



Friday 3rd July 2026 (8 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	98%
YEAR 3	98%
YEAR 4	98%

AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

Well done to our Superstars Charlie H and Hugo A and our Handwriting Heroes Charlie J, Florrie, Anna and Alfie. Congratulations also to Layla for the Helping Hand Award and Spencer for the Kindness Award. Well done to Hugo H and Levi for receiving the Perseverance Award and to our Maths Whizzes Robert and Belle. Congratulations to Logan and Elijah for receiving the Sport 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 Willow and Jenny for the weekend.



YEAR 4 LEAVER HOODIES AND BE YOU

The children in Year 4 had the first of two sessions about Transition led by the Be You team on Tuesday. They also received their Leaver Hoodies. Many thanks to Mrs Clark for organising the hoodies.



LAST TWO WEEKS OF TERM

Tuesday 7th July

Transfer Day

Y4s will spend the day at their new Middle School-children should wear full Humshaugh school uniform and parents must transport their child to and from the school.

The children in school will move up to their new class for part of the morning and take part in different transition activities.

Thursday 9th July

Class 1 – All Around the World summer performance 9.30am-hall
Be You Transition Part II (Y4 only)

W/C Monday 13th 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.

Y1-4 SUMMER PRODUCTION-PETER PAN

Due to popular demand, we have added another date so performances are as follows:

Monday 13th July at 2.00pm

Tuesday 14th July at 9.15am and 5.30pm

To ensure that we have enough space for all audience members, we are operating a ticketing system this year. Please find below the link to request your tickets for this year's performances of Peter Pan.

<https://forms.gle/STjfhTYGKJPkMfhf9>

Please note, the performance running time is at least an hour if not slightly longer so please consider carefully whether younger siblings attend as it is a long time to sit!

Wednesday 15th July

Last swimming session of the year

Thursday 16th July

Fun Day

This includes the Y4 water fight-this usually takes place at about 9/9.15am on the field-parents will be contacted separately by Mrs Long about the plan!

All children will take part in a Circus skills session, Face painting and have an ice cream from the Tyne Valley Ice Cream Van

Friday 17th July

Last day of term (Break up for the Summer)

Y4 Leaver Service 9.15am-everyone welcome- please try to make sure that every Year 4 child has someone to support them in the audience as it can be an emotional experience (tissues are provided!)

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

PE KITS NEXT YEAR

From September, we would like all children in Years 1 to 4 to wear the same PE Kit. This should consist of a **white t-shirt and either black shorts or leggings** (non-logo). Children will be allowed to come to school in this PE kit with their red jumper/hoodie/cardigan. We hope that this will avoid parents having to purchase expensive sports wear and means that children can get straight on with their PE lesson not to mention the extra space in the cloakroom!

Children in Class 1 will still be expected to bring their PE kits in a bag so they can practise getting changed for their PE lesson which is all part of the EYFS Goal in Physical Development. Class 1 PE will move to a Monday from September.

PRICE INCREASE

Following my recent email regarding the withdrawal of the PE Sports Premium funding, we have reviewed our prices for clubs and swimming from September 2026-please see below.

Club/ Activity	Current Price	Price from September
Breakfast Club	£3.50	£4.00
After school clubs (Sports, Dance & Zumba)	£2.00	£3.00
Wraparound until 4.30pm	£2	£4
Wraparound after clubs (4.30pm up to 6pm)	£4	£4
Wraparound up to 6.00pm	£6	£8
Swimming	£3.50	£4

It is unfortunate that we have no choice but to increase prices, however we still remain considerably cheaper than other local settings.

If the price increase means that your child/ren are no longer able to access any of the clubs, then please contact me to discuss further.



CELEBRATING EXTRA CURRICULAR PUPIL ACHIEVEMENTS

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.

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 are sent home and then 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.

FOREST SCHOOL (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

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 6th July**. **There will be NO PE on Monday 13th July due to the performance of Peter Pan.** The children in Class 1 have their PE session on a Friday.



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! 

DIARY DATES

Tuesday 1st September: Teacher Day

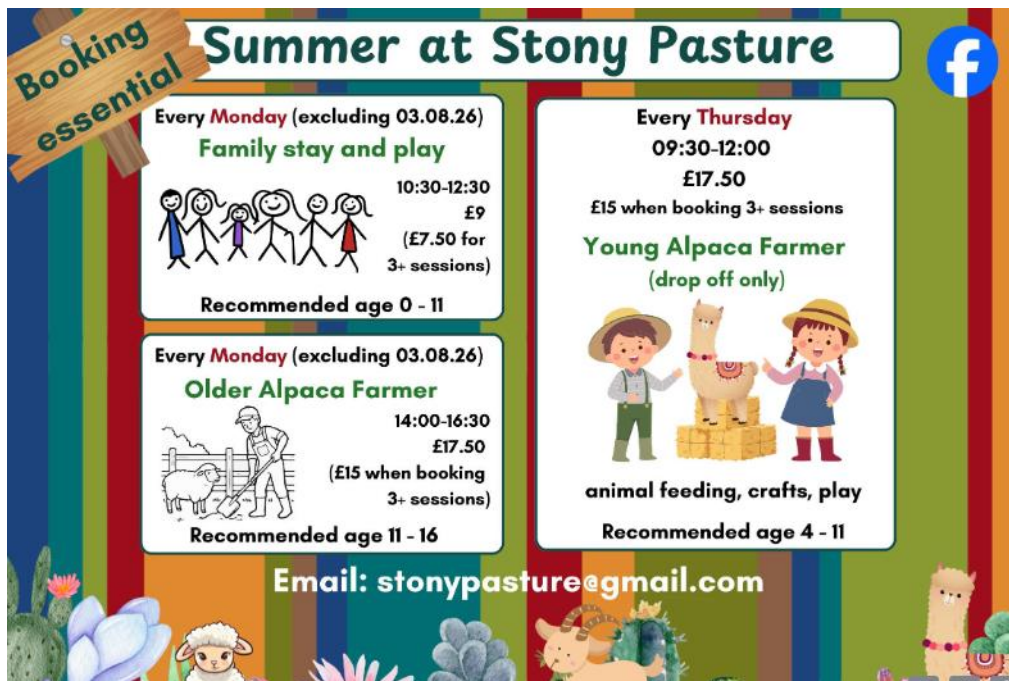
Wednesday 2nd September: Autumn 1 starts


***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



Booking essential **Summer at Stony Pasture** 

Every Monday (excluding 03.08.26)
Family stay and play
10:30-12:30
£9
(£7.50 for 3+ sessions)

Recommended age 0 - 11

Every Monday (excluding 03.08.26)
Older Alpaca Farmer
14:00-16:30
£17.50
(£15 when booking 3+ sessions)

Recommended age 11 - 16

Every Thursday
09:30-12:00
£17.50
£15 when booking 3+ sessions
Young Alpaca Farmer
(drop off only)

animal feeding, crafts, play
Recommended age 4 - 11

Email: stonypasture@gmail.com



Hexham Holiday Club
Fun, Friends, Faith

BIBLE SOCIETY **CHURCHES TOGETHER in HEXHAM**

**JOIN US AT
HEXHAM HOLIDAY CLUB 2026**

TREASURE QUEST


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



Dear parents,

Northumberland Cricket will run free Girls Dynamos Cricket Camps over the summer holidays for girls aged 8-11. Ten camps are taking place at cricket clubs around the county.

These are two-day events running from 10:00-15:00. All participants will receive a personalised Dynamos t-shirt for attending. Please note, all camps run on consecutive days, except Blagdon Park which has a one day gap.

Parents are very welcome to sign up for more than one camp. Voucher codes are available for each venue which will waive the full cost of the programme.

Here is a link to our [Northumberland Cricket Board Website](#), to where parents can sign up.

Thanks,

Nathan



OUR FREE GIRLS DYNAMOS HOLIDAY CAMPS ARE BACK			
20-21 JULY	TYNEDALE	10-11 AUGUST	BACKWORTH
22-23 JULY	NEWCASTLE CITY	13-14 AUGUST	CORBRIDGE
26-28 JULY	BLAGDON PARK	20-21 AUGUST	BATES COTTAGES
3-4 AUGUST	SEATON BURN	24-25 AUGUST	CRAMLINGTON
6-7 AUGUST	WARKWORTH	26-27 AUGUST	TYNEMOUTH