



Caythorpe Chronicle

Friday 8th November 2024

Hogwarts Play in a Day

As part of their topic "Would you risk it all for something you believed in," the children took part in a unique drama workshop. They worked throughout the day to learn and perform the play "Deeds not Words." The play told the audience how women's rights have evolved in Britain over the years since Roman times.

The children enjoyed learning about the history of woman's rights and took part enthusiastically in the activities led by James. They showed lots of confidence in their performance to the rest of the school and parents.



For Enchanted Forest's big bang this term of "People who help us" the children had a visit from DI Penney, who showed the children policing equipment including handcuffs. DI Penney spoke to the children about keeping safe and who to call e.g. 999 or 101 for non-emergencies.

The class also had a visit from "Koo" one of the performers from 'Koo Koo, Kangaroo.' The children showed him their dance moves. Koo also explained how dance helps people relax.



Thursday 14th November – Book Fair opens

Wednesday 27th November – No Pens Day

Tuesday 3rd December – Christmas Movie Night

Thursday 5th December – Internet and social media safety workshops

Monday 9th December – Rock Steady Performance
2.30pm

Tuesday 10th December – Nativity Performance 2pm

Wednesday 11th December – Nativity Performance
6pm

Friday 13th December – FSA Christmas Present
Room

Friday 13th December – Christmas Fair 3.30pm-
5.30pm

Monday 16th December – Whole School Pantomime
trip to Grantham Guild Hall

Tuesday 17th December – Christmas Lunch

Wednesday 18th December – Christmas Parties

Thursday 19th December – End of Autumn Term 2

Friday 20th December – Staff training

Monday 6th January – Spring term 1 begins

Thursday 9th January – Year 5 and 6 Mountaineer
workshop

Monday 3rd February – Netball V Chestnut Street at
home

Thursday 6th February – Football V Chestnut Street
away

Tuesday 11th February – Netball V Winchelsea at
home

Friday 14th February – Term 3 ends



Enchanted Forest had top attendance for the last week of term with 100%. Well done! Whole school attendance was 95% .

Neverland's Big Bang!

Children in Neverland explored toys from times gone by to introduce their topic "How have toys changed over time?"

Using the loan boxes from Grantham Museum, the children studied the toys, considered the materials they were made from and made sensible guesses about how old they thought they might be. Lots of good discussions already to start this history unit of learning!



Narnia's Big Bang

Narnia's history topic is based around the question "How did Stone Age People Affect Our Lives today?"

For their Big Bang the children used drama and role play to explore the everyday roles and activities of Stone Age people.

The children investigated Stone Age art discovered deep inside caves and drew a woolly mammoth in charcoal using the same style. The children also created some stone age paintings using their hands.

All children enjoyed the activities and can't wait to learn more about life for the people who lived in the Stone Age.



What's so important about lunch?

You use up a lot of energy working and playing hard at school, so a balanced, nutritious and tasty lunch is very important. Hot school dinners are made by Farm Kitchen to guidelines called the 'School Food Standards' but did you know that only 1.6% of UK packed lunches meet the same standards!

We would love for you to enter your lunchbox idea and win the chance for your entry to be sent out to schools as part of our packed lunch guidance. The first prize winner will also get an activity goody bag which has been donated by HAF (Holiday Activities & Food Programme)

To enter, please draw or take a photograph of your lunchbox entry and send it to FoodEducation@lincolnshire.gov.uk by Friday 20th December. Remember to include your name, age and school. Rules for the competition are attached and on Class Dojo.



This year, the school council have agreed to support the BBC charity Children In Need.

Children may come dressed in non-uniform on Friday 15th November for a minimum donation of £1.

Parent Survey 2024

Caythorpe Primary School regularly conducts parent and carer questionnaires in order to get feedback on parent/carers satisfaction and concerns on a range of topics. The Governors and Senior Leadership Team value the input from parents which provides an evaluation input to future school strategy and improvement planning.

[Caythorpe Primary School Parent Survey 2024](#)

Thank you for taking the time to complete the questionnaire. There is a comments box to add any details to answers as required.