



# Cheddon Fitzpaine Church School

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## Cheddon CHAT 03 – Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> September

### Safeguarding update

I am intending to have a regular feature on various safeguarding updates throughout the year. Sometimes this will be to provide new information, at other times, this will be to provide refreshers on previous information. To start this off, I wanted to look at the use of social media.

At the start of the year, we ask for your permission to publish images of your child/ren on our school website and Facebook pages. We take every step to make sure that no photos of children are posted where we do not have permission to do so. If on a very rare occasion a photo slips through the net, please let the school know and the photo will be removed straight away.

Where parents/carers attend school events, we are not responsible if images are posted on the internet or shared via mobile phones. These are deemed to be personal use. We do ask out of courtesy that parents/carers only post photos of their own child/ren and not use photos where others may be in the background. If a parent/carer posts information online that you are not happy with, this should be dealt with by reporting it directly to Facebook.

I hope that you found this update helpful. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to ask.

### Visit from our Trust Advisor

We had a visit from the BWMAT's Assistant Director of Learning and Achievement this week. I am pleased, although not at all surprised, to say that he was very impressed with what he saw. He complimented the school on:

- How well teachers use assessments to plan the next steps of children's learning
- Children's behaviour
- How children were able to talk about what helps them with their learning
- How much challenge and progress was evident in children's books

### Harvest Festival

We will be holding our Harvest Festival on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> October at 2:30pm in the school hall. Revd. Mary will be leading the service and you are all welcome to attend. Again, we will be collecting donations for Open Door. Requests this year include: coffee, tea, sugar, squash, cereals, biscuits, fruit juice, spam, corned beef, tinned meat pies, tinned vegetables, tins of custard, rice pudding, tins of fruit, cooking oil, cooking sauces, hot chocolate, tomato ketchup, brown sauce, mayonnaise, BBQ sauce, cocoa powder, icing sugar, cooking chocolate, dried mixed fruit, sultanas, flour, gravy granules, stock cubes, pasta and rice.

### Mufti day

This Thursday is a mufti day at school. Your child may wear non-uniform to school in exchange for a £1 donation. If you are able to help with the collection, please let Kelly Western know.

### INSET day

Just a reminder that this Friday (29<sup>th</sup> September) is an INSET day. There will also be no celebration assembly this week.

### From the gate...

Sadly, no mention of my dancing prowess this week! It has been mentioned that there were some cars parking on the yellow zigzags outside the school. The zigzags are there to help create a safe space where pedestrians can cross the road safely, so please respect them and park safely.

Mrs Masters has asked if people could have a look at home for a small green Bear Grylls jacket. It is named with her son's name, so is easily identifiable. Thank you.

### Cake and Coffee afternoon

Our coffee and cake afternoon, in aid of Macmillan cancer support, will take place on Thursday from 2pm. It would be lovely for as many of you as possible to join us to raise money for such a worthy cause. If you are able to provide cakes for this event, or if you are able to help on the day please let Mrs Winter know.

### Attendance

This week's attendance in each class:

92.09	97.69	96.31	96.73	97.96
Class 1	Class 2	Class 3	Class 4	Class 5

### Star of the Week

Class 1	Sophia Bradley	Your caring and nurturing attitude to the new children in Class 1
Class 2	Megan Joint	Kindness to others
Class 3	Ruby Powell	Being helpful to others
Class 4	Kelton Staddon	Settling in well to Class 4
Class 5	Karina Blyth	Her cheerful nature

### Dates for your diary

25.09 Reception children in 8:45am – 1:30pm  
28.09 Coffee and Cake afternoon (2pm start)  
28.09 Mufti day  
29.09 INSET DAY – school closed to children  
02.10 Reception children in full time  
02.10 Harvest Festival at the school (2:30 start)  
06.10 Class 5 Cake Sale  
12.10 Bikeability day 1  
13.10 Bikeability day 2  
18.10 FCSA AGM (3:30pm start in the lower library)  
20.10 INSET DAY – school closed to children  
23.10 Half Term