

Friday November 16th 2018

Chenies School Friday Letter

This Week: Friday November 16th 2018

Dear Parents and Carers

Hinduism week has been full of rich experiences for our children; all their senses have been exercised with wondrous sights, sounds, smells, tastes and movement. The Hindu temple trip and visits from a Bollywood dance instructor and the HSS Hindu community charity have helped our children learn a great deal about the Hindu faith and culture. The week was capped off with a Southern Indian food tasting and having just finished my sample plate I can confirm that today was a great day to be in school! We are particularly grateful to the four beautifully dressed and talented mums who put together a wonderful array of food for our very lucky children to try. Well done to Mrs Sahotay for putting together such a wonderful week of experiences and learning.

Last Summer term, we got our parent reader rota up and running which was a great support to the school in getting more children reading aloud to adults. We wish to get this going again after Christmas. If you are interested and able to support the school with this important work then please let the office know—thank you.

We will be sharing with you our club list for the Spring term in the next couple of weeks, if you have any recommendations or ideas, please email the office and we will try and explore.

Our new Teaching Assistant, Mrs Maxted has sadly decided to leave Chenies, however I am delighted to inform you that we have appointed a new TA, Mrs Muralidhar, who has volunteered in Sprites many, many hours over the past year. We are delighted to have her on board and very confident that she will get off to a flying start with us.

The children looked great today in their rainbow themed outfits and we have raised over £80 for Children in Need, thank you.

Have a wonderful weekend,

Jonathan Hook



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Well done to all our star achievers for this week:

	English	Maths	Star of the Week
Sprites	Jamie Adams	Amelia Rozwadowski	Sprites
Phoenix	Daniel Machula	Tanish Mukku	Marcel Bothamy
Pegasus	Ella Thornberry James Dalkin	Freddie Zahra	Emily Coleman
Griffin	Oliver Alexander	Alex Szulc	Chloe Hutton

Proudly Purple - Target 100%

Sprites - 93%	Phoenix - 77%
Pegasus - 67%	Griffin - 87%

Another good week for Sprites, well done. An improvement again for Griffin, well done, homework is now being done consistently, thank you.

Whole school attendance this week:

95.2%

Parents @ Chenies School (PTA):

Upcoming events :

Raffle tickets for the Christmas Fair have been distributed in book bags so hopefully you've received them. Many thanks to those of you who have already sold tickets. We have some fab prizes— a Nintendo 2DS with Mario kart, a Boxer Interactive AI robot, a 70cl bottle of Rhubarb Gin in gift tin and a £25 'Where Inspiration Blooms Craft Workshop' voucher. Please carry on looking out for items that can be donated to our Christmas fair hampers, tombolas and Secret Santa room. Dates to bring in, lists and rotas will be going around soon. Please do help if you can, your time and donations are always enormously appreciated!

Please remember if you'd like ad hoc vouchers for Christmas shopping to email PTA@chenies.bucks.sch.uk and any online shopping please go through easyfundraising.co.uk as the PTA receive commission on what you spend. Both schemes cost you no extra than what you are spending anyway but helps us raise much needed funds.

Thank you!

Katy



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[PTA Events](#)

Diary Dates

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
Nov 19 Griffin to Science Museum all day— Meet at Chalfont & Latimer Station at 0815	Nov 20	Nov 21	Nov 22	Nov 23	Nov 24	Nov 25
Nov 26 Bikeability Griffin	Nov 27 Bikeability Griffin	Nov 28 Bikeability Griffin Book Fair	Nov 29	Nov 30 School Mufti Day (More details to follow)	Dec 1	Dec 2
Dec 3	Dec 4	Dec 5	Dec 6	Dec 7	Dec 8	Dec 9 PTA Christmas Fair 1pm-4pm
Dec 10 Whole School to the Pantomime at Watersmeet Theatre	Dec 11 0930 KS1 and EYS Dress Rehearsal for Christmas Play	Dec 12 0930 KS1 and EYS Christmas Play Christmas Lunch	Dec 13 7pm KS2 Carol Service	Dec 14	Dec 15	Dec 16

Head Teacher: Mr Jonathan Hook

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