



Bearpark Primary School Newsletter



Friday 11th May 2018

Dates for the diary

May

Week beginning Monday 14th May—KS2 SATs*

Fri—18th—whole school enterprise day with Sarah McAllister

Mon 21st—Rob Proud whole school dance day

Fri 25th—school break up for half term

June

Mon 4th—school re-opens

Weeks beginning 4th and 11th—Y2 assessments*

Week beginning June 11th—phonics testing for Year 1 pupils*

***Could we ask that parents do not take their child out of school on these dates.**

Thurs 7th—mixed cricket at Brandon CC (10 pupils)

Tues 12th—Fri 15th—Book Fayre (details to follow)

Weds 13th—Durham Dash 4:30—8:30 pm (details to follow)

July

Weds 4th & Thurs 5th—Y6 transition to DCBC

Weds 18th July—Y6 Leavers' assembly 2:30

Thurs 19th July—school breaks up for summer

Class 3 Tennis Competition

Members of Class 3 went to Durham Johnston to participate in a tennis competition on Thursday. The children participated in a mini tournament, using the skills that they have been developing and practising in PE lessons this term. The children played extremely well and had a great time. They behaved and represented the school extremely well and the staff were pleased with their achievements. Well done to all who participated!

Forest School Adventures

On Thursday, Class 1 and Nursery visited the forest for a special outdoor learning session. The children developed their teamwork skills and resilience was encouraged and developed as they build their own dens. They enjoyed a snack and drink while they were there before heading back over to school. The staff were very proud of the children's efforts and behaviour. Well done!

Celebrating Success

This week's achievers:

Headteacher's Award: Cayden for excellent behaviour and persevering in every lesson

Class 4: Y6 Chelsey for showing determination to improve her maths work

Y5 Aidan having a good attitude to learning

Class 3: Y4 Matthew for a positive attitude and polite manners

Y3 Alex for listening well to instructions

Class 2: Y2 Madeleine for improving her writing

Y1 Ollie for thinking 'outside of the box' during maths

Class 1: Jessie for always trying her hardest

Declan for independence and being resourceful

Nursery: Jaxon for excellent counting and ordering work

Well done to all of our achievers this week!

Attendance: Class 2 & 4

Government Target 96%



This week we would like to share the special news of one of our families. Yesterday, Lyla (Class 1) received a special award from Brave Hearts of the North east for her amazing bravery and fantastic attitude throughout a difficult illness that she has suffered with over the last two years. She had her hair done specially, wore a beautiful pink dress and was transported to the special awards ceremony in a pink limousine. She had an amazing time and was presented with a well deserved award. Congratulations Lyla!