



# Caythorpe Chronicle

The weekly news from Caythorpe Primary School

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## RND 2021

Well done to everyone for RND 2021, as a collective, Caythorpe Primary School raised £112. The red inspired dressing up from super heroes to Harry Potter hoodies to footballing superstars. Comic Relief raised a total of £45,938,942 on the night to help tackle hunger, homelessness, domestic abuse and mental health stigma.



Jack and Isla, superheroes in red!



Wake and shake in Neverland.

## CGS Year 6 Transition Event

On Friday Millie, Molly, Maddie and Amelia took part in the Year 6 virtual transition event.



The event aims were to help develop social skills to enable pupils to adapt to their new surroundings in September when they move onto secondary education. The challenges and events focused on the skills of empathy, co-operation, verbal communication, listening and non-verbal communication.

We thank William of year 6, who acted as Newsletter photographer for the event. Great photos, William.



Building core strength doing "the plank!"

The group were tasked with this challenge - how would you do?

## Morning Drop Off



Thank you for your continued support with drop off and collections and ask that you continue to park safely and considerately. Could we just ask that parents and children of Year R, 1 and 2 avoid walking between the parked cars in the car park as they move across to the entrance. This is so staff cars are not accidentally damaged.

## Task

You are a farmer taking a fox, a chicken and a sack of grain to market and you come across a river. The only way across the river is by a small boat, which can only hold at most you (the farmer) and ONE of the three items. Left unsupervised, the chicken will eat the grain or the fox will eat the chicken. However, the fox won't try to eat the grain, nor will the fox or the chicken wander off. What's the quickest way to get everything across the river?

### Neverland Dioramas

As part of their topic on "How is life different for an African child?", children in Neverland created dioramas.



A diorama is a model representing a scene with three-dimensional figures, either in miniature or as a large-scale museum exhibit. The children had been tasked with producing the diorama as their remote learning and completed their creations when they returned to the classroom.

### FSA Easter Trail & Raffle

The FSA, in collaboration with Charisma Services, have organised this year's Easter Egg hunt, which can be completed anytime over the Easter weekend. If your family would like to take part make sure you have completed your entry form and handed it into school at the latest by Monday morning at 9.00 am. Forms are available at the school office if you need one.

Clue sheets and Easter treats will be sent home with the children before the school breaks up for the Easter holidays.

You should also have received some raffle tickets - this will be drawn on Tuesday, 30 March so please make sure tickets are returned to school by Monday morning, to be in with the chance of winning a lovely Easter hamper or Easter Bunny.

Our thanks go to the FSA and Charisma for continuing to organise events for us whilst still complying with Covid restrictions to keep us all safe!

### @CaythorpeSport



We have gained the Youth Sport Trust Silver Quality Mark for a further year. The Youth Sport Award is a reward and celebration scheme which helps young people to evidence their learning, progress and achievement in and through sport and physical activity. It also supports them to demonstrate the impact their involvement in sport has had on their personal development, including leadership skills, health and wellbeing and wider life skills.

We hope the Well-being team and school council will help drive our action plan to aim for gold.



### **NITS - They're back!**

Head lice spread by crawling from one person's hair to another's. They're usually spread amongst people who are in close contact, such as family or school classmates. Anyone can be infested, and there is no obvious relationship to hair cleanliness. However, parents who wash their children's hair frequently will find them quicker.

**Symptoms** - Two common signs of head lice are:

An extremely itchy scalp, especially around the nape of the neck, behind the ears, under the fringe and at the top of plaits or a pony tail.

Scratch marks or a rash on the scalp.

**How to check for head lice** - Check the scalp for insects or eggs. Use a fine-tooth comb on wet hair, as this makes it easier to find any lice. Pay particular attention to the crown and the hairline - especially at the back of neck and behind their ears.

**Treatment** - two most common head lice treatment methods are:

Wet combing - wet the hair and scalp with conditioner (this makes it easier to see the head lice) then comb the lice and eggs out. It's best to use the fine metal combs or special head lice combs you can get from a pharmacy.

Chemical shampoo or lotion (containing insecticide) will kill the lice and eggs.

Always re-treat 7-10 days after the first treatment to kill any head lice that may have hatched from eggs that survived the first treatment.

**Prevention** - Brush hair every day, as this can help to kill or injure lice and stop them from laying eggs.

Don't share anything that has direct contact with someone's head.

**Having short hair** - or wearing your hair in a ponytail if it's long - makes it less likely you'll catch head lice.

If you do get head lice in your family, treat everyone that has them at the same time, as this can help reduce the chance of re-infestation. Regularly check your children for head lice - e.g, TODAY AND ON A WEEKLY BASIS.

All the above information is from [Ministry of Health website](#)