

Friday 1st March 2019

RRSA Update and a Reception HELP Appeal

Here at Chad Vale we place children's rights at the heart of everything we do and this is why we are currently working towards achieving a Silver Rights Respecting Schools Award. In order to do this we are teaching the children about the different articles in the UN Convention of the Rights of the Child (UNCRC). The Unicef UK Rights Respecting Schools Award supports schools across the UK to embed children's human rights in their ethos and culture. The Award is based on principles of equality, dignity, respect, non-discrimination and participation and involves us working with our pupils, staff, parents and governors to embed children and young people's rights in our school's everyday practice and ethos. Each week we focus on teaching about a different article from the UNCRC in our collective worship and class assembly time. Each week we will be publishing the article that we will be teaching around for the following week in the school newsletter. This will allow you to talk to your child about the discussions and learning they have been taking part in during the week. **Next week we will be learning about Article 14—we have the right to choose our own religion and beliefs.**



Would you like your child to take part in some research that could help other children with brain injuries? The PROBIT team at Aston University is looking to invite children with no known health problems affecting the brain to participate in a research study at Aston University. The study is looking at how we can predict long term outcomes in children who have suffered a brain injury by also looking at outcomes in children without these injuries. Interested in finding out more? Then please feel free to contact us on 0121 204 3090 or you can email us at probit@aston.ac.uk

RECEPTION APPEAL – OLD TOYS NEEDED!

Due to a number of items being broken over the past few years, if you have any old toys your child does not play with anymore, reception would be grateful for any donations of:

- Small cars
- Planes
- Helicopters
- Hair dressing kits
- Hospital toys / kits
- Role-play costumes
- Superhero toys
- Small dolls



Whilst we would like to accept donations of other toys, unfortunately we do not have the space for storage.



