



# Chapel Chat

The weekly news from Chapel St Leonards Primary School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

The school year is flying by and we are about to enter the final term of the academic year. As I mentioned a few weeks ago, we are delighted to be welcoming Mr Shaw to our school as our new permanent Key Stage 2 Leader. Mr Shaw joins us after the half term break and will be teaching the Year 4 class with Mrs Johnson until July. I am sure you will get the chance to meet Mr Shaw and give him a warm welcome.

We have taken the decision this year that we will be unable to open the school swimming pool. This is not a decision we have taken lightly but due to staff availability and the required Health and Safety improvements that need to be made to the pool we have decided to suspend it's use for this year. We still have a commitment, as part of the PE National Curriculum, that children in the school will be able to swim 25 metres by the end of Year 6 and we will make sure children have the opportunity to achieve this.

This is the final day of this half term. I hope that you have a relaxing Bank Holiday weekend and look forward to seeing the children back in school on **Monday 4th June at 8.45am.**

**Graham Almond—Headteacher**

## Attendance

Our whole school attendance currently stands at **94.2%**

We are targeting 95% by the end of the school year—we can do it!

This term's attendance winners were Year 4 with an excellent **96.14%** They will get to choose a special class treat for an afternoon after half term . Well done Year 4!



## Diary Dates

### Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> June

Non Uniform Day - donations for Y6 chocolate tombola

### Friday 8<sup>th</sup> June

Reception new parents' meeting –2pm

### June 12<sup>th</sup> to June 19<sup>th</sup>

Book Fair in School

### Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> June

Year 6 Summer Fair

### Monday 18<sup>th</sup> June

Y5 Curriculum Day: John Spendluffe

### Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> June

Y5 Curriculum Day: Skegness Academy Day

### Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> July                      **6pm**

Y6 Evening Performance for Parents

### Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> July

Sports Day – all details TBC

### Friday 13<sup>th</sup> July                      **2pm**

Y6 Afternoon Performance for Parents

### Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> July

Reports issued to parents

### Friday 20<sup>th</sup> July                      **2pm**

Y6 Leavers Assembly

End of Term 6                              3.15pm



## Year 6 Chocolate Tombola

The Year 6 children would like to remind everyone that on Thursday 7th June children are welcome to come to school in non-uniform in exchange for a chocolate donation, however large or small! **Thank you!**



# Chapel Champions

Week Ending: 25th May 2018

## Achievement Award

<b>Reception</b>	Bella – a magnificent model volcano.
<b>Year 1</b>	Allissia - for a beautiful mask as part of her homework challenge.
<b>Year 2</b>	Ruby—precise detailed beautiful art work. A superb self portrait!
<b>Year 3</b>	Molly - for neat and precise perimeter work .
<b>Year 4</b>	Esmee - for her super description of a setting. Fabulous use of adjectives and openers.
<b>Year 5</b>	Kaiden—for his excellent work in Literacy. A great mystery story.
<b>Year 6</b>	Joe - a well worded letter to parents.

## School Values Award

Riley - great success in number work this week.
Kayden - not giving up even when things got tough. Great success.
Lacie - for being a fantastic friend to all and being an excellent role model to others.
Aaliyah - for always sharing kindness and respect for those around her.
Kayden - for success in learning to tie his shoe laces.
Lacey - for being successful in her learning in Maths.
Lilly - for being considerate and supportive all of the time.

## Staying Safe Online

As technology continues to develop quickly it is important to ensure that you have safeguards in place when your child is using devices that allow them to access the internet. This week we are highlighting a couple of helpful resources.

### Think U Know

This is a fantastic website with age appropriate sections for children as well as a brilliant guide for parents. It has a wealth of information alongside games/clips to help your child to understand both the benefits and drawbacks of the internet. Simply 'Google' ThinkUKnow to find the site.

### Kidsrex

Kidsrex is a child friendly search engine which filters out most of those websites that you would not like your child to come across when searching. Whilst no search engine can ever guarantee it is 100% free of inappropriate content this is certainly a lot more robust than the search engines that are usually used.

