

Friday November 30th 2018

Chenies School Friday Letter

This Week: Friday November 30th 2018

Dear Parents and Carers

A rather grey and dreary week outside school, but inside there has been plenty going on. Griffin have had a fantastic week; following on from their amazing trip to the Science Museum last week (thank you to: the children for your excellent behaviour; all the adult helpers and to the class teachers for organising such a great trip) the children have been creating their own Science and Space magazines, full of interesting articles, interviews, fact files, biographies, adverts and competitions. As if this was not enough, for the early part of this week most of the children in Griffin have also successfully completed level three in Bikeability. Much of their road cycling took place in Little Chalfont in the pouring rain through Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday; the children were particularly stoic.

We had our book sale on Wednesday, trying out a new supplier for a one day only event. The feedback from parents has been very clear - the quality of the books and the range and layout was far better than last year's supplier. We are very grateful for your generous support which enabled the school to reach just over £1,000 in sales which meant we hit the highest rebate level of 20%. We have therefore purchased £200 worth of books that I know are going to be used to support the curriculum next week. A big thank you to Mrs Sahotay for organising and to all the adults who supported the event.

We will be sending out our after school club choices next week, for the Spring term - we have got some new clubs, including a science club which will be sampled in assembly next week. Please can you complete your club choices as soon as possible so we can confirm the club arrangements for next term.

Have a wonderful weekend.

Jonathan Hook

Note from Mrs Hulme:

Please may I remind parents/carers to return the Consent slips for the **Pantomime Trip** on December 10th, to the office? I would be so grateful if you can check their book bags and ask the children to drop them **into the office** in case they have got buried in there. With thanks.

Mrs Hulme



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Well done to all our star achievers for this week:

	English	Maths	Star of the Week
Sprites	Rebecca Crouch	Teddy Wayth	Amor Arari
Phoenix	Gracie Thompson	Aaron Rab	Tiana Cozens
Pegasus	James Dalkin	Akram Khafagi	Albie Rogers
Griffin	Jayesh Board	Lillie Payne	Oliver Alexander

Proudly Purple - Target 100%

Sprites - 93%	Phoenix - 80%
Pegasus - 73%	Griffin - 83%

A much better week, especially for Griffin, a big thank you to all the children who have made an extra effort this week to improve their learning behaviour. More improvement needed again next week.

Whole school attendance this week:

96.7%

Parents @ Chenies School (PTA):

Upcoming events :

Thank you so much for all your donations for the Hampers and Tombola. Please continue to look out for anything you can donate. All donations help us raise funds for our wonderful children—your support is so appreciated and enables us to fund resources and activities such as the pantomime trip in December. Please do carry on selling raffle tickets for the Christmas Fair. We have some fab prizes— a Nintendo 2DS with Mario kart, a Boxer Interactive AI robot, a 70cl bottle of Rhubarb Gin in gift tin and a £25 ‘Where Inspiration Blooms Craft Workshop’ voucher. Please do help on the day of the Fair if you can, your time and donations are always enormously appreciated!

Please remember if you'd like ad hoc vouchers for Christmas shopping to email PTA@chenies.bucks.sch.uk and any online shopping please go through easyfundraising.co.uk as the PTA receive commission on what you spend. Both schemes cost you no extra than what you are spending anyway but helps us raise much needed funds.

Thank you!

Katy



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[PTA Events](#)

Diary Dates

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
Dec 3	Dec 4	Dec 5 'Mad Science' Assembly Meet Mrs Powell (New Headteacher)	Dec 6	Dec 7 Metro Bank with Pegasus	Dec 8	Dec 9 PTA Christmas Fair 1pm-4pm
Dec 10 Whole School to Panto - Watersmeet Theatre—Parents to collect from the Theatre at 1630. NB. <u>NO AFTER SCHOOLCLUBS OR BUS</u>	Dec 11 0930 KS1 and EYS Dress Rehearsal for Christmas Play	Dec 12 0930 KS1 and EYS Christmas Play Christmas Lunch	Dec 13 7pm KS2 Carol Ser- vice	Dec 14	Dec 15	Dec 16
Dec 17	Dec 18 EYS, KS1 and KS2 Christmas Parties (No Hot lunch)	Dec 19 Break up at 1.30pm after Lunch, for the holidays	Dec 20 HOLIDAYS	Dec 21 HOLIDAYS		

Head Teacher: Mr Jonathan Hook

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