Little Hearts Matter

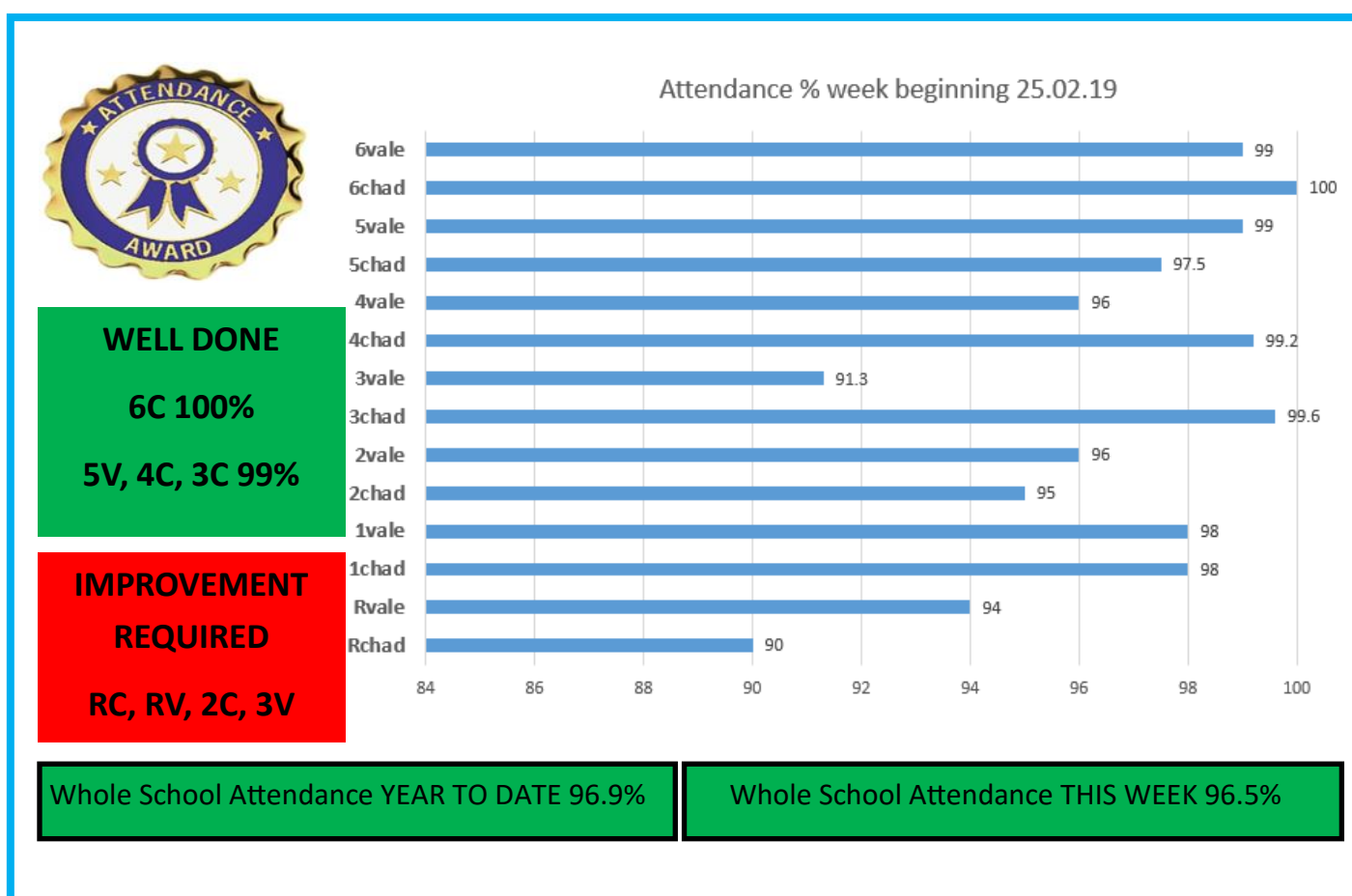




Little Hearts Matter
would like to say
thank you
to
Chad Vale Primary School
for raising a fantastic
£247.80

registered charity number: 1123290

A big thank you to all of you who supported the PPTA cake sale on the 15th February!





Healthy & Active @ Chad Vale

Level 2 Games. Inter Form Sport Competition:-

Football.

The Y5/6 team started their Harborne League season in disappointing fashion, falling to 6-3 defeat to Blue Coat School.

The game, played on the last Friday before the half-term break, started well with Vely Loufilou racing onto a neat through ball from Cairo Hazell and calmly slotting his shot past the onrushing keeper to give Chad Vale the lead. Moments later Vely returned the favour, setting up a fierce shot from Cairo. However, the Blue Coat keeper produced a fantastic diving save to deny us our second goal. Shortly before half time a defensive mix up allowed Blue Coat to scramble an equaliser and the teams went into the break with the scores level.

The second half began badly, with Blue Coat catching us on the break to score their second and take the lead. As the half wore on Blue Coat took control of the game scoring two more before Vely managed to score his second and reduce the deficit to two goals. Blue Coat scored a fifth, but our team refused to give up. Rohan Singh Malhi scored his first goal for the school to give the team a glimmer of hope, but Blue Coat quickly restored their three goal advantage and were deserved winners on the day.

Basketball.

Our Y6 Basketball team returned to Oasis Woodview Academy on Thursday evening to take part in the third round of the OWA Basketball Tournament. We were unable to match the accuracy of our opponents, the hosts – Oasis Woodview Academy, shooting in the first match and were defeated 8-2. But the team grew with confidence in each match, improving game after game. In the second match a single basket by Omid was enough to secure a 2-0 victory against St Thomas' C of E Academy. Laila set up Shahzeb for his second basket of the match to earn a 4-2 win in our third fixture against St George's C of E Primary School. Shahzeb scored again in our fourth match and a fantastic team move was finished off by team captain, Sam, to score the second basket and seal a 4-0 victory against St John's and St Peter's C of E Academy. The team did the school proud on the night and all of the pupils that took part are looking forward to the next round of the competition and playing some more basketball!



Level 1 Games. Inter Form Sport Competition:-

Volleyball.

4C and 4V played out an entertaining draw in the volleyball fixture in the glorious sunshine on Wednesday lunchtime. 4V won the first set, but 4C battled back to win a closely contested second set to level the scores and ensure each team earned a point towards their overall total.

Dodgeball.

