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One family branching out together

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As the Spring Term draws to an end, we can look forward to brighter days and warmer weather and the hope that with the continued roll out of the Covid vaccine and the falling number of cases, that life may start to return to some sort of normal. We hope that everyone enjoys the Easter break and will return to school on Tuesday 13th April refreshed and ready for the Summer Term.



Comic Relief Day – Funny is power!

Everyone looked amazing on Friday 19th March when we dressed up for Comic Relief and raised a fantastic £63.50!! Thank you to everyone who donated. We had superheroes and some fabulously colourful clothing. Each class took part in activities within their bubbles, which included joke telling, dancing and challenges.



Art Class 3

Class 3 have been studying the main features, techniques, influences, and intentions of different art styles, mainly under the umbrella of abstract art and spent a week echoing these styles within their own artworks. After developing an understanding of a selection of art styles, they looked, in more detail, into the background and works of the most famous artists of these movements, starting with Post-Impressionism and Vincent Van Gogh. We singled out one of Van Gogh's most recognisable paintings 'Starry Night' as inspiration for class 3's own post-impressionist landscapes.



A full overview of the week can be found on the website along with more fantastic pictures of their artwork.



Emotional Wellbeing

Following the return of all children back into school Mrs Thornton will be doing emotional wellbeing questionnaires with all the children to monitor and manage wellbeing. If an intervention is identified, you will be notified.



School meals



If you have not already done so, could you please ensure that all Summer meal returns are emailed or posted back to school before the children return so that Mrs Page has the meal numbers ready for the first day back. If your child is on a packed lunch, could you please email the school office. Please be aware that if you don't send a meal return for your child and they do not have a packed lunch, they will be given the main meal choice for that day. Some children become upset if they do not like the main meal option as they see that other children have jacket potatoes, which need to be ordered in advance. Please could we ask you to carefully consider their pudding choices as if a child is on the meal return as fruit or yogurt, but they like the pudding on the main menu, they often want to swap, which is not possible when meals are made to order.

Pupil absences



It is really important that you please make sure you telephone or email the school before 9.15am to notify us of any child absence, with a reason for their absence. Equally, we ask if your child is unwell and you have called on the first day of their absence, we also require a call on each subsequent day until they are well enough to be back in school. If we don't receive any communication, by phone or email, we start our process of contacting all of the contacts allocated to your child and if we still haven't received any information, the Children Missing in Education protocol is triggered. Thank you for your cooperation with this.



Medicines in school

If you require your child to have medicine administered during the course of a school day, please complete a 'Parental Request for Medicine in School' form, available from the School Office and the school website. We are not allowed to administer any medicine without this being completed fully and signed by a parent/carer and the Headteacher/Head of School. If your child requires a course of antibiotics for example, over a period of a few days, please ensure that the medicine is handed directly in to the School Office each morning. Whilst we can administer Calpol (or similar Paracetamol-based medicines), we are not insured to administer any Ibuprofen medication sent in, unless this is prescribed by a doctor.



CHAPS update

CHAPS (Friends of Chapel Haddlesey Primary School) have kindly donated an Easter Egg to every child in school and would like to wish all our families a very Happy Easter.

At this time of year the CHAPS Committee would usually be busy planning for the Summer Jamboree / School Fayre but sadly due to so much uncertainty still with the Covid Roadmap and various restrictions it was decided between CHAPS and School not to arrange the event. The amount of work and support needed that goes into arranging the event is such that to have to cancel at last minute would not be appropriate. CHAPS are hopeful that they will be able to plan an event for Christmas!

Usually in September, CHAPS would hold their AGM where Committee members are agreed. The current committee have been running CHAPS for over 6 years which means that sadly we will be saying goodbye to some of our families as they move to High Schools. Without a PTA / CHAPS we wouldn't have the fundraising for laptops, books, coach trips and much more so we are reaching out to our families who may have a few years with children left at school to ask for your help in creating a new CHAPS Committee. To feel involved and being



able to support the school can be very rewarding, being able to provide and fundraise for activities and equipment for your children is beneficial to the school and your children. If you think you or a member of your family can help in anyway please contact the school – members of the current Committee are more than happy to have a chat to explain what is involved – it can be as little or as much as you want it to be! Thank you in advance.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Lindley
Head of School

Diary Dates

Friday 26 th March	• Break up for Easter
Monday 12 th April	• Training Day (school closed)
Tuesday 13 th April	• Back to school
Tuesday 27 th April	• Individual and Class photos
Monday 3 rd May	• May Bank Holiday (school closed)



Friday 28 th May	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Break up for half term
Monday 7th June	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Training Day (school closed)
Tuesday 8 th June	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Back to school
Friday 23 rd July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School ends for Summer
Monday 26 th July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Training Day (school closed)

