

Friday November 2nd 2018

# Chenies School Friday Letter

## This Week:

Dear Parents and Carers

Welcome to Autumn Term 2, it's a little strange to think that at the end of this half term it will be Christmas. It has been business as usual at school with the children getting quickly back into their routines and already producing some excellent work. I have been particularly pleased with the Phoenix children who have settled so well with their new teacher, Mrs Thompson.

All the children are preparing and practicing for our Remembrance Assembly next Friday, 9th November at 9.15am. Parents are most welcome to join us for this special assembly. We look forward to you welcoming you.

Griffin had an interesting science lesson on Thursday when they were able to see how a pheasant is prepared for eating. This involved the bird being gutted and the children could see, close up, the bird's digestive system and understand how it differs from our own. The children were very mature and asked many excellent questions.

As you all know, this term in particular is a busy one with productions, assemblies, trips, football etc so please keep an eye on all the dates and times. One such event coming up at the end of November, on the 28th, is our book sale. We have a different provider this year who has a far greater selection of books so you will be able to purchase books for a much wider group of lucky people. The sale is on for ONE DAY only, so please try and find time during that day to pop in, please also invite friends and family to use this excellent shopping opportunity. As always, the more you purchase, the more the school benefits.

And some exciting news to finish with, Paddington, our School Scarecrow, has won the Chorleywood Scarecrow trail. Well done to his creators for giving Chenies School another lovely reason to be on the map.

Have a wonderful weekend

Jonathan Hook

### **All Parents and Carers Parents—Whole School—Temple Visit**

With regards to the Temple visit on **November 12th**, I do need all consent forms returned to the office (and payments to be made on ParentPay) by **Monday November 5th**—as we need to confirm how many will be requiring a lunch, by Tuesday. I am still waiting for 38 replies/payments. Thank you. From Mrs Hulme



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## Well done to all our star achievers for this week:

	English	Maths	Star of the Week
<b>Sprites</b>	Dennis Loghin	Amor Arari	Eve Shepherd
<b>Phoenix</b>	Jonathan Fuchs	Hattie Brown	Isobel Gallagher
<b>Pegasus</b>	Anvitha Bhagavathula	Pegasus	Gabriel Bothamy
<b>Griffin</b>	Sophie Koumi Chloe Hutton	Alex Szulc	Luke Payne

## Proudly Purple - Target 100%

<b>Sprites - 100%</b>	<b>Phoenix - 87%</b>
<b>Pegasus - 87%</b>	<b>Griffin - 67%</b>

A perfect start for Sprites, well done. A reasonable week for Pegasus and Phoenix however, Griffin has gone back to the no-homework days, it could have been 93%.

## Whole school attendance this week:

**93.7%**

## Parents @ Chenies School (PTA):

### Upcoming events :

Next PTA meeting will be held at the Bedford Arms, Chenies at 7.30pm on Thursday 15th November. All welcome.

Raffle tickets will be sent out shortly, in book bags. We have some fab prizes. We would be so grateful if you could try and sell them for us.

Please start 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! Thank you.

Katy

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[PTA Events](#)



## Diary Dates

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
Nov 5	Nov 6 Pegasus Swimming	Nov 7 NSPCC Assembly	Nov 8 U11's Football Match Vs Chartridge	Nov 9 0915 Remembrance Service	Nov 10 7.30pm PTA Quiz Night	Nov 11
Nov 12 Whole school to Temple	Nov 13 Pegasus Swimming	Nov 14 DCHS Sprites Winter Olympics	Nov 15 PTA Meeting—7.30pm Bedford Amrs	Nov 16 Mufti Day—Children in Need (More details to follow)	Nov 17	Nov 18 PTA Film Night 2-4pm
Nov 19	Nov 20	Nov 21	Nov 22	Nov 23	Nov 24	Nov 25
Nov 26 Bikeability Griffin	Nov 27 Bikeability Griffin	Nov 28 Bikeability Griffin	Nov 29	Nov 30	Dec 1	Dec 2

Head Teacher: Mr Jonathan Hook

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