

Caythorpe Chronicle

Friday 1st December 2023

Contact Us

Our school mobile number is 07702 821569 should you need to call between 5 and 6pm.

You can also send a message to your child's class teacher or Mrs Hunt on Class Dojo.

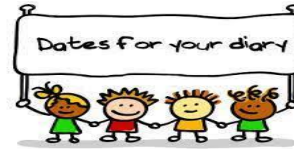
Or email enquiries@caythorpe-cit.co.uk

KS2 Maths Calculation Workshop

Last week we invited parents in for an arithmetic workshop. They worked with the children on a series of challenges to develop an understanding of the school's approach to solving a range of math's questions ensuring that parents, staff and children are all working through calculations in the same way.



If you have any other ideas for future workshops you would find useful in supporting your child/ren's learning, please let us know.



Wednesday 6th December – Hogwarts visit SWRA “We Will Rock You!”

Friday 8th December – Whole School Panto trip

Monday 11 December – EYFS/KS1 Nativity 2.30 pm

Tuesday 12 December – EYFS/KS1 Nativity evening 6 pm

Friday 15th December – FSA Christmas Fair and Crafts 3.30-5.30pm

Friday 15th December – Christmas Lunch

Monday 18th December – FSA Present Room

Monday 18th December – Rock Steady Performance 2.30pm

Monday 18th December – Christmas Movie Night 3.30pm-510pm

Tuesday 19th December – Christmas Parties

Wednesday 20th December – Carol Service 2.30pm in church

Wednesday 20th December – Term 2 Ends

Thursday 21st December – Staff Training

Wednesday 3rd January – Term 3 Begins

Friday 9th February – Term 3 Ends

Monday 19th February – Term 4 Begins

Friday 1st March – Starlinks Planetarium Visit

Thursday 28th March – Term 4 ends

Monday 15th April – Staff Training

Tuesday 16th April – Term 5 Begins

Monday 6th May – Bank Holiday

Friday 24th May – Term 5 Ends

Monday 3rd June – Term 6 Begins



It was wonderful to welcome so many children, parents and carers into the school hall to browse and buy at out Scholastic Book Fayre.

£380 of books were purchased giving the school £95 in rewards to spend on boosting our book supplies for topics throughout the school. Thank you for your support.

Come in your Christmas Jumpers!

For our pantomime trip on Friday 8th December and for Christmas lunch on Friday 15th December, we would love the children to come in their Christmas jumpers. For the privilege, we are asking children to bring a donation of something chocolate or Christmassy for the tombola prizes at the Christmas fair on Friday 15th December

There will be no celebration assembly on Friday 15th December due to setting up of the Christmas Fair in the hall.



Being in school and having the best attendance possible underpins all the many benefits of school - not just children's learning but their wellbeing and wider development.

Last week Hogwarts had the highest attendance again with 97.7%. Amazing. Overall attendance was 94%. Those children who did get 100% attendance this week were entered into the draw for the £10 voucher.

Is my child too ill for school?

We know that winter is one of the peak times for adults and children to come down with mild illnesses such as colds, coughs and sore throats. In guidance from the Chief Medical advisors, it states it is usually appropriate for parents and carers to send their children to school with mild respiratory illnesses. This would include general cold symptoms: a minor cough, runny nose or sore throat.

The NHS has published guidance for parents and carers [NHS 'Is my child too ill for school?' guidance.](#)

Parent Survey

Thank you to the 16 parents who have completed the parents' survey. If you have not done so already you can access the survey at <https://forms.office.com/e/Nh1AmcBWRO>
Your input really does matter to us. If you have more than one child, could you complete the survey for each child.

FSA

Thank you to those who attended the FSA meeting. I can confirm that Mrs Hewitt has taken on the role of Chair Person with Mrs Walker as Vice Chair. Mrs Linforth continues her role as treasurer as does Mrs Hart as secretary.
After the AGM an FSA meeting was held to discuss Christmas events. **A Christmas Movie Night event letter and a Present Room letter are attached.**
Dates of the next meeting in January will be sent out when it is set.

Volunteers Please

Are there any volunteers available for the Christmas Fair 3.30pm-5pm on Friday 15th December to support with the Christmas crafts or the Christmas Present Room on Monday 18th December at 9am? If so please contact a member of the elected committee above or Mrs Hunt or Mrs Madge.



Thank you for supporting Children in Need. Caythorpe Primary School raised a total of £110 for the Bake-Off competition and non-uniform day. Thank you to all who entered the competition or donated cakes.

Winners of the Bake-Off competition were Alice in Key Stage One and Willow in Key Stage Two.

