

So Long, Farewell.....

The time has come to say goodbye to our wonderful Year 6 students as they move on to the next stage in their Education. They put on a wonderful Leaver's Assembly this morning, sharing memories, singing and telling us about their hopes for the future. It was a moving and fitting tribute to their time with us. Year 6, we will miss you. Good Luck with everything you do. Please come back and see us soon.

To the rest of our community, thank you for your ongoing support over the year and for all that you do for us. We know that the strength in our school lies in the way we all work together for a common goal. It has been such a busy and productive year, with the new Haven, Forest School, new staff, a wedding, a baby on the way and finally a record-breaking heatwave! I am so proud to lead such a wonderful school but it would not be possible without the fantastic staff and families.

Congratulations to all those who gained special awards today. In Year 6, the following students were recognised with some extra special awards....

Holly Sabine was awarded the first ever Headteacher's Award for her work and inspiration for our Haven.

Jamie Bothwell received the Highest Academic Achievement Award.

Ben Pino gained the Greatest Progress Award

And

Kaci Steward was awarded the Greatest Contribution to School Life Award.

Year 6 had two days of Forest school with Mrs Lee, Conor and Ben. The children had an amazing time! They made a mud kitchen, cooked bread, made friendship bracelets, made mud faces, sawed, axed, made fidgit spinners, played games, and thoroughly enjoyed being outdoors!



When the **PTA** met at the beginning of this academic year, we tentatively made plans for a postcovid revival. We were cautious with our plans, and fundraising expectations were low. However, with your support we have smashed it this year! As a whole-school PTA we have raised over £8000 and are completely blown away by this figure!! Thank you to all of you who have contributed to make this happen. This fundraising has meant that we have been able to;

- contribute to resources for the Haven

- purchase a football kit for the Capel team

- provide each class teaching team with a budget to spend however they wish to support pupil learning

- as well as giving the children plenty of opportunities to have fun, such as going to a disco, buying gifts for parents and creating Christmas cards

Every single pupil directly benefits from the PTA's fundraising achievements. We can not thank you enough for your ongoing support and look forward to planning more events in the new academic year (after a well-deserved rest!). If you have suggestions or ideas for future PTA plans or can contribute in any way, big or small, then we will have vacancies for new team members in September. Our AGM will be held in the Autumn term and if you would like to find out more about what we get up to, we would love to see you there!





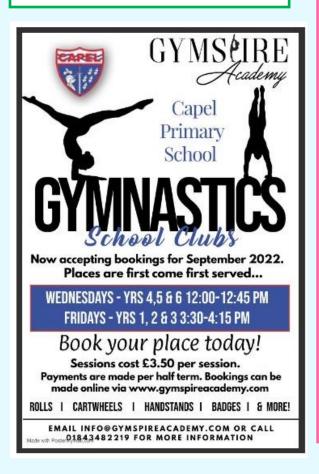


Year 6 did some lovely cooking this week! We made Pancakes! And on the side, we had fruit and a cheeky scoop of ice cream!



PE KIT for Sept 22

Please note that we are keeping the current arrangements for PE kit next year. Children will come to school in their PE kit on the days they have PE. The kit is a plain, house-coloured T-shirt and navy shorts or jogging bottoms.



2022-2023 Dates for your Diary 1st September 2022 INSET 2nd September 2022 INSET 5th September Children return 24th October Half Term Week 10th November 2022 (INSET mid-week) 16th December–Term 2 ends 3rd January 2023 INSET 4th January–Term 3 starts 13th February–Half Term 31st March–Term 4 ends 17th April—Term 5 starts 29th May-Half Term week 5th June 2023 INSET 6th June-Term 6 starts 21st July-Term 6 ends

Class of 2022



"You have brains in your head and feet in your shoes, you can steer yourself in any direction you choose!" --Dr. Seuss