



Challenge, Creativity, Compassion: Create a pure heart in me – Psalm 51:10

Friday 29th September 2023

Prayer of the week – by Harry

Dear God
Thank you for our friends and our family
and our loved ones who make us joyful and happy.
Thank you for those who make us laugh and happy.
Thank you for all the teachers that help us to learn.
Amen

Headteacher awards:

Mars: Wilf Jupiter: Myles Saturn: Ethan Neptune: Emma

Pupil Voice: “Our class news”

Mars: On Fresh Air Friday we crossed the road and we saw the church which is God's house. I've played with buttons today like sparkly ones and yellow ones -Carmen

Jupiter. We wrote our own version of Handa's Surprise. My new animals were a leopard and a cheetah. - Fraser

Saturn: At school in maths we are learning roman numerals, and we either do a worksheet or pick between A B or C. also Mrs Clarke sometimes picks for us. A easy., B middle, C hard. In English we are practicing to write the story of The King who threw away his crown.

Neptune: This week in art we were looking at Henry Moore and making 3D artwork. We were also making our posters for Harvest Festival. In English we were using descriptive language to describe a scene. In maths we were rounding to the nearest 100, 1000, 10,000, 100,000 and 1,000,000. - Quinn

School News



Harvest Festival Collection

The school is collecting for the Cavendish and Clare local food pantry, the items that you kindly donate are available to all families that are in need. Please bring your non perishable donations into school on Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday next week. Thank you in advance for kindness.

'A Message from Mrs Santinelli-Clarke'

Mars class have settled into their new school really well over the last 4 weeks. They have had lots of exciting opportunities for play-based learning both indoors and outdoors. They have done lots of fun activities around their topic such as sharing their fabulous summer boxes, learning about our school and decorating self-portrait biscuits. They have met lots of new friends and have even had their first Fresh Air Friday. I'm really looking forward to the rest of this term where we will be exploring some more autumnal themed learning.'



Family Café – Tuesday / Wednesday 3.15-4pm

Do not forget our after school café on Tuesday and Wednesday from 3.15-4pm, parents can read or help with homework with warm/cold drinks and biscuits available. Mrs Halpin and Miss Wass look forward to seeing you.

School Volunteers/PTFA members

We encourage volunteers who have time to commit to a regular session to volunteer at our school. This helps to widen our offer and experiences to children. We are grateful to our volunteers who run the school library and who will be accompanying Miss Wass as we resume our visits to Devonshire House. The Open the Book team who support Worship are all volunteers. We are still seeking volunteers to help with:

Forest School - Tuesdays 1-3 pm

Individual reading - afternoons preferred, flexibility of day

Fresh Air Friday - Fridays 9-10am

If you are able to offer your support with any of these, please contact the office. Please note that we follow and apply Safer Recruitment practise to all volunteers in school and you will need to provide a referee and undergo DBS check. Safeguarding and induction training will be provided on site.

If you would like to support the school, but are unable to commit to a weekly session, please contact the PTFA, cavendishceprimaryptfa@gmail.com who are always keen for additional support. All school parents and carers of children are automatically members of PTFA, we need volunteers to help with fundraising events, any contribution of time is greatly appreciated.

Community Outreach

As part of this years community outreach, pupil and staff from Cavendish Church of England Primary School are making regular visits to Devonshire House. This week 5 children from year 2 made bird feeders with the residents. It was a wonderful time spent together.



Cavendish Horticultural Show

The village recently hosted this years horticultural show. This children at Cavendish created art for display. Thank you to Mrs Ling and Miss Ling for showcasing the entries on behalf of the school.



Parent Autumn term Consultation dates

Please see below dates for parent consultations.

- 16th/17th October – Mars Class consultation
- 16th October – Jupiter Class consultation
- 17th October – Saturn Class consultation
- 19th October – Neptune Class consultation

To help support teacher wellbeing and work load, time slots will be available during the day, there will be no evening slots. Teachers will be able to offer telephone calls should you not be able to come into school on this day.

Please note Mars class consultations will take place after 3.15pm on the 16th and 17th October.

Further information about booking your time slot will be sent out nearer the time.

CLARE PARISH CHURCH

PRESENTS SONGS FROM



AND OTHER SHOWS

Performed by The Preston St Mary Popup Choir
Musical Director – Lyn Davis Accompanist – Sara Whymark

FRIDAY 6th OCTOBER 2023 AT 6.30PM (Doors Open at 6pm)

Entry by Donation

(Suggested £10 Adults / £5 Children)

All funds raised will go towards supporting the work of

St Peter & St Paul Church, Clare

Dates for your diary



- 2nd October – Sukott
- 5th October – National Poetry Day
- 6th October – Harvest Festival Church service – 2pm
- 12th October – Diwali
- 16th/17th October – Mars Class consultation
- 16th October – Jupiter Class consultation
- 17th October – Saturn Class consultation
- 19th October – Neptune Class consultation
- 1st November – Class Photos
- 8th November- Flu vaccinations (consent forms have been sent via parent mail)
- 10th November – Remembrance service 10.45am at the War Memorial
- 17th November – Children in Need fundraising day

School Term and Holiday dates 2023/2024

Autumn Term

- PD Days Monday 4th and 5th September
- Children Start Wednesday 6th September
- Half term Monday 23 October to Friday 27 October
- Last day Wednesday 20th December

Spring Term

- PD Day Wednesday 3rd January
- Children Start Thursday 4th January
- Half term Monday 19 to Friday 23 February
- Last day Thursday 28 March

Summer Term

- PD Day Friday 12 April
- Children Start Monday 15 April
- Bank Holiday Monday 6 May
- PD Day Friday 24 May
- Half term Monday 27 May to Friday 2 June
- Last day Friday 19 July