

St. Peter's Elwick CE Primary School

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News to You - Weekly Newsletter

Week 4 – Autumn Term - 28.09.18

Message from the Head Teacher

Dear Parents and Carers,

A great week for our school community. Our Tag Rugby girls and mixed teams had great fun taking part in the local tournaments this week with some success. Our girls team came 2nd in the tournament which sees them going through to the town final in October and our mixed tag rugby team came in fourth place. Well done to all the pupils involved! A special mention must go to Zac Bedding and Isla Watson, who were awarded the 'Player of the Tournament' trophies for their fantastic sportsmanship, skill and hard working attitude. Well done Zac and Isla!

We held our Macmillan coffee morning this week. A very big thank you to everyone who was able to donate cakes, come along or to donate by buying one of the golden ribbons. A total of £285.00 was raised which is fantastic. Thank you from all of us here at St. Peter's Elwick.

Our Year 6 pupils have been enjoying cycling proficiency this week. This is part of our wider education programme in which we bring in external providers to teach our pupils road safety on their bikes to ensure that they leave us with the skills to stay safe on the roads. I know the instructors have been impressed this week with the pupils' attitudes to their learning, which is always lovely to hear.

Wishing all of our families a lovely weekend spent enjoying some time together.

Mrs. Heaton

Award Winners this week

St. Peter's Key

EYFS—Isla Kirk

Y1/2—Anna Teague

Y3/4—Max Hall

Y5/6—Euan Kirk

Golden Quill

EYFS—Marielle Corrigan

Y1/2—Nicole Laughton

Y3/4—Maddy Moore

Y5/6—Elodie Davison

Superstar

EYFS—Frank Hughes

Y1/2—Poppy Jobson

Y3/4—Izabel Walsh

Y5/6—George Wearmouth

Maths Award

EYFS—Indi Laycock

Y1/2—Lucy Scott

Y3/4—Harry Dickson

Y5/6—Euan Longbottom

Dates for your diary and other Information...

Tuesday 2nd October— Children from Y5/6 who expressed an interest. Borough Hall 4.15pm until 6pm. Further details have been sent.

Friday 5th October - Year 5/6 Crucial Crew.

Monday 8th October—Y3/4 Share a lesson 9.15am until 10.15am. Parents are invited into school to share a lesson with their child.

Monday 8th October—Y5/6 Share a lesson 11.00am until 12.00pm. Parents are invited into school to share a lesson with their child.

Tuesday 9th October—Y1/2 Share a lesson 11.00am—12.00pm. Parents are invited into school to share a lesson with their child.

Tuesday 9th October—Early Years Share a lesson 2.30pm — 3.10pm. Parents are invited into school to share a lesson with their child.

Monday 15th October—Y1/2 visit to Durham Castle. Letters have been sent separately.

Tuesday 16th October—Y5/6 Girls Tag Rugby Town Final at West Rugby Club.

Thursday 25th October— Harvest Festival Service in St. Peter's Church at 1.30pm—2.30pm. All parents/carers are welcome to come along.

PD days this year - Friday 14th December, Monday 3rd June, Monday 22nd July and Tuesday 23rd July.

Any parents/carers wishing to speak with Mrs Hill at any time should contact the school office to arrange a mutually agreeable time.

Important Dates for next year:

KS2 SATs—Monday 13th May until Thursday 16th May 2019. All Y6 children **must** be in school on these days.

KS1 SATs—May 2019

Year 1 Phonics Screening Check— W/C 10th June 2019

Macmillan Coffee Morning and Childhood Cancer Awareness

Thank you to everyone who came along and supported our coffee morning today along with all this who made donations and brought in cakes to sell. We managed to raise a fantastic £285.00. Also during the month of September we have been selling the gold ribbons on behalf of Sam from Hart to raise money for Childhood Cancer Awareness. We managed to sell out of them making £50 towards this very good cause. As always these things wouldn't be possible without your support and it's greatly appreciated! Thank you!!

