

# OLD CATTON NEWSLETTER



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## Dear Parents

A massive **"Well done"** to all of Year 6 who took their tests this week. They all worked so hard and conducted themselves in a very professional manner throughout. We are all very proud of them for tackling the tests so well. I am confident that they gave it their all.

Also well done and thank you to the rest of the school for their behaviour and support.

## Stars of the Week!

Congratulations to the Stars of the week– wonderful work and attitudes shown; what brilliant role models we have in our school.

6R Kaspija Kasparaite  
6R Lukas Stuknys  
6E Harry Craske  
6E Bertie Viner  
5JS Issac Curmi  
5JS Holly Boyce  
5GS Bella Blyth  
5GS Evan McKenzie  
4N Thomas Ward  
4N Georgina O'Connell  
4C Aimee Buttery  
4C Eliza Rahman  
3E Ffion Andrews  
3E Abby Hanworth  
3C Casey Webster  
3C Isabella McDonald



## Attendance Cup

**4N** won the attendance cup last week. With an attendance of **99.17%** - Well done!

## Maths Champions

Congratulations to our Maths Champions who have completed their Times Tables Master Sheets

**Izzy Dale**

**Ellie Gall**

**Harry Maclean**

**Adam Lakey**

**Thomas Ward**

**Charlie Fuller**

**Nick Vianna**

**Lily Morris**

## Golden Book!

The following children were put into the Golden Book for amazing work that has astonished, astounded and amazed their teachers. Huge congratulations to the following children:

**Bryan Szendro**

**Jayden Langridge**

**Toby Alderdice**

**Jack Stone**

**Isaac Body**

**Rebekah Kulikowski**

## Key Dates

**Fri 24th May** - Class Photos

**Mon 27th May to Fri 31<sup>st</sup> May** - Half Term

**Wed 5<sup>th</sup> June** - Whitlingham Trip Year 6

**Thurs 6<sup>th</sup> June** - Whitlingham Trip Year 6

**Fri 7<sup>th</sup> June** - Whitlingham Trip Year 6

**Fri 7<sup>th</sup> June** - Goblin Race Yr 5

**Thurs 13<sup>th</sup> June** - Free Karate Taster Sessions

**Fri 14<sup>th</sup> June** - Sing Up at St Andrews Hall

**Thurs 20<sup>th</sup> June** - New Intake Evening Yr 2 at 7pm

**Tues 25<sup>th</sup> June** - Yr 6 Fashion Show 10:00-11:00am

**Mon 1<sup>st</sup> July** - City Sports at UEA

**Tues 2<sup>nd</sup> July** - City Sports at UEA

**Thurs 4<sup>th</sup> July** - City Sports at UEA

**Fri 5<sup>th</sup> July** - SkillForce Ceremony Day Yr 5

**Fri 12<sup>th</sup> July** - Sports Day

**Week/B Monday 15<sup>th</sup> July** - Assertive Mentoring

**Thurs 18<sup>th</sup> July** - Year 6 Leavers Show 7pm

**Fri 19<sup>th</sup> July** - Summer Fair 3:30-6pm

**Tues 23<sup>rd</sup> July** - Celebration Assembly at 9:00am

**Tues 23<sup>rd</sup> July** - End of Year Disco! 6:00-8:30pm

**Wed 24<sup>th</sup> July** - Last Day of Term

**Thurs 25<sup>th</sup> July to Wed 4<sup>th</sup> Sept** - Summer Holiday

**Wed 4<sup>th</sup> Sept** - Children return to school

## SATs Breakfast Club

I would like to say a huge "Thank You" to all staff that helped in running the pre-SATs Breakfast Club this year, with a special thanks to Mrs Morgan, and Miss Reeves, who were in early cooking up a storm for Year 6, so that they were able to enjoy a leisurely breakfast altogether before the tests. The Breakfast Club was very well attended so thank you also to all who came!

## Open the book

This weeks' 'Open the Book' collective worship focused on the Crucifixion and Resurrection of Jesus. It imagines that there was a soldier who watched everything that happened to Jesus. The soldier didn't understand why Jesus was being treated so badly and it wasn't until he saw Jesus alive again that he started to understand. This story promoted an understanding of the school's Christian value of 'Hope' through encouraging the children to think about times when they felt that something wasn't right and to think what they could do about it.

## Music Lessons

We have music teachers come into school on a weekly basis for private music lessons. If you wish to find out more about this, please contact them via the emails addresses below. They will have spaces with effect from September 2019

Drum Lessons :

[philipjohndavison@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:philipjohndavison@yahoo.co.uk)

Key Board Lessons:

[lorjana@btinternet.com](mailto:lorjana@btinternet.com)

Woodwind Lessons:

[simonyoungman@talktalk.net](mailto:simonyoungman@talktalk.net)

# TALK HOMEWORK & WOW WORDS

Each week we send a Talk Homework activity and 'Wow' Words home and we would be very grateful for your support.

We are trying to help all our children develop excellent speaking and listening skills, which in turn will help them with their writing. "If a child can't say a sentence then they can't write it either!"

Please spend at least 10 minutes talking with your child about the questions below;

*We have been thinking about kindness in some of our classes and taking time to think about how we may have shown kindness to others in our day at school. Talk to your families about why it is so important to be kind to others. Can you think of things that other people have done to you to be kind? Or examples that you can think of where you have shown kindness to others? What about your family members - how have they been kind this week?*

throw  
kindness  
around  
like confetti

Our 'WOW' Word this week is

**kindness**

*(kind act, good deed, act of kindness, good turn, favour, act of assistance, service, help, aid)*

In Big Talk, we use 'WOW' Words to improve our vocabulary and 'big up' our sentences to make them more interesting!

Please encourage your child to use this WOW word, in the right context, as much as possible.

- The 'Talk Homework' and 'WOW' words will be set every Friday in the newsletter; children will then share their 'Talk' with their class on Friday afternoon.
- We will encourage the children to use the WOW word throughout the week.

Please do not hesitate to come into school and speak to me or another member of staff if you have any questions or concerns. Have a great week!



**Mrs K Connelly.**