Please remember that PTFA is a registered Charity & all money raised goes towards our school & the children.

CLUBS:

Apologies from Mr Hayes who will be away for 2 weeks next term after being called for jury service. Mr Hayes has already passed on jury service once before when the school was undergoing significant staff changes last year, and therefore must attend this time around. The clubs will continue to take place as normal until the last week of this term, however some clubs will not start until the week commencing 19th November.

Please note:

Dance club will continue to run every Wednesday as normal.

Years 5 and 6 Football Club will start on 21st November and will continue to run every Wednesday until the end of term.

Letters for Years 1 and 2 Multi Skills Club will be handed out next week. This will start after half-term and will be run on Thursdays by Mrs Brice and Mrs Parker.

Years 3 and 4 Indoor Athletics Club will begin on Monday 19th November.

DATA SHEETS

Please return your data sheets by the end of next week the latest to Mrs Bailey in the office.