Thursday, 23 May 2019

## Reminders

Safeguarding Lead The Autism Show National Book Tokens

## Cheddington Combined School NEWSLETTER



## **Head Teacher's Remarks**

We have all had an amazing time this week for arts week, and the children have produced some incredible work. It was lovely to welcome so many parents this morning to look round the school and admire the variety of things the children have done. Some of the children will also have their work displayed in Cheddington Station in the coming weeks, as the station celebrates the anniversary of the Cheddington Branch Line – the first in the world, but sadly lost to history in the 1960s.

Last week was our summer assessment week. The children excelled themselves in their determination to do their best and to be considerate to other classes whose tests and tasks took longer or were held at a different time. I was very proud of them all. We always explain to the children that any test or task does not define who they are, and to try their best. The children all seemed calm and happy, and enjoyed their other activities during the week too.

We are also very proud of our girls' football team who played really well against Bedgrove in their final. They lost the match, but their teamwork and determination were exemplary. Thank you for representing the school so well girls, and well done!

As the weather has warmed up the number of jumpers and cardigans in lost property has exponentially increased – none of them named! Any named items have been returned to the children. If you think your child's misplaced items may not have been named, please check for the appropriate size in lost property. It would be lovely to be able to fit it all into the cupboard again! Thank you for your help in this matter.

Year 6 are very excited about their imminent visit to the River Dart Centre after half term. They leave very early on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June, and I am sure they will have an amazing time. Year 5 are anticipating a visit from The History Man as part of their learning on the Tuesday. I am sure next half term will continue as it begins, with so much exciting learning before the summer break!

Thank you to the PTA for the cake sale today – what a wonderful selection from which to choose. We are very appreciative of all the PTA do to support the school, and add to what we can offer the children.

I do hope the children enjoy their half-term break, and that you are able to spend some time with them next week.

Mrs K. Tamlyn Head Teacher

Safeguarding Lead on duty
Monday - Mrs Tamlyn
Tuesday - Mrs Tamlyn
Wednesday - Mrs Tamlyn
Thursday - Mrs Tamlyn
Friday - Mrs Tamlyn

## the autism show 14 - 15 June 2019 | ExCeL, London

**Opening Times** 

Friday, 14<sup>th</sup> June 2019 - 10am - 5pm Saturday, 15<sup>th</sup> June 2019 - 10am - 4pm

If you are interested in visiting the Autism Show, more information can be found on the website, www.autismshow.co.uk

We would be very grateful if you could spare a minute and nominate Cheddington School in the National Book Tokens school prize competition. If your entry is picked, not only will the school be able to refresh their library for generations of children to come with a massive £5,000 National Book Tokens prize but you will also take home £100 of National Book Tokens just for you.

The more nominations the school receives, the higher our chances of winning and anyone can enter so please ask grandparents, aunts, uncles and friends too!...spread the word!

You can enter online at www.nationalbooktokens.com/schools

The prize draw closes on 31st July and the winner will be announced at the start of the new school year in September so keep your fingers crossed!

The PTA