



Friday 18th October 2024 (7 Pages)

ATTENDANCE

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

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>ATTENDANCE %</u>
RECEPTION	97%
YEAR 1	92%
YEAR 2	87%
YEAR 3	100%
YEAR 4	98%

AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

Well done to our Superstars Ada and Jenny; our Handwriting Heroes Eliza, Laurie, Isla C and Milada. Congratulations also to Anna for receiving the Kindness Award, Bertie for the Helping Hand Award and both Spencer and Maddie for receiving the Perseverance Award. Well done to our Maths Whizzes Eliza and Hamish and our PE stars Charlie H and Hamish. All children were given a special sticker and a duck to sit on their desk for the week.

Our football club attendees also received a certificate from John Paul this week-well done to all.



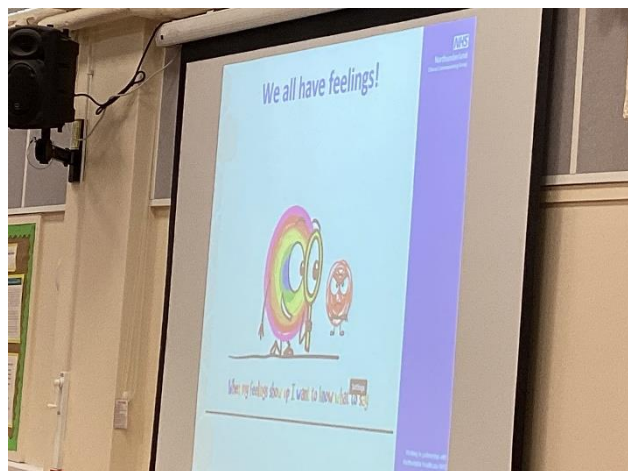
ELVIS AND TUFFY THE READING BEARS

The reading bears are looking forward to spending the weekend with Violet and Esme.



BE YOU

Joy and Sarah from the Northumberland Be You Mental Health team visited school on Tuesday to lead an assembly about Emotional Regulation. As part of our ongoing PSHE curriculum, we have booked several more sessions across the year which will cover topics like Friendship, Anxiety and Transition. Joy and Sarah were really impressed with how the children could articulate their feelings and some of the ways to regulate and feel better if angry or sad. Our work using the Colour Monster story and the film Inside Out is having a real impact on how children view themselves and others and we will continue our focus on Mental Health and Well Being throughout the year.





HARVEST SERVICE AND BOXES

The children in Class 3 led a super Harvest Service on Monday morning. They narrated, organised younger children, read poetry and best of all sang their favourite Harvest songs.

After our service, the children in Class 3 delivered our Harvest Box gifts around the village to some very appreciative residents. We have received a number of thank you cards which we have shared with the children.



A COUPLE OF REMINDERS

The council removed the metal barriers at the front of school this week as they were not passable for people on mobility scooters or with double buggies. To ensure children are safe when leaving the premises, we have fitted two wooden gates which we will now be keeping closed at all times. Please close the gates behind you when arriving at and leaving school.

ALSO...

Please see below for the link to our Facebook page for new parents.

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1564281494324194/>

You will find helpful reminders and useful information here as we continue to attempt to reduce the number of emails we need to send to parents.



CELEBRATING EXTRA CURRICULAR PUPIL ACHIEVEMENTS

Well done Hamish who won first prize at the Harvest Festival Service picture competition on Sunday. He worked really hard on his picture and was really happy to win.



MIDDLE SCHOOL APPLICATION-children in Year 4

The citizen portal opened on 12th September 2024 and will close on 31st 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 31st October. [Citizen Portal - Sign in \(northumberland.gov.uk\)](https://northumberland.gov.uk/CitizenPortal/Signin)

PE KITS

Please ensure children have their PE kits in school on **Monday 21st 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

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 and school dinner, please email our Office Manager Mrs Clