

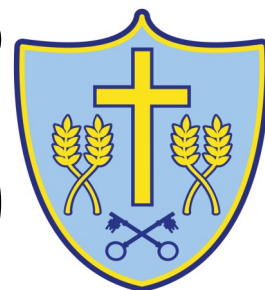
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News to You - Weekly Newsletter

Week 3 – Spring Term - 25.01.19

Message from the Head Teacher

Dear Parents and Carers

This week has seen another busy week in school. Our Year 5 pupils enjoyed having Sports Crew Training at High Tunstall Secondary School. We work closely with our secondary schools to help prepare our pupils well for their transition to 'big school' when their time comes.

As part of our focus this year on developing our careers education and aspirations, our Year 6 pupils were invited to take part in an 'Entering the Workforce' event at High Tunstall, providing them and their parents with an opportunity to learn more about the different employers in our region. Our focus this year is certainly opening up many different ideas for our pupils on the many different career options open to them, particularly those outside of their usual immediate experiences.

Our Crucial Crew Postcard competition winners Molly Johnson and Millie Cowan were lucky enough to attend a special winners lunch on Wednesday. Also, a big well done to Mille for coming runner up across the whole town.

Next week sees a wide range of events taking part including Karate taster sessions for Y1/2, a fire engine visit, a special visit to Durham Cathedral for a special Christingle service for our Year 4 and Year 5 pupils as well as our girls Federation football team in action.

Wishing all of our families a wonderful weekend.

Mrs. Heaton



Award Winners this week

St. Peter's Key

EYFS— Bobby Wharton
Y1/2— Freddie Mounter
Y3/4— Alfie Linton
Y5/6— Ella Lakey

Golden Quill

EYFS— Martha Longbottom
Y1/2— Euan Walsh
Y3/4— Izabel Walsh
Y5/6— Lucas Lawson

Superstar

EYFS— Bella Wells
Y1/2— Cohen Atkinson
Y3/4— Abigail Lavelle
Y5/6— Esme Hancock

Maths Award

EYFS— Darcey Seed
Y1/2— Hunter Coleman
Y3/4— Kandice Gray-Fewster
Y5/6— Rosemary Drummond

Dates for your diary and other information.....

Monday 28th January—Y5/6 High 5 Netball event at HTCS. If your child is attending please check parentpay to confirm consent.

Wednesday 30th January— Y4 and Y5 Durham Christingle Service. All details are available on Parentpay, please ensure that consent is completed via this method.

Thursday 31st January—3.20pm—3.50pm—Y2 SATs Parents Meeting. Parents are invited to meet with Mrs Wallace and Mrs Wilcox to discuss the KS1 SATs.

Tuesday 5th February—Chinese New Year. There will be a Chinese themed lunch on this day.

Friday 15th February 2019 – 17th May 2019—Y3/4Swimming sessions.

Children will require a swimming costume (one piece – no bikinis) or swimming trunks (not shorts), a swimming cap and a towel. If your child requires the use of swimming goggles, then a letter must be written and signed by parents stating that will accept full responsibility for their use.

PD days this year - 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