

Friday, 19 January 2018

Chenies School Friday Letter

This Week:

Dear Parents and Carers

I am pleased to report that our children are now well rehearsed in our fire drill and evacuation procedures. I was particularly impressed with the children when we practiced an evacuation to the Church on Tuesday. This was a new procedure to them and we practiced it only two days after a fire drill, so many children were understandably uncertain about what was happening. However, their behaviour and attitude throughout the drill was excellent, allowing us to make a safe and quick evacuation to St Michaels.

Please don't forget that we are recruiting at the moment for a part-time TA role and for a lunch time assistant, if you, or someone you know might be interested in these roles please see further details on the Bucks CC website or contact the school office.

Mothers' Day is quite a way off, however I wanted to bring to your attention our Mothers Afternoon on Friday 9th March. This will be from 12:15 onwards. There will be more details nearer the time.

You will notice a particularly low behaviour score for Griffin this week, this due to the children not taking their learning responsibilities seriously especially with regards to homework and reading. We hope to see a significant improvement in their score this week, your help and encouragement are greatly appreciated. On a positive note, well done Phoenix, a much improved week, you have all been working really hard on your Jack and the Beanstalk stories—thank you.

Have a wonderful weekend.

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Griffin's winning dodgeball team

Well done to all our star achievers for this week:

	English	Maths	Star of the Week
Sprites			
Phoenix	Adrian Loghin	Lilia Bochenski	Noah McCall
Pegasus	Charlotte Flood	Harry Hutton	Harley Harris
Griffin	Jonathan Parsey	Alice Taylor-Wheeler	Oliver Hutton

Proudly Purple - Target 100%

Sprites - 91%	Phoenix - 93 %
Pegasus - 87%	Griffin - 33%

A poor week of learning for Griffin, big improvement in attitude to learning needed. Well done Phoenix a much improved week.

Whole school attendance this week:

97.6%

Parents @ Chenies School (PTA):

Thank you to everyone that came to our meeting on Tuesday, it was such a good atmosphere and we got some great ideas to work on for fundraising. The January PTA newsletter will be out soon with more details - do please let us know your thoughts and if you'd like to help. Even an hour of your time can make a huge difference to the success of these activities.

Thank you so much again for your support. Our sole aim is to raise money whilst providing fun events so we can support the school and all our amazing children.

Our film club launches on the 3rd February, we are very excited so save the date and more details will be coming very soon. Last week's cake sale made £165.65. Thank you for all your donations .

Keep an eye out for suggestion forms next week so you can pop down ideas for how you and your children would like to see PTA money spent. We value all suggestions and everything you jot down will be discussed.

Next meeting will be 7.30pm @ The Bedford Arms on Thursday 8th February. Please come along!

Mel and Katy

Parking:

Residents of Chenies village would like to remind all parents to be courteous when parking during drop and pick up times. Please do not park on the grass on the green. Over the winter the grass has become very churned up and muddy. Thank you.

Diary Dates - January

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
22	23	24 Pegasus Swimming	25	26	27	28
29	30	31 Pegasus Swimming	1 Phoenix at DCHS (am)	2	3	4
5	6	7 Pegasus Swimming	8	9	10	11
12 HALF TERM	13 HALF TERM	14 HALF TERM	15 HALF TERM	16 HALF TERM	17	18
19	20	21 Pegasus Swimming	22 Griffin WW2 trip TBC	23	24	25

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