



Friday 17th
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Diary Dates

20th Nov: Road Safety Week

21st Nov: Y1 Buddhist Centre Trip

22nd Nov: Y5&6 Panto

24th Nov: 2RM assembly

24th Nov: Book Fair arrives

24th Nov: PTA Christmas Movie Night

28th, 29th, 30th Nov: Y2 Lowry Trip

28th Nov: Parent Partnership meeting with Rights Respecting Group

1st Dec: 1CK class assembly

6th Dec: 4JA class assembly

7th & 14th Dec: Y3 Beeston trip

8th Dec: Y4 Chester trip

It's all about EQUALITY!

This week was Equality Week & Anti-Bullying Week and as part of this important campaign, the children learnt ways of supporting others and speaking up for unkindness and bullying. What a great way to explore our school value of EQUALITY also. Read on to find out how we celebrated EQUALITY week...



Children in Need

Thank you so much for your donations – find out in next week's newsletter the grand total made for Children in Need!

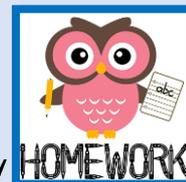


YOUR FEEDBACK!

Thank you for everyone who has already completed the parent survey about homework. Here is the link if you haven't...

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/116TP9BwBT4IGWo3HvygRGqIFWCqO6BrvTfdOFNveoXE/edit>

Look out for the results in next week's newsletter.





Equality Week at Cavendish!

What a fabulous week we have had celebrating our differences and exploring diversity. Here are a few highlights. Look out for more soon on our Equality page on our website.

Stop the Clock Design

contemporary cards & stationery made in england



Thank you Stop the Clock card design for their generous donation of cards. We joined the cardmitment campaign by writing each other positive messages and affirmations about how wonderfully unique we all are. The children loved swapping them with each other and passing on the BRILLIANT message of equality.



We also created a whole school display where children showed their identity on a petal that will form a beautiful garden of unique flowers. We will share photos soon of the wonderful collaborative art work.





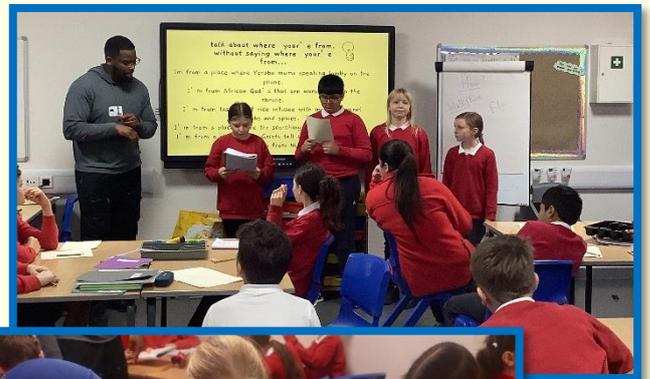
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Check out our BRILLIANT visitors...



Thank you to artist Amber, who came to talk to Year 5 about overcoming her barriers in becoming an artist.

Lydia from Venture Arts assisted Amber. Venture Arts are a BRILLIANT organisation who collaborate with learning disabled artists in visual and art and culture.



Thank you to poet Gabriel, who came and inspired the Year 6 children to write poems about what their culture means to them. They then performed them and showed appreciation for each other's work.



A huge thank you to Laura Coleman, Cavendish resident dance teacher, for delivering samba sessions to the Year 2s. They loved it! Especially learning about how the dance style came about.

Thank you to Aimz dance for the Bollywood dance session. Year 1 explored another culture through music and movement. It was BRILLIANT!



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Nursery & Reception had lots of fun with Gemma from Sign Me Happy. They learnt lots of sign language during their story time and singing sessions.

Bringing British Sign Language to your setting!



Gemma also visited Year 3 & 4 to teach them sign language. They learnt how to sing and sign to Taylor Swift's 'Shake it Off!' Thanks Gemma!



