



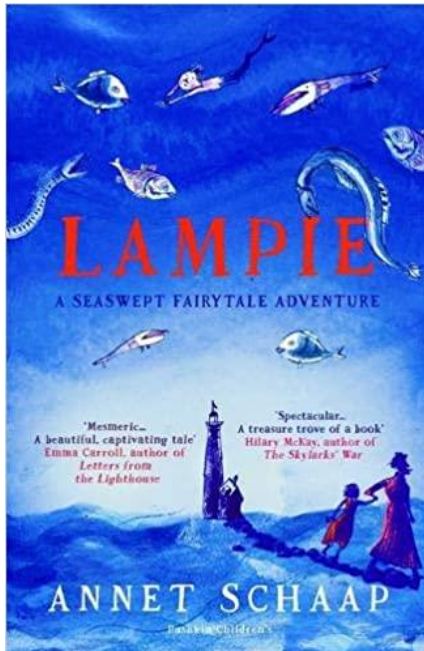
Crompton House School Library

Newsletter – No7

Encourage your child to read for 10 minutes every day. It can be a book, magazine, comic, newspaper, or blog. Reading for 10 minutes every day is proven to help improve literacy levels, relax and unwind, improve memory and concentration and importantly help with our mental health and wellbeing!

BOOK REVIEW

Lampie – Annet Schaap



Adventure/Fantasy/Magical/Family/Friendship

Ages: From 9+ but great for all ages

Every evening Lampie the lighthouse keeper's daughter must light a lantern to warn ships away from the rocks. But one stormy night disaster strikes. The light goes out, a ship is wrecked, and an adventure begins. In disgrace Lampie is sent to work as a maid at the Admiral's Black House, where rumour has it that a monster lurks in the tower. But what she finds there is stranger and more beautiful than any monster.

A beautiful story suitable for all ages, I thoroughly enjoyed this one and couldn't put it down. An amazing read!!

Shortlisted for Carnegie Award 2020.

This Weeks Activity – National Children's Day 17th May

National Children's Day UK takes place this year on Sunday 17th May (and the week leading up to it). As well as sharing the activities of all the wonderful organisation's that are working to promote and protect the wellbeing of children and young people throughout the UK, they invite children and families to share what they have learnt in the last few months, about being connected as human beings sharing one amazing planet that needs our care. There are some great activities to join in the celebration and you can access lots of different ideas [here](https://www.nationalchildrensdayuk.com).

Don't forget to share your creations/activities with me using the contact details below.

National
Children's Day UK



Celebrating the
rights & freedoms
of children

www.nationalchildrensdayuk.com



Great websites

- Tate Kids is a brilliant website, packed with so many different arts and craft based activities, it is a must to check out [here!](#)
- Listen to Harry Potter and the Philosophers Stone read by Daniel Radcliffe and friends a chapter at a time on Harry Potters Wizarding World. You can listen [here!](#)
- Barrington Stoke have created an amazing pack for students during lockdown and particularly to help the parents and carers of Dyslexic children. You can access it [here!](#)



Competition Time! Write a poem about our 'Key Workers' and win a prize!

Write a poem about the wonderful work our amazing '**Key Workers**' are carrying out every day to help keep everyone safe. Health and Social Care, Education, Food Chain workers, Religious Staff or any other key workers currently doing a fantastic job. It could be about a member of your family and friend a teacher or just your general thoughts and feelings. **There will be prizes!!!**

You can email your poems to me on c.cullen@cromptonhouse.org by 1st June 2020.



Share Your Creations with me - Mrs. Cullen!

This newsletter is not homework it is simply to give you guidance, ideas and fun activities to share with your children and for yourselves during this difficult time. If, however you would like to share a book review, activities, artistic creations or any other literacy related ideas, I would love to see them. I would like to create a '**When We Stayed at Home**' display in the school library so that soon, we can all look back on this period with a smile for all the positive things our students and children are doing.

You can contact/tweet me and email reviews etc. on the details below. Happy reading and take care!

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