

NEWSLETTER

A message from the Senior Leadership Team...

Well, I think we all thought that the summer was coming this week as the sun peeked out and the children were allowed to play on the grass at lunchtimes. But it was only brief! Let's hope it perks up again for this bank holiday weekend! We have been thinking a lot about the subject history this week, about primary and secondary sources and how history has influenced life today! Even the picture news is linked to how the past helps us learn! We are really pleased that our Facebook page has been followed by so many so far and are looking forward to the official launch next week. Watch this space! Thank you so much for your continued support—enjoy the extended weekend. Take care, see you on Tuesday from Team Castlechurch :)

Next Week...

Monday	MAPLE PE Kit OAK PE kit
Tuesday	Elm & Cedar PE Kit LKS2 Forest School
Wednesday	PINE class SWIMMING LKS2 PE Kit
Thursday	HAZEL/WILLOW PE Kit
Friday	EYFS PE Kit

Bank Holiday—6th May 24
 EYFS Parental Engagement—24th May 24
 Break up for Half term—24th May 24
 School open for pupils - TUES 4th June 24
 Class photos—5th June 24
 LKS2 Sharing Assembly—12th June 24
 Y5 Sharing Assembly—20th June 24
 Careers Day—28th June 24

The calendar on the website has been updated please go to:
[Calendar - Castlechurch Primary School | Stafford](#)

Class	Attendance
Hazel	87.27%
Maple	92.20%
Willow	89.57%
Beech	92.80%
Pine	95.71%
Rowan	96.54%
Cedar	90.00%
Elm	91.07%
Oak	94.14%

This Week's winner is:

Rowan

Well done!



School Matters!



Attend Today, Achieve Tomorrow

Picture news

A new study from the Journal of Archaeological Method and Theory, using evidence found in northwestern Italy, has found that Neanderthals

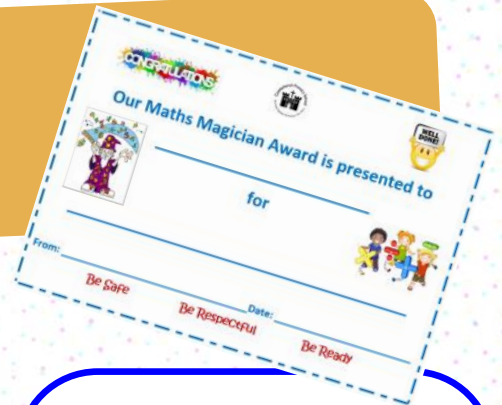
(an extinct relative of humans) organised their living areas in a similar way to people today. It was thought that Neanderthals' lives weren't as sophisticated as this or as similar to those of modern humans. The researchers looked at sites of both Neanderthals and Homo sapiens and compared how things like tools and animal bones were positioned in the living area. They found Neanderthals organised their items depending on the different tasks and activities they were doing. What are your thoughts?



Our whole school attendance target is 96%.

This week, our school attendance was: **91.03%**

Celebrations



- EYFS— Freddie R
- Maple— Matilda
- Willow – Andrei
- Hazel – Imogen
- Pine— Riley
- Rowan – Isaac
- Beech – Loki
- Oak – Eleanor
- Elm – Georgia
- Cedar – Moddasir

- EYFS — Cayde
- Maple – Albie
- Willow – Matei
- Hazel - Zion
- Pine— Joshua
- Rowan— Rosalie
- Beech – Erikas
- Oak – Elle
- Elm— Summer
- Cedar – Jacob

- EYFS — Mihail
- Maple – Stanley
- Willow - Isaac
- Hazel – Pipah
- Pine – Elsie
- Rowan – Lucas
- Beech – Kade & Charlie
- Oak – Lucas
- Elm— Katelynn
- Cedar – Oscar



House Points



Fox	1548
Squirrel	1187
Hedgehog	1037
Badger	1405

Lunchtime stars

- EYFS — Arielle
- KS1 – Thaison
- LKS2 - Maisie & Phoebe
- UKS2— Emily

- EYFS - Lucas D
- Maple - Hattie
- Willow – Reggie
- Hazel - Darcy
- Pine — Freddie
- Rowan – Alfie
- Beech - Erikas
- Oak – Aaliyah
- Elm— Emma
- Cedar – Aiden

School & Community Information

As we prepare to move away from Twitter to Facebook we are asking for parents, guardians and interested members of our community to like and follow our new Facebook page <https://facebook.com/CastlechurchPS> We would like as many followers as possible so that we have a wide audience when we launch properly. A few test posts will go on over the next few weeks.

Please also keep up to date with the latest news about what is going on in our Trust please like and follow the new Facebook page at <https://facebook.com/ChildrenFirstLP>



LIFE CHURCH
JUNIOR YOUTH CLUB
@LIFECHURCH - STAFFORD - MILTON GROVE
School Year 6+
7:00PM TO 8PM *WEDNESDAYS*
4-Player PlayStation
Group Activities
Colouring Table
Music Corner
Board Games
Table Tennis
Safe-Space
Nintendo
Snacks
Chess
Chat
Fun
FOR MORE INFO CONTACT
JYC@LIFECHURCHSTAFFORD.CO.UK
*8:15PM IF STAYING FOR
DRINK & CHAT



Thank you to everyone that has volunteered their time. I'm still looking for a mechanic and a nail technician to help out on the day. If you can help please ring school.

The careers fair is Friday 28th June between 9.30am to 11.30am.

Thank you in advance.

Mrs Cranwell