

Friday 3rd March (4 pages)

ATTENDANCE

Well done to everyone in the green and especially those year groups who have achieved 100% attendance this week! Amazing!

| YEAR | ATTENDANCE % |
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| RECEPTION | 100% |
| YEAR 1 | 100% |
| YEAR 2 | 98% |
| YEAR 3 | 100% |
| YEAR 4 | 100% |

AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

Well done to our Superstars Lilly and Charlie A; our Handwriting Heroes Ava, Harris, Erin and Liam. Congratulations also to Euan for receiving the Kindness Award, Alfie for the Helping Hand Award and both Isla C and Darcey for receiving the Perseverance Award. Well done to our Maths Whizzes Olivia and Alex. Congratulations also to George and Katlyn who received the PE/Sport awards. Special mention also to Lewis who received the Supastriker of the week award from Stephen who runs the Football Club. All children were given a special sticker and an award to sit on their desk for the week.



In EYFS, the Superstars are Hugo A and Logan for 'Looking After Things'. Eilidh received the Kindness award, Mollie is the Maths Whizz and the Handwriting Heroes are Ella and Willow-well done everyone!



WORLD BOOK DAY-THURSDAY 2nd MARCH

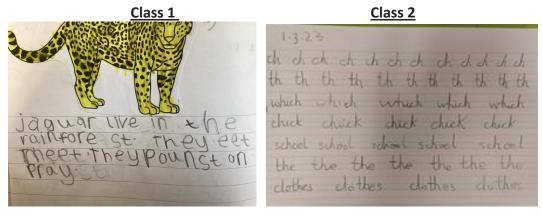
We had a super day on Thursday celebrating World Book Day. It was lovely to see the children's favourite characters and books and they enjoyed sharing these with each other. The children in Class 3 hosted Friends from the Village. Instead of board games, they read to our visitors who in turn talked about their favourite stories.

The children Class 1 and 2 enjoyed a virtual author session with Eileen Browne who wrote one our core books Handa's Surprise and Class 3 met Cressida Cowell virtually on Thursday who talked about the writing process and shared handy tips for budding authors.



CELEBRATING WRITING

We are always striving to encourage our children to be 'brave writers' and to take pride in their presentation. We feel that it is very important to acknowledge all achievements in writing whether it is forming letters accurately, using consistent punctuation, writing for a purpose, using ambitious vocabulary as well as the youngest children who often write independently whilst accessing the EYFS continuous provision. Every week, I will include an example or two of 'wow' writing to celebrate the fabulous progress across the school.



<u>Class 3</u> Thursday 16th February It was a clear, warm night. By the edge of water was a cooing out and gnarled pranches and by those pranches was a forest that was said to be filled with adventure. All of a sudden, a pair of greedy eyes popped out the gloomy water and then there ranishedy gloomy water they vanished : Near the water was a boy toasting a marshnallow over a campfine by a small tent When a huge monster ose up from the water index a twig shapped. The boy switcelled round and the beast to scare it off. After that intemption he are some marshnallows. But that didn't scare it off. Liss eyes widered uke those of a puppy and it at the marshnallow on the sticky The boy was not

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SALMON IN THE CLASSROOM-TYNE RIVER TRUST

The eggs are being delivered today so we will give you an update on next week's newsletter!

E-SAFETY

Key support websites

<u>https://www.childnet</u>.com/parents-andcarers https://www.nspcc.or g.uk/keepingchildren-safe/onlinesafety/ https://www.internetmatters.org/

PE KITS

The children in **Class 2 are doing INVASION GAMES** and the children **Class 3 are doing HOCKEY** this half term. Please provide kit suitable for outdoors e.g. t-shirt and leggings/shorts, jumper or hoodie and trainers. PE kits should be in school on **Monday 6th March.**

COMMUNICATION

For queries regarding Parent Pay, Nursery funding or sessions, clubs, milk, Breakfast Club and school dinner, please email our Office Manager Mrs Clark.

email: admin@humshaugh.northumberland.sch.uk

If you need to speak to your child's class teacher, please either send them an email directly or ring the school office and they will aim to return your call as soon as possible.

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Class 3 (Year 3 and 4)-Mrs Long

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DIARY DATES

| Wednesday 15 th March: | NO YOGA CLUB |
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| Friday 17 th March: | Red Nose Day-wear home clothes – please make a small donation via ParentPay |
| Thursday 23 rd March: | Friends from the Village (Class 2) |
| Monday 27 th March: | Easter Service in school-staff and pupils |
| Friday 31 st March: | Last Day of Spring 2 |
| Monday 17 th April: | Summer 2 starts |
| Tuesday 25 th April: | Y3-4 trip to Killhope Lead mining Museum-more info to follow |
| Thursday 27 th April: | Quadkids Y3/4-more info to follow |
| Monday 8 th May: | Bank Holiday (in honour of the Coronation of His Majesty King Charles III) |
| Tues 9 th /Wed 10 th May: | Year 4 one night residential-Robinwood, Alston |
| Friday 26 th May: | Last day of Summer 1 |
| Monday 5 th June: | Summer 2 starts |
| Thursday 15 th June: | Year 3 trip to HMS-more info to follow |
| Tuesday 4 th July: | Transfer Day |
| Friday 21 st July: | Last day of term |