



### **Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May 2024 (4 pages)**

This half term has whizzed by in a blur of amazing trips, visitors, Y4 residentials, SATS tests and Ofsted inspectors! I think the staff and pupils are absolutely ready for a half term holiday so we are ready to embrace the final busy half term with energy and enthusiasm!

Thank you so much for your unending support of our lovely school. We look forward to sharing our Ofsted report and accompanying Feedback report as soon as it is published. It is an absolute privilege to work with such fabulous pupils, staff and parents. Have a very happy half term holiday and look forward to seeing everyone on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June.

### **ATTENDANCE**

**Well done to everyone who is in the green! Fabulous attendance this week!!**

<b><u>YEAR</u></b>	<b><u>ATTENDANCE</u></b> <b><u>%</u></b>
<b><u>RECEPTION</u></b>	<b>98%</b>
<b><u>YEAR 1</u></b>	<b>100%</b>
<b><u>YEAR 2</u></b>	<b>100%</b>
<b><u>YEAR 3</u></b>	<b>98%</b>
<b><u>YEAR 4</u></b>	<b>98%</b>

### **CARNIVAL ARTS WEEK**

Our Arts week started with a big bang (and the Ofsted Call!!!) The children in Years 1 to 4 had a 'Super Samba drumming' time on Monday with 'Samba Steve'. They worked collaboratively to create some fabulous rhythms and Steve was highly complimentary of the children's creative talents and listening skills.





Through the week, the children have made willow creatures, carnival headdresses and costume. On Friday morning, they made carnival food in Food Tech which looked delicious! On Friday afternoon, they enjoyed their food in a carnival party style atmosphere with salsa dancing and music. Thank you to Miss Osborne and all our volunteers for enabling such an enjoyable experience especially after an intense few days of inspection! Photos will be on our website.

### **TEAM POINTS**

Well done to **WILLOW** team who achieved the most team points this half term. The team enjoyed some Golden Time on Thursday afternoon with games, Speed Stacks and juice and a sweet treat.

### **ROBINWOOD RESIDENTIAL**

The Year 4s received a certificate, photo and pencil today to celebrate and remember their fabulous residential to Robinwood. It is an amazing place and we look forward to next year's trip in May. Information for the new Year 4s will be sent out in the Autumn term.

### **Chollerton First School and Humshaugh Church of England First School at Barhaugh Hall, 15th to 17th May 2024**



**Spring Group with their Group Leader Ari**

## **ELVIS AND TUFFY THE READING BEARS**

The bears are having a well-earned rest during the holiday and will be presented to two lucky readers on the first Friday back after half term.

## **PARENT QUESTIONNAIRE**

Thank you to everyone who completed the Parent Questionnaire. We will collate your response and share these with you after half term.

## **PE KITS**

Please ensure children have their outdoor kits in school on **Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June.** The children in Class 2 and 3 will be doing Striking and Fielding activities.

## **DIARY DATES**

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June: Summer 2 starts

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> June: Y1/2 visit to Beamish – please complete Google Form

### **NO ZUMBA**

Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June: EYFS visit to White House Farm - please complete Google Form

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> June: Friends from the Village-Class 3

Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> June: Year 3 visit to HMS - please complete Google Form

### **ZUMBA RESUMES**

Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> June: Y4 Leaver Service –Newcastle Cathedral - please complete Google Form

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June: Fragile Earth-visit to Simonburn - please complete Google Form

Monday 24<sup>th</sup> June: French performance in school (Y2-4)

Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> June: Y4 Rounders afternoon (HMS / St. Joseph's)-more info after half term

### **NO SWIMMING ON THIS DAY**

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June: Shutterbugz class photos

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June: Y3/4 visit to Kirkley Hall Zoo (more info to follow after half term)

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July: Sports Day-whole school 1.30pm

Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> July: Transfer Day (Year 4s at Middle Schools for the whole day)

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> July: 'Look at Books' 3.15-4.15pm

Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> July: Y1-4 Shakespeare Rocks! 9.15am and 5.30pm

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July: 'Look at Books' 3.15-4.15pm

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July: Year 4 water fight and Fun Day

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July: Year 4 Leaver Service-in school



**SUMMER 2024**

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<b>JULY 22</b>	<b>KENTON SCHOOL</b> NEWCASTLE, NE3 3RU 10AM-3PM 9-11 YEARS AND 11-14 YEARS
<b>AUG 7</b>	<b>QUEENS ELIZABETH HIGH SCHOOL</b> HEXHAM, NE23 6BN 10AM-3PM 9-11 YEARS AND 11-14 YEARS
<b>AUG 12</b>	<b>BEACON OF LIGHT</b> SUNDERLAND, SR5 1SN 10AM-3PM 9-11 YEARS AND 11-14 YEARS
<b>AUG 14</b>	<b>CRAMLINGTON SPORTING CLUB</b> NE23 6BN 10AM-3PM 9-11 YEARS AND 11-14 YEARS
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