## Friday, 9 February 2018

# **Chenies School Friday Letter**

#### This Week:

**Dear Parents and Carers** 

Another half term comes to a close, I am extremely pleased with our children and their behaviour this week. Often, as children tire towards the end of a term, their behaviour can deteriorate however, this week has been the best all term—well done.

We had a fun sports afternoon on Thursday, the houses competed together in a range of challenges and games. The games all required teamwork and it was impressive to see how the house teams improved in this through the afternoon. Our house captains did a fantastic job in organising and motivating their teams, which was a major factor in making it such a successful afternoon.

We said goodbye Miss Damery today and thanked her for all her service to the school over the years. We are very pleased to announce the appointment of Mrs Muralidhar as a lunch-time assistant, we are delighted to welcome her to our team.

We have made excellent progress with our library this week and we are very grateful for the parent help from Mrs Boulter, Mrs Muraldihar and Mrs Madavapeddi, who have being working tirelessly in scanning all the books on to our library system—thank you.

Parents evenings for next term are confirmed for Tuesday 13th (5pm—8pm) and Wednesday 14th March (3.30pm—6.00pm). Please note the slight change in dates and timings. Please contact the office to book your appointment.

I wish you all a very safe and happy half-term.

Jonathan Hook Head Teacher











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Well done to all our star achievers for this week:								
	English	Maths	Star of the Week					
Sprites	Isobel Gallagher	Tanish Mukku Jonathan Fuchs	Oliver Barnes					
Phoenix	Cassie Williams	Edward Flood	Frankie Schulein					
Pegasus	Eva Teruggi	Maggie Gilchrist-Rikken	Rhys Griffiths Charlotte Flood					
Griffin	Gus Gilchrist-Rikken	All Year 6	Dawid Biziuk					

## **Proudly Purple - Target 100%**

Sprites - 100%	Phoenix - 100%		
Pegasus - 91%	Griffin - 87%		

Excellent weeks for Sprites, Phoenix and Pegasus. Griffin, well done, a big improvement in taking responsibility for your learning. Thank you.

Whole school attendance this week:

**91.2%** 

### Parents @ Chenies School (PTA):

We are entering our school, for the first time, in this year's Chesham Carnival School Parade - the theme is music. We will be meeting on Tuesday 20th March at The Bedford Arms (7.30pm) to discuss arrangements and start planning - any parent that would like to help or get involved please come along and join us.

We will be looking for a flat bed truck or lorry for this event so if anyone can help with that then please contact Mel or Katy via the PTA email address or chat to us in the playground.

Thanks to everyone for attending last nights meeting, it went very well. Remember to keep your suggestions coming in for fundraising ideas and how you would like to see PTA money spent.

Please note - from end of March 2018 Tesco vouchers will no longer be accepted for payment for petrol or for goods at the Tesco petrol stations.

Thank you

Mel and Katy Email: pta@chenies.bucks.sch.uk

Diary Dates - January								
Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun		
12 HALF TERM	13 HALF TERM	14 HALF TERM	15 HALF TERM	16 HALF TERM	17	18		
19	20	21	22	23	24	25		
26	27 Griffin WW2 trip to Holdenby House	28	1 World Book Day Football Match (Chesham Bois School)	2	3 Film Club (2-4.30) TBC	4		
5	6	7 Phoenix trip to	8	9 Mothers in School	10	11		
12	13 Parents Eve (5.00-8.00)	14 Parents Eve (3.30 - 5.00)	15	16	17	18		
19 Music Festival Rehearsals (am)	20 PTA Carnival Meeting (7.30)	21	22 Pegasus DCHS Rugby (pm)	23	24	25		

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