



Friday 12th June 2026 (10 pages)

ATTENDANCE

Hooray- excellent attendance this week – everyone is in the **green**.

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>ATTENDANCE %</u>
RECEPTION	100%
YEAR 1	100%
YEAR 2	96%
YEAR 3	100%
YEAR 4	100%

AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

Well done to our Superstars Eliza and Hamish and our Handwriting Heroes Arte, Violet, Charlotte and Leo. Congratulations also to Logan for the Helping Hand Award and Mollie and Olivia for the Kindness Award. Well done to Bridie and Ava for receiving the Perseverance Award. Well done to our Maths Whizzes Eilidh and Xander. Congratulations to Ada and Levi for receiving the Sport Award. Well done to Eliza for receiving the Science award and Mia for the Art award. All children were given a special sticker and a duck to sit on their desk for the week. Some double winners this week!





READING BEARS

Tuffy and Elvis are excited to be joining Joey and Belle for the weekend. Tuffy had a lovely time with Florrie last weekend!



Y1-4 KIRKLEY HALL ZOO



Y3 HMS TASTER VISIT

The children in Year 3 had a visit to HMS on Thursday. They took part in different activities including Forest School PE, Science and DT. Thank you to Miss Osborne and Helen Jewitt for accompanying them.



A FEW REMINDERS

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR CLUBS FROM SEPTEMBER

Please complete the form via the link below about breakfast club, wraparound and after school clubs from September onwards.

<https://forms.gle/Esche5o5Ld9Jew9BA>

EQUIPMENT FOR SCHOOL

Please ensure that your child brings in a book bag and a refillable water bottle **every day**.

BOTTLES SHOULD CONTAIN WATER NOT JUICE OR SQUASH

A JUICE CARTON MAY BE INCLUDED IN A PACKED LUNCH

Please also provide **appropriate clothing for the weather** e.g. a waterproof coat, sun cream and sun hat/cap.

PARKING

Please avoid parking opposite the zig zag lines. Even though cars are parked slightly on the verge or pavement, it seems to be causing increased traffic issues as cars are struggling to pass safely.

Please could we also ask that parents join the queue at the front door **behind** the fence so when children exit the school building they are accompanied by you through the gate and onto the pavement.

LATECOMERS

There has been an increase in children arriving late for school. **Learning starts at 8.45am.**

Please ensure your child/ren are on time for school every day or they miss their reading session and vital instructions for the day's activities.

LONG HAIR

If your child/ren has long hair (reaching to the shoulder or longer), please ensure their hair is tied back **every day**. Loose hair gets in the way of work, lunch and also increases the risk of head lice outbreaks. Don't forget...**Once a Week, Take a Peek!**

SWIMMING KITS

Swimming is every Wednesday. **Please ensure you provide a swimming kit with goggles.**

EYFS CHILDREN IN CLASS 1

Please ensure that you provide your child/ren with a change of clothes including underwear that can be kept in their basket in the classroom.

School cannot afford to buy knickers and pants that get sent home and never returned to school.

If your child is sent home in school's spare clothes for any reason, please wash the clothes and send them back to school.

SICKNESS AND DIARRHOEA

A reminder that if your child/ren have a bout of sickness or diarrhoea, they should be kept at home for 48 hours from the last bout. Please do not send them in before the 48 hours as the germs are still contagious and can be passed quickly and easily to other children.

ABSENCE

Parents must contact school by 9.30am on the day of every absence either by phone or email. Low attendance or unexplained attendance is reported to our Education Welfare Officer.



LOOK AT BOOKS

We know that many parents are unable to get to school for 3.15pm due to work commitments. Therefore this year, rather than inviting parents in to look at books, we will send all books home on the earlier date of **Friday 3rd July** (Sports Day) so you can share them with your child/ren at home.

Please send in a strong carrier bag or bag for life on that day labelled with your child's name.

GOOGLE LINKS FOR TRIPS-PLEASE COMPLETE ASAP

Year 4 Rounders – HMS <https://forms.gle/Zkij11sAbWdCKN3b9>

Year 4 Leavers Service (Hexham Abbey) <https://forms.gle/HNja5BNRWDzACDAx9>



WATER SAFETY WEEK

The children in Y1-4 will have another Water Safety session next Wednesday during their usual swimming lesson. Children to bring their usual swimming kit and towel as well as a t-shirt and shorts to wear over their costume or trunks. They do not need goggles for this session.

FOREST SCHOOL -UPDATED (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

NO FOREST SCHOOL NEXT WEEK DUE TO VISIT FROM JOE MORRIS

SUMMER 2 FOREST SCHOOL PLAN

Friday afternoon	Forest School	School
Week 1	Y3/4	Y1/2 DT
Week 2	Y1/2	Y3/4 Rehearsal
Week 3	Y1/2	Y3/4 Rehearsal + Joe Morris visit
Week 4	Y3/4	Y1/2 DT
Week 5	SPORTS DAY	SPORTS DAY
Week 6	Y3/4	Y1/2 DT

PE KITS

The children in Class 2 and 3 are doing Kwik Cricket this half term. Please ensure your child/ren have their outdoor PE kits on **Monday 15th June**. The children in Class 1 have their PE session on a Friday.