Vale continued to chip away at Chad's lead in the overall standing with a victory for 5V in the dodgeball match on Thursday afternoon. 5C won the opening game thanks to some fantastic catching by Tanish Kumar. However, 5V rallied winning the second and third game to earn victory in a tightly fought match.

Chad now lead the overall standings 34-21.



The BIG Sing

School Choirs in Concert

featuring Chad Vale Primary School

Tuesday 26th March, 7pm

Edgbaston High School, Westbourne Road, Edgbaston,
Birmingham, B15 3TS

Adults: £6

Concessions: £4

(Under 16's & Over 60's)

Tickets available
from your school

The **BIG Sing**

www.big-sing.com



Diary Dates 2018-19: please also check the online diary on our website

| Day | Date | Time | Event |
|-----------|------------|-------------|--|
| Monday | 4th Mar | 4-6.30pm | Parents' Evening |
| Wednesday | 6th Mar | 4-6.30pm | Parents' Evening |
| Thursday | 7th Mar | All day | World Book Day—Dress as a book character/ wear own clothes and donate a book |
| Monday | 11th Mar | All day | Author visit: John Dougherty in school |
| Monday | 11th Mar | All Week | British Science Week |
| Tuesday | 12th Mar | am | Y5 to visit mosque |
| Wednesday | 13th Mar | am | Food for Thought Workshops Y4 |
| Friday | 15th Mar | All day | Red Nose Day |
| Monday | 18th Mar | 9-12 | 3V to Ikon Gallery |
| Wednesday | 20th Mar | All day | Y2 trip to Cadbury World (TBC) |
| Tuesday | 26th Mar | All day | Y6 trip to Galleries of Justice |
| Tuesday | 26th Mar | 7pm | The Big Sing Soul Project performance at Edgbaston High School for Girls |
| Monday | 1st April | All week | Living Eggs Project in school |
| Monday | 1st April | 9-11.30am | Reception to visit church (TBC) |
| Monday | 1st April | pm | Full Governing Body Meeting |
| Friday | 5th April | am | Generation Ladywood Rehearsal |
| Friday | 5th April | 3-5pm | Easter Disco |
| Wednesday | 10th April | All day | Year 5 trip to Cadbury World |
| Thursday | 11th April | 2.45-3.15pm | School Choir Performance in school hall |
| Friday | 12th April | 9-11 | Y4 Dancing Classrooms Showcase |
| Friday | 12th April | 2-2.30pm | KS1 Spring Assembly |
| Friday | 12th April | 2.30-3.00pm | KS2 Spring Assembly |
| Friday | 12th April | 3.30pm | BREAK UP FOR EASTER |
| Monday | 29th April | All day | Teacher Training Day |
| Tuesday | 30th April | 8.45am | Back to school |
| Monday | 6th May | All day | BANK HOLIDAY– SCHOOL CLOSED |
| Monday | 13th May | All week | SATS week/assessment week |
| Friday | 24th May | 3.30pm | BREAK UP FOR HALF TERM |
| Monday | 3rd June | 8.45am | Back to school |
| Thurs | 6th June | All day | Y5 to Sarehole Mill (TBC) |
| Thursday | 6th June | All day | Book Bus in School (more information coming) |
| Monday | 10th June | All week | Art Week |
| Monday | 10th June | All week | Y1 Phonics Check/Y2 Phonic Re-check week |
| Thursday | 13th June | All day | Class Photos Day |
| Thursday | 4th July | All day | Y4 trip to Severn Valley Railway |
| Friday | 12th July | All day | Spanish Day |
| Friday | 19th July | 3.30pm | BREAK UP FOR SUMMER |
| Monday | 2nd Sep | All day | Teacher Training Day |
| Tuesday | 3rd Sep | 8.45am | Back to school |



WORLD BOOK DAY 7th March 2019

This year, rather than come to school dressed as a character, we would like to invite children to donate a book to school for our school library. Children may also come in to school wearing their own clothes on this day (or a costume if they wish). We will provide donation labels for children to stick inside the cover of any donated books. This will help us to keep our school library up to date with different books as we continue to raise the profile of reading in school.

Thank you for your support.