



Bearpark Primary School Newsletter



Friday 9th November 2018

Dates for the diary

November

Thurs 15th—Flu immunisations YR—Y5
 Fri 16th—Children in Need (non uniform)
 - Class 4—Kalma Juniors Yoga workshop
 Sat 17th _ Friends of School Fashion Show, Bearpark Working Men’s Club 3 pm
 Wed 21st—DogsTrust assembly
 Mon 26th—Open the Book assembly

December

Mon 3rd—Bauble painting workshop (all classes)
 Tues 4th—Class 4 Kitchen chemistry workshop
 Mon 10th—whole school pantomime (more details to follow)
 Thurs 13th—Christmas Journey whole school to Methodist Chapel
 - Christmas Lunch
 Fri 14th—Christmas Jumper Day for Save the Children
 Tues 18th—Christmas Production day
 Weds 19th—Early Years/KS1 party
 Thurs 20th—KS2 party
 Fri 20th—Church Christmas Carol Service 2 pm—parents welcome
 - school breaks up

January

Tues 8th—school re-opens

Art success!

Mrs Barber is thoroughly enjoying raising the profile of art in school and has entered several pieces of children’s work into competitions. Today we announced Cayden (Class 4) as the overall school winner of Durham Police’s Christmas card competition. Information on further success to follow. Well done to all children and many thanks to Mrs Barber!



Children in Need

Next Friday (16th November) is the annual Children In Need Day. We will be raising awareness of the event and some activities in the school day will be linked to the theme.

Children can come to school wearing their own clothes following the theme of bright colours or spots if they wish. If you would like to make a donation to the charity then please send it in to school with your child and we will pass it on to the charity on your behalf.

This week’s achievers:

Headteacher’s Award: Class 3 (Year 2) for an excellent attitude in class and around school. Behaving well, working hard and getting along together. Well done!

Class 5: Y6– Lexi for great maths work

Y5– Kaitlyn for imaginative and lively writing

Class 4: Y4 - Luke for a fantastic gymnastics sequence

Y3– Paige for rapid recall of 3x table and challenging herself to be even better

Class 3: Lana for always trying hard to improve her work

Class 2: Mason for excellent effort in writing both at home and school

Class 1: Alfie for a professional attempt at comic strip writing and using phonics very well.

Nursery: Zac for playing nicely with others

Octavia for an excellent week in nursery

Well done to all of our achievers this week!

Attendance

Class 4 were the winners with 98.7%

Whole school attendance: 96.2%



EXCELLENT! We have met the government target of 96%

Thankyou and keep up the good work!



Classes throughout school have been learning about why we have and the importance of Remembrance Day. Children have listened carefully and taken time to reflect on how the events of the past have impacted on their lives today. Children have enjoyed a variety of art activities and produced some beautiful poppy creations to mark the occasion.

Can we remind parents to ensure children have their reading book and reading record in school every day. We are encouraging children to read daily both in school and at home.