CELEBRATING EXTRA CURRICULAR PUPIL ACHIEVEMENTS

On Saturday Thomas was awarded the coach's player of the year for his age group for which he received a trophy. Well done Thomas!



Please let Mrs Long know if your child/ren take part in extra-curricular clubs and activities and achieve awards or prizes. We love to celebrate and share their efforts and successes.

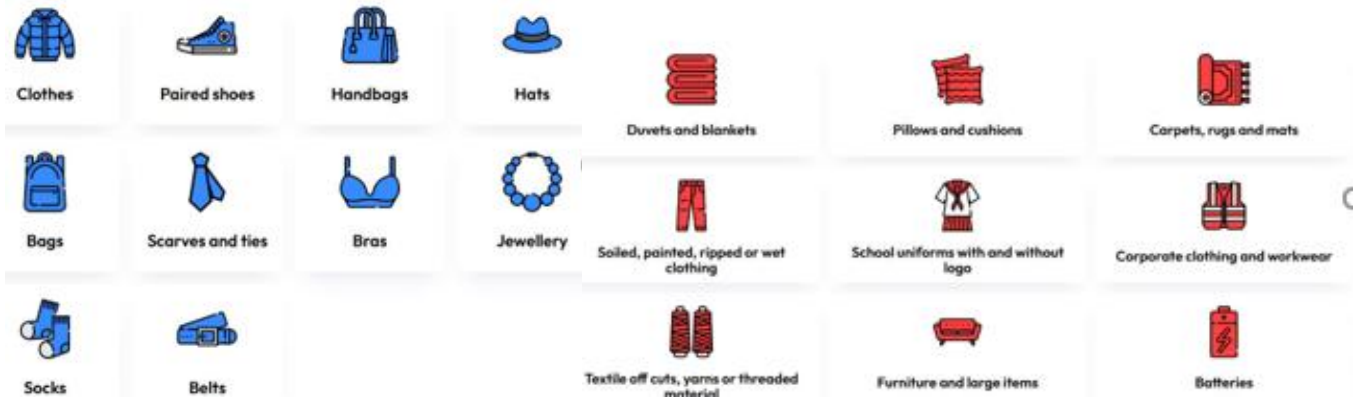


On **Monday 15th June** we will be collecting unwanted clothing and accessories to raise money for school. **Bags will be collected at 9.00am on Monday 15th June and weighed before being loaded onto the van. We will then receive a donation depending on the weight collected.**

Please see the charts below for items which are permitted and those not collected.

In a bid to reduce plastic waste the blue bags are no longer provided by bags2school and we ask you to bring your donations in bin bags or any other charity bags.

BAGS CAN BE DROPPED OFF AT SCHOOL EITHER ON THE AFTERNOON OF FRIDAY 12TH JUNE OR THE MORNING OF MONDAY 15TH JUNE-PLEASE DO NOT DROP BAGS OFF BEFORE THESE DATES AS WE DO NOT HAVE THE SPACE TO STORE THEM!



FRIENDS OF HUMSHAUGH (PTA)

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

PLEASE DONATE TO OUR RAFFLES

FOR THE

PUB QUIZ RAFFLE

FOR THE

SCHOOL PLAY RAFFLE HAMPERS

SUGGESTED DONATIONS

BOTTLES

BATH STUFF

SWEET TREATS

PAMPER ITEMS

OTHER GIFTS

THANK YOU!

PUB QUIZ

IN AID OF THE SCHOOL

VILLAGE HALL

DOORS OPEN

6:45PM

FOR A

7PM START

BRING YOUR OWN BOOZE

FIRE & DOUGH PIZZAS OUTSIDE

RAFFLE

IDEAL TEAMS OF 3 OR 4 PLAYERS

THURSDAY

2ND

JULY

£3

PER HEAD

SCHOOL COMMUNICATION

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.

Class 1 (Nursery/Reception) -Mrs Wilkinson

email: melanie.wilkinson@humshaugh.northumberland.sch.uk

Class 2 (Year 1 and 2)-Mrs Blythe

email: karen.blythe@humshaugh.northumberland.sch.uk

Class 3 (Year 3 and 4)-Mrs Long

email: jude.long@humshaugh.northumberland.sch.uk

For queries regarding Parent Pay, Nursery funding or sessions, Clubs, Milk, Breakfast Club, Wraparound Club and School Lunches, please email our Office Manager Mrs Clark.

email: admin@humshaugh.northumberland.sch.uk

DIARY DATES

Saturday 13 th June:	St. Peter's Church fete-children's artwork will be on display
Monday 15 th June:	Bags to School collection
Tuesday 16 th June:	Shutterbugz Class Photos
Thursday 18 th June:	Friends from the Village
Friday 19 th June:	Joe Morris MP visit
Tuesday 23 rd June:	Y4 Diocesan Leaver Service-Hexham Abbey- PACKED LUNCH REQUIRED
Wednesday 24 th June:	HMS Rounders afternoon (pupils who will attend HMS only)
Thursday 25 th June:	Class 1 trip to Whitehouse Farm (more info to follow)
Tuesday 30 th June:	Be You Transition Part I (Y4 only)
Friday 3 rd July:	Sports Day-whole school-1.30pm – field (Weather permitting) ALL BOOKS BEING SENT HOME-BAG FOR LIFE
Tuesday 7 th July:	Transfer Day Y4s spend day at Middle School-parent transport New R starters spend part of morning doing transition activities R children to spend part of the morning in Class 2 Y2 children to spend part of the morning in Class 3.
Thursday 9 th July:	Class 1 – All Around the World summer performance 9.30am-hall Be You Transition Part II (Y4 only)
W/C Monday 13 th July:	NO SPORT, DANCE OR ZUMBA CLUBS Breakfast Club and Wraparound will continue for those parents who need it for work commitments. Please collect your child at 3.15pm if you can.
Tuesday 14 th July:	Y1-4 Summer Production-Peter Pan 9.15am and 5.30pm
Wednesday 15 th July:	Last swimming session of the year
Thursday 16 th July	Fun Day (including Y4 water fight, Circus skills, Face painting and Tyne Valley Ice Cream Van

Friday 17th July:

Last day of Summer 2 (Break up for the Summer)

Y4 Leaver Service 9.15am-everyone welcome

SCHOOL CLOSSES AT 1.00PM -please ensure your child/ren are collected at 1.00pm.

Tuesday 1st September:

Teacher Day

Wednesday 2nd September:

Autumn 1 starts

***BREAKFAST CLUB AND WRAPAROUND WILL BE AVAILABLE FROM THE FIRST DAY OF TERM**

***SWIMMING, SPORTS CLUB, DANCE CLUB AND ZUMBA CLUB**

WILL START W/C MONDAY 7TH SEPTEMBER

WHAT'S ON

MESSAGE FROM LIZZIE AT STONY PASTURES

Subject: Goat yoga free taster

Dear all,

We are looking for a few children and adults to trial our goat yoga this Saturday. It is free of charge but you must be OK with photos being taken and used on social media.

We are running a children's taster at 1.00pm and an adult's taster at 1:30pm.

Adults are welcome to join after the children and we will entertain the children!

Please drop me a message if you want to attend at stonypasture@gmail.com

All the best, Lizzie



The poster is titled "Summer at Stony Pasture" and features a Facebook icon in the top right corner. It is divided into three main sections. The top left section, marked "Booking essential", describes "Family stay and play" on Mondays (excluding 03.08.26) from 10:30-12:30, costing £9 (£7.50 for 3+ sessions), recommended for ages 0-11, with an illustration of a family. The bottom left section describes "Older Alpaca Farmer" on Mondays (excluding 03.08.26) from 14:00-16:30, costing £17.50 (£15 when booking 3+ sessions), recommended for ages 11-16, with an illustration of a farmer and sheep. The right section describes "Young Alpaca Farmer" on Thursdays from 09:30-12:00, costing £17.50 (£15 when booking 3+ sessions), recommended for ages 4-11, with an illustration of two children and an alpaca, and activities including animal feeding, crafts, and play. The email address stonypasture@gmail.com is listed at the bottom. The background is decorated with colorful vertical stripes and illustrations of farm animals and flowers.

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Email: stonypasture@gmail.com



JOIN US AT HEXHAM HOLIDAY CLUB 2026



For where your treasure is,
there your heart will be also.
Matthew 6:21

Monday 20th - Friday 24th July
Fun, Friends, Faith

Meet at the Bandstand at 10am,
Collect from age group venues at 12.30pm

Completely free and open to children aged 0-13.
Please register by scanning this QR code
or go to hexhamholidayclub.uk





OUR **FREE** GIRLS DYNAMOS HOLIDAY
CAMPS ARE BACK

SEE REVERSE FOR DATES, CLUBS AND BOOKING

OUR **FREE** GIRLS DYNAMOS HOLIDAY
CAMPS ARE BACK

20-21 | **TYNEDALE**
JULY

10-11 | **BACKWORTH**
AUGUST

22-23 | **NEWCASTLE
CITY**
JULY

13-14 | **CORBRIDGE**
AUGUST

26-28 | **BLAGDON
PARK**
JULY

20-21 | **BATES
COTTAGES**
AUGUST

3-4 | **SEATON
BURN**
AUGUST

24-25 | **CRAMLINGTON**
AUGUST

6-7 | **WARKWORTH**
AUGUST

26-27 | **TYNEMOUTH**
AUGUST