Some of the amazing benefits of learning Sign Language:

- Increased self esteem
- Promotes inclusion
- Opens up valuable conversations about diversity
- Fosters team work and cooperative learning
- Improved confidence in communication not only in BSL, but also their mother tongue
- Decreases frustration
- Great for advancing motor skills
- Generates a unique community and facilitates learning about wider communities and their value
- As a kinesthetic language BSL is widely accessible to learners of all abilities
- Provides a platform to express emotions and opinions creatively
- Best of all.... it's FUN!



BRILLIANT CITIZENS

In this section of the newsletter we hear all about how the children are being **BRILLIANT** citizens!

Chloe and Grayson have recently taken a London Academy of Music and Dramatic Art (LAMDA) exam and have passed with distinction, with 90/100 marks! LAMDA exams are not just a measure of academic success; they go beyond that. It provides our children with the opportunity to develop their communication skills, boost their confidence, and express themselves creatively. By excelling in these exams, Chloe & Grayson are receiving the recognition they deserve for their efforts and achievements and we are very proud. From their LAMDA teacher x



Here is Ernie on Saturday morning proudly wearing his Cavendish shirt! He was very pleased to enter and run for Cavendish in the local Schools Cross Country leagues! He absolutely loves athletics and does school athletics with Miss Paula and because of that had the confidence to join Sale Harriers.



Owen and Emmeline decided to run a Bake Sale on Sunday in aid of FareShare. They had to sit in the boot of the car due to the rain but made £111.91. This will help the charity to deliver enough food for 400 meals!



Come along and watch our school choir perform at the Burton Road Christmas event, they will be on at 4pm outside the WEST DIDSBURY CLUB.



Children or parents can complete the survey here:

www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk/thebigambition . Further resources are available on our website. It is really important that the pupils at Cavendish Primary School have participated in The Big Ambition survey and had their say. I want to ensure that the voices of all children in the North West area are fairly represented in the findings so that I can share their views with the most senior members of the country. I must reiterate that it is vital that all children have their voice heard through this survey because, as Children’s Commissioner for England, I have a statutory duty to protect and promote the views and interests of children. The Big Ambition provides a much-needed opportunity for the children of England to tell political decision makers what is important to them ahead of the General Election. I will be sharing their responses with Government to ensure that children’s voices are heard. This is a great opportunity to teach children about politics and why it is important for them to use their voice. Be sure to check out the lesson plans on my website if you want to teach your pupils more about politics before they fill in the survey! Yours sincerely, Dame Rachel De Souza (Children’s Commissioner for England)



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WOMEN'S FA CUP

FC UNITED
v
HULL CITY

FA CUP 2ND ROUND

SUNDAY 26TH NOVEMBER - 3PM KO
BROADHURST PARK STADIUM, M40 0FJ
ADULTS £5 - JUNIORS & CONCESSIONS £2

Complimentary Tickets:

As strong supporters of local communities, we're excited to offer local schools an exclusive opportunity for the upcoming Women's FA Cup match between our Women's team and Hull City Ladies on Sunday 26th November 2023. In the spirit of promoting women's football, we're extending an invitation for your school to receive up to 10 complimentary family tickets for this match, to give away to your pupils. This provides a fantastic chance for families in the local community to come together, enjoy an exciting sporting event, and create lasting memories. We believe this initiative will not only strengthen community bonds but also cultivate an appreciation for women's football. Please reply to jennie.swarbrick@fc-utd.uk or call 0161 7692005 to enquire about these complimentary tickets.

MANCHESTER CATHEDRAL **WEDNESDAY 6TH DECEMBER 2023**

Doors open at 7pm | Concert starts at 7.20pm

ADULTS £10/£14	CONCESSIONS £5/£10	Concessions = those with visual impairments, disabilities, students, children and OAP
GUIDES/CARERS FREE!	FAMILIES £25/£30	Family tickets = 1 adult and 3 children or 2 adults and 2 children

*Early bird pricing will end 6th November

FEATURING

Dave Steele - The Blind Poet
Denise Leigh & Stefan Andrusyschyn
Svitoch Ukrainian Choir
Leo Hicks
Henshaws Children & Young People Choir

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henshaws.org.uk 0300 222 5555

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Book Fair - 27th Nov - 30th Nov

Would you like to win a £5 voucher to spend at the Book Fair?

Pupils in **Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and Year 2** – if you want to enter, we'd like you to make a BOOKMARK that is so lovely, it makes people want to read more books just so they can use it! You can decorate it however you like, but good ideas might be a picture of your favourite book character, or an inspirational message about how reading improves our lives. It should fit inside most books so we suggest a size of about 15cm x 4cm. For **Years 3 to Year 6** – the brief is to design an amazing POSTER to persuade people to read a book that you have enjoyed. It should look engaging and grab people's attention, but will also need some text to explain to them exactly why they should read that book. It should be A4 size and can be in any medium – pencil, paint, pastel, collage etc. We have some amazing artists in school, so get busy!

The closing date is **TUESDAY 21st NOVEMBER**. Unfortunately, we can't accept any entries after that. Please hand entries in to your class teacher. If you are a winner, you will receive a £5 book token to spend at the book fair. Good luck – we can't wait to see your entries! Miss Tattersall and Mrs Threllfall-Smith

We are pleased to announce that Cavendish will be holding a book fair for children and parents to come along to. You will be able to buy children's books from the book fair on **Monday 27th November - Thursday 30th November from 3.30-4.00 in the Rhodes Hall.**

SCHOLASTIC TRAVELLING BOOKS

COME TO the BOOK FAIR!

FREE BOOKS FOR YOUR SCHOOL WHEN YOU BUY AT THE BOOK FAIR!

A POP-UP BOOK-STORE WITH HUNDREDS OF BOOKS FROM JUST £2.99

LAST YEAR, YOUR SUPPORT HELPED TO DONATE OVER £5.3M BOOKS TO SCHOOLS NATIONWIDE

NEW PERCY JACKSON AND THE MOUNTAIN FAIRY by Rick Riordan. **GREAT DEAL only £2.99** (original £7.99)

NEW SPEAK UP! by Nathan Bryon. **£7.99**

NEW OH! MAYA GODS! by Maz Evans. **£7.99**

NEW TOM GATES FIVE STAR STORIES by Mike Pickels. **Hardbacks only £7.99** (original £12.99)

NEW The Baddies by John Burt Foster II. **£7.99**

NEW BLUEY BARKY BOATS by Alice Fisher. **£6.99**

Date: Monday 27th - Thursday 30th November 3.30 - 4.00 In the Rhodes Hall

Scan the QR code to pay online!

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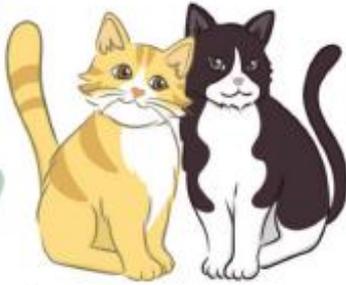




KEEPING SAFE & BEING HAPPY

HEALTHY FRIENDSHIPS

LOOK LIKE...



Spending Time With Those Who Make You **Feel Good**



Going Against The Group To Do What's **Best For You**



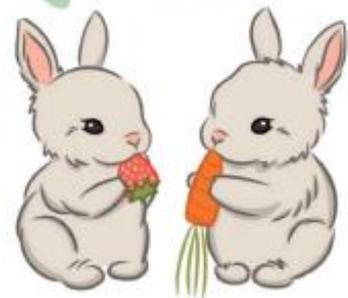
Saying "**No Thank You**" When It's Not Right For You



Taking Time For **yourself**



Speaking Up When You Feel Uncomfortable



Liking **Different Things** Than Your Friends Do

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