

# Capel-Le-Ferne Primary School

NEWSLETTER: Friday 5<sup>th</sup> December 2025

*'Learning today for life tomorrow'*



RESPECT

INDEPENDENCE

CONFIDENCE

CREATIVITY

Dear Parents and Carers,

Reading continues to be a key focus for us at school, and it has been wonderful to see the children's enthusiasm grow each week. All classes enjoy regular visits to our school library, and a wide range of stories are shared with the children throughout the week. Reading and storytelling also sit at the heart of our Talk for Writing approach, helping to build confidence, imagination, and a love of language.

As we move through the Christmas season, we are keen to keep this excitement for reading alive. If you have any books in good condition that you no longer need, we would be grateful for any donations to help refresh and enrich our library collection.

Thank you, as always, for your support. Wishing you all a wonderful weekend.

Anthony Richards,  
Headteacher

### **Reception: Honeybees**

**Mylo**- fantastic singing during our Nativity practices this week.

**Ron**- For creating a lovely Christmas card this week and writing his name.

### **Year 1: Turtles**

**Freddie**- For super effort in phonics.

**Dolly**- For fantastic reading and maths this week.

### **Year 2: Parrots**

**Lloyd** – for his fantastic focus and wonderful presentation this week.

**Lola** – for her growing confidence and superb effort in Maths.

### **Year 3: Dolphins**

**Chloe and Grace**- for their excellent map reading skills.

### **Year 4: Leopards**

**Tobiah and Arthur** – for an amazing adaptation of The Secret of Black Rock.

### **Year 5: Rhinos**

**Elsie** for excellent progress and confidence with reading.

**George** for excellent work adding fractions and mixed numbers.

### **Year 6: Tigers**

**Andy** – for making an excellent effort in writing this week

**Stanley** – for working hard on his handwriting and presentation

### **LASER LIGHT SHOW AND WINTER FESTIVAL**

Thank you to everyone who came out to support our Winter Festival and Laser Light Show last Friday!

And a big thank you to those that volunteered their time to support this event. We hope you all had a great time!



### **PFA PRESENT 'ELFRIDGES'**

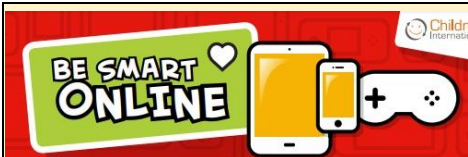
We are excited to announce that next Friday 12<sup>th</sup> November our PFA are running 'Elfridges' during the school day. Children are able to bring some money into school and buy gifts for loved ones. Please see the poster attached for more details. Thank you for your continued support.



### **CHRISTMAS DINNER AND CHRISTMAS JUMPERS**

Our Whole School Christmas Dinner is Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December. Children are invited to wear their Christmas jumpers to school this day. Children will also be making Christmas hats in class to wear for their Christmas dinner.





**TIPS FOR PARENTS AND CARERS: Online Safety – Let’s Talk About It!**

This week we are thinking about how children can critically consider their online friendships and the information they find on the internet. It’s important for

them to understand that not everyone they meet online is who they say they are, and that there are risks in communicating with people they have never met in real life. Encouraging children to question what they see, check whether information is reliable, and talk to a trusted adult if something seems unusual helps them build good digital judgement. By learning to think carefully about online interactions, children can enjoy the benefits of the internet while staying safe and making sensible choices.

**PANTOMIME TRIP**

A reminder Monday 15<sup>th</sup> December is our whole school trip to the Pantomime.

Children are welcome to bring a small snack or small sweet treat to have during the interval (for example, a small bag of haribo). **Please no chocolate or nuts.**



**OPAL GOLDEN SEAGULL**



**Alfie** for amazing tidying up. Alfie always looks after our loose parts really well. He is respectful and makes sure things go back once we have finished. This is really important to ensure we always have enough loose parts for everyone. Well done Alfie!

**Penelope** for being a superb OPAL play leader. Penelope is always the first person to help others out. She takes care of our loose parts, ensures they are out for everyone at the beginning of lunch and then



safely stored again at the end of lunch. Nothing is ever too much trouble for Penelope. Thank you for everything you do!

**DATES FOR YOUR DIARY-**

- Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> December- EYFS and KS1 Nativity (9.30am & 1.30pm)
- Monday 15<sup>th</sup> December- Whole School trip to the Pantomime
- Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> December- KS2 Christmas Performance (9.30am and 2.00pm)
- Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December- Whole School Christmas Dinner and Christmas Jumper Day
- Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> December- Last day of term
- Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December- INSET Day (school closed to all pupils)
- Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January- First day of term 3

**Honours List: Celebrating children who have shown our school values this week**

Honeybees	Turtles	Parrots	Dolphins	Leopards	Rhinos	Tigers
Albert	Millie	Arthur	Harry	Florence	Imogen	Aleasha
Ronnie	Felicity	Thomas	Henry	Adele	Luke	Alex

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Capel-Le-Ferne Primary PFA presents

# ELFRIDGES

Friday 12th December

During the school day, the children will have the opportunity to visit 'Elfridges' to buy gifts for loved ones. There will be a variety of gifts available at prices ranging from 50p - £4.

A limit of 3 gifts per child.  
Cash to be sent in with your child on the day.

