



## News to You - Weekly Newsletter

A Message from the Head Teacher

Week 5- Spring Term - 08.02.19

Dear Parents/Carers

It was great to hear from the school council in the HT message section of the newsletter last week! This week, it's lovely to share again some of the fantastic things that are going on at our school. Our children were treated to a delicious Chinese themed lunch in partnership with the School Meals Service, as part of learning about Chinese New Year. Our Year 5 and 6 pupils were visited by 'Engineers without Borders' from Durham University. They worked together learning all about electricity. Our potential Junior Inspectors worked with the West View Project to work as part of a team as our Junior Leadership Team 'assessed' them with Rebecca from the West View Project to decide on the final Junior Inspectors. The final Inspectors will be notified shortly.

Our Year 1 and 2 pupils worked with the Skipping School this week in preparation for their competition and they are impressing us with their skills and enthusiasm.

Some of our pupils were up and out early this morning with Mr. Gibson our Sports Coach to take part in the town swimming gala at Mill House Leisure. We hope they have had a really great experience and am sure they will have given their best to reach their best.

We wish all of our families a lovely weekend,  
Mrs. Heaton



### Bright Sparks

Janice Forbes from Alice House Hospice came into school on Thursday to talk to the children about fund raising and how the money from Bright Sparks is used. The school council

children handed over the proceeds of £291.00 to her and explained how the money had been raised. This was from a raffle, selling reindeer food, selling snowman cakes and finally from a donation after the Christmas performances. Janice was very pleased and thanked all the children for their help in raising the money.



### Award Winners...

#### Star of the Week

Early Years - Jack Warrington  
Year 1/2 - Will Stanworth  
Year 3/4 - Ilani Marsh  
Year 5/6 - Amy Roberts

#### Golden Quill

Early Years - Reme Pearson  
Year 1/2 - Lacey Anderson  
Year 3/4 - Phoebe Cooper  
Year 5/6 - Kieran Mason

#### Maths Award

Early Years - Aadhya Kandregula  
Year 1/2 - Saoirse Good  
Year 3/4 - Elynn Henderson  
Year 5/6 - Ava Smith

#### Hart Citizen

Early Years - Esme Jamieson  
Year 1/2 - Owyn Henderson  
Year 3/4 - Sam Warrington  
Year 5/6 - Freya Pounder

### Dates for your Diary and other Information...

Tuesday 12th February - Y3/4 Aqua Swim. Parents will have been notified if your child is taking part.

Wednesday 13th February—Y3/4 swimming lessons start at High Tunstall.

Friday 15th February—last day of the half term.

Monday 25th February—Return to school after the half term break.

Tuesday 26th February—NSPCC Keeping safe assemblies for KS1 & KS2.

Tuesday 5th March - Red Cross training for Year 5/6 pupils

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