



Friday 9th July 2021 (4 PAGES)

It has been a super week of trying out new classes, problem solving, outdoor adventure and gooey slime. Big thanks to Mary who popped into school to share a Godly play with the children about 'Journeys'. We can't quite believe that next week is the last before we break up. For the Year 4s it will no doubt be emotional. The children in Year 3 and 4 have two Wild About adventure days off site and the whole school are being treated to a Falconry Days display. There will be the traditional Year 4s v Teachers water fight and of course the Leaver Service on Friday to which the Year 4 parents are invited.

WEEKLY AWARDS

Well done to our superstars Arthur D and Callum. Congratulations to Oscar for receiving the Kindness Award, Felix for the Perseverance Award and Lucy for the Helping Hand Award. All children received a special certificate for their amazing problem solving and team spirit for the Wild About adventure day.



In Early Years, Olivia and Effie are superstars for 'being honest and Ava and Rhys are the Handwriting Heroes for trying really hard with their writing-well done!

FOREST SCHOOL AWARDS

Miss Osborne presented some children with special Forest School awards today.



WILD ABOUT ADVENTURE

The whole school had an amazing day on Wednesday with Paul Mordue from Wild About adventure. In the morning the Year 1 to 4s took part in a range of problem solving games including a 3D Web and Gutter ball. There was also a highly competitive race to see which teams could put a tent up first and also a noisy Tug of War. This was followed by Paddling Pool Rounders and enormous fun on the Slip and Slide.

In the afternoon the children in Nursery and Reception enjoyed exploring in the field with orienteering activities and a treasure hunt followed by a campfire with tasty marshmallows. There are lots of photos on our website and we plan to book another whole school day next year.



SCIENTIFIC SLIME

Thank you to Mrs Carney for organising one of the Science highlights of the year – SLIME! The children in Years 1 to 4 had a sticky, gooey time making glittery slime from scratch.



COOKERY CLUB

The children visited China this week and made some mouth-watering Chicken fried rice with prawn crackers on the side. Thank you to Mrs Dodd and her volunteers!



TRANSFER SESSION

The children who are moving into new classes had a taster session on Tuesday morning. There was mixture of excitement and nerves but it didn't take long for everyone to feel settled and comfortable in their new surroundings. Thank you to all staff for making the session smooth and enjoyable for the children.

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Sports club (Y1-4) Mondays- 3.05pm-4.15pm

Cookery club (Y2) Wednesdays-3.05pm-4.15pm

Zumba Dance club (Y1-4) Thursdays- 3.05pm-4.15pm

ALL CLUBS WILL FINISH IN THE LAST WEEK OF TERM

ATTENDANCE

Well done to Years 1 to 4 who achieved 100% attendance this week.

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>ATTENDANCE</u> %
RECEPTION	98%
YEAR 1	100%
YEAR 2	100%
YEAR 3	100%
YEAR 4	100%

LIBRARY SUMMER READING CHALLENGE-LAUNCH DATE SATURDAY 10TH JULY

All children have been given a bookmark with information about the Hexham Library Reading challenge which launches on Saturday 10th July so if you are in Hexham, pop in a sign up!

Summer Reading Challenge 2021



Presented by The Reading Agency.
Delivered in partnership with libraries.



WORKING TOGETHER TO
INSPIRE YOUNG
READING TO STAND UP
FOR OUR PLANET





- Go to your library this summer to join the Challenge – IT'S FREE!
- Sign up to receive your special Wild World Heroes collector poster
- Choose books to read over the holidays
- Collect stickers for each book you read
- Add the stickers to your poster to complete the Challenge and become a Wild World Hero!

Complete the
Challenge and you'll
get your own
certificate



BREAKFAST CLUB

Please let Mrs Dodd know your Breakfast Club requirements for September via the admin email.

PE KITS

Please ensure children have their outdoor PE kits in school for Monday 12th July (Year 3 and 4 will not need PE kits as they will be out on their adventure day).

EVENTS CALENDAR UPDATED

Due to the Coronavirus restrictions being extended to 19th July and the high increase of Covid cases in the local area, please find below information about future events.

WHOLE SCHOOL

FALCONRY DAYS DISPLAY-END OF TERM TREAT-Wednesday 14th July

CLASS 3 ONLY

WILDABOUT ADVENTURE DAYS-Y3/4 Off site-Monday 12th and Tuesday 13th July

Arrival -children in Year 3 and 4 to arrive at school as usual with relevant clothing and equipment.

Hometime-we will aim to be back at school by 4.00pm at the latest.

LEAVER SERVICE-Friday 16th July 9.15am (Y1-4 pupils only)

Year 4 parents only- see separate communication about guidelines for attending a performance

YEAR 4 ONLY

WATER FIGHT-PUPILS v TEACHERS –Thursday 15th July

Children in Year 4 to bring to school:

- Towel
- Spare dry clothes
- Water pistol if possible
- A named carrier bag