

# Week Beginning 14/9/15

## Weekly Newsletter

Clover Hill VA Infant and Nursery School



### Learning updates...

This week in year 1, we have been looking at an imaginary land far away. We found a message in a balloon from somebody trapped in a tower. We have taken on the role of Fairytale Problem Solvers to help find this person! In Geography, we have been learning about physical and human features, and we added our own human features to a physical feature picture, to help us learn the difference. In RE we learnt about the concept of the Kingdom of God, and how this includes God in our hearts, as well as in Heaven and Earth. In music, we have been singing and continuing to learn how to play the ukulele.

#### English

This week in English we have been:

- Learning a story about a brave knight
- Thinking of ways to save a princess from a tower
- Using adjectives to describe key characters in our story
- Using the iPads to research parts of a castle

#### Mathematics

This week in Maths we have been:

- Using Numicon to help us recognise odd and even numbers
- Counting up to 20 and back
- Ordering number cards
- Describing 2D shapes and using these to draw castles
- Using Numicon to add 2 to numbers up to 20

#### Next Week's Rhyme...

There was a Princess long ago,  
Long ago, long ago,  
There was a Princess long ago,  
Long, long ago.

And she lived in a big high tower,  
A big high tower, a big high tower,  
And she lived in a big high tower,  
Long, long ago.

#### Reminders...

Don't forget your PE kit!  
Please could library books be returned on a Monday for Otters and a Tuesday for Hedgehogs.

#### Special Mentions...

22<sup>nd</sup> Sept - Parents' Evening  
24<sup>th</sup> Sept - Macmillan coffee morning

#### Stars of the week...

Otters - Kyla and Tudor  
Hedgehogs - Alfie and Poppy  
Well done!

#### Vocabulary of the week

**Brave heroic fearless**

Please discuss these words with your child©