



## **Friday 4<sup>th</sup> October 2024 (5 Pages)**

### **ATTENDANCE**

Well done to everyone in the **green!**

<b><u>YEAR</u></b>	<b><u>ATTENDANCE %</u></b>
<b>RECEPTION</b>	<b>91%</b>
<b>YEAR 1</b>	<b>100%</b>
<b>YEAR 2</b>	<b>93%</b>
<b>YEAR 3</b>	<b>100%</b>
<b>YEAR 4</b>	<b>100%</b>

### **AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS**

Well done to our Superstars Joey and Harris; our Handwriting Heroes Hugo H, Alfie, Harry B and Effie. Congratulations also to George for receiving the Kindness Award, Olivia for the Helping Hand Award and both Ella and Esme for receiving the Perseverance Award. Well done to our Maths Whizzes Florrie and Archie and our PE stars Eliza and Charlie S. All children were given a special sticker and a duck to sit on their desk for the week.



## **ELVIS AND TUFFY THE READING BEARS**

The reading bears are looking forward to spending the weekend with Layla and Maisie.



## **CLASS 2 TRIP TO KIRKLEY HALL ZOO**

The children in Class 2 had a wonderfully wild adventure at Kirkley Hall Zoo on Tuesday. They came face to face with some familiar animals and also some weird and wonderful ones! They showed great courage when holding giant stick insects and stroking bearded dragons! Note that there don't seem to be any pictures of the adults handling the creatures! More photos on the website.







### **HARVEST FOOD DONATIONS.**

Thank you to everyone who has sent in a box. The children in Class 3 will deliver our Harvest gift boxes as usual to our Friends from the Village on the morning of Monday 14<sup>th</sup> October (Weather permitting).

If possible, please send in food donations week commencing **Monday 7<sup>th</sup> October**. Ideally donations need to be long-lasting packaged food such as tins, packets of pasta, biscuits, teabags, cup-a-soups, chocolates and sweet treats. Once our boxes have been decorated, we will pack the boxes with the goodies and deliver them to our Friends.

### **FRIENDLY HARVEST FESTIVAL**

Mrs Wilkinson would like to invite all children and their families to a 'Family Friendly' Harvest Service that she is leading in St Peter's church on **Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> October at 11am**. There will be a harvest colouring picture sent out nearer the time which children can colour and bring to the service or if they prefer they can draw their own harvest themed picture. These will be displayed in church and every child who brings one to the service will get a small reward, with prizes for 'First,' 'Second' and 'Third' best picture. There will also be an activity for children to participate in during the service. We will be singing two well-known songs plus a couple of more traditional harvest songs that parents may know from their school days. The church congregation are happy to accept dried or tinned food contributions at the service for our local food bank. All are welcome!

### **MIDDLE SCHOOL APPLICATION-children in Year 4**

**The citizen portal opened on 12<sup>th</sup> September 2024 and will close on 31<sup>st</sup> October 2024**

All children that are due to transition to Middle School in September 2025 will need to make an application by the deadline of 31<sup>st</sup> October. [Citizen Portal - Sign in \(northumberland.gov.uk\)](https://www.northumberland.gov.uk/CitizenPortal/Signin.aspx)

Any parents experiencing difficulty applying or needing advice, please call the school admissions 01670 624889.

### **PE KITS**

Please ensure children have their PE kits in school on **Monday 7<sup>th</sup> October**.

We are doing PE outside in the Autumn term (weather permitting), so please make sure your child has a suitable PE kit in school and trainers that he/she can fasten independently.

### **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**

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**Class 3 (Year 3 and 4)-Mrs Long**

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**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](mailto:admin@humshaugh.northumberland.sch.uk)

## **DIARY DATES**

TONIGHT!

Friends BINGO!

Thursday 10th October:

Friends from the Village (Class 3)

Friday 11<sup>th</sup> October:

Harvest Festival in school (Staff and Pupils only)

Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> October:

Friendly Harvest Festival-St. Peter's Church-11.00am-all welcome

W/C Monday 14<sup>th</sup> October:

Parent Consultations Reception to Year 4

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> October:

Class 3-deliver Harvest boxes around the village

Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> October:

'Be You' Emotional Regulation Assembly-Y1-4

Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> October:

Last day of Autumn 1

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> October:

Teacher Day

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> November:

Autumn 2 starts (All clubs resume)

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> November:

'Be You' Worry sessions-all classes

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> November:

Class 3 Beamish trip-World War I focus-more info to follow

Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> December:

Christmas Lunch

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> December:

Y1-4 Jack and the Beanstalk-Queens Hall-more info to follow

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> December:

Nursery/Reception The Night Before Chrismouse-Queens Hall-more info to follow – **date change due to Christmas Lunch**

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December:

Last day of Autumn 2-Christmas break

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> January:

Spring 1 starts (All clubs resume)



**FRIENDS OF HUMSHAUGH**



## **EVENT AT HEXHAM MIDDLE SCHOOL-INVITATION OPEN TO ALL PARENTS**





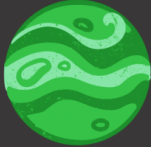
Parent/Carer Workshop

# **THE ZONES OF REGULATION**

YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN US TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THE ZONES OF REGULATION AND SUPPORTING YOUR CHILD'S EMOTIONAL WELLBEING.

**THURSDAY 7 NOVEMBER 5.30PM**

WE'LL ALSO BE JOINED BY THE EMOTIONAL WELLBEING AND BEHAVIOUR SERVICE



### **Sign up-**

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=Pqq52TK10kaJyDTvBd7G5AoP0bay7ORCnOdQQBjq1aNUNkozQUdPRDZISEYwVDNVSFk5OUhYU1NKVi4u>

## **Tynedale Junior Hockey Club**

### **Year 3 and 4 Girls and Boys**

### **Taster Sessions**

**SUNDAYS**  
**Oct 6th at 10am**  
**Oct 27th at 12.30pm**  
**Nov 3rd at 12.30pm**  
**Nov 10th at 12.30pm**  
**Chance to play matches on Nov 17th**

Playing at Queen Elizabeth High School  
£5 per session or £15 for all.  
Welcomes players of all abilities  
Important thing is to have fun!  
Contact Maggie  
[maggiemcoombe@gmail.com](mailto:maggiemcoombe@gmail.com)  
If you'd like to sign up or to know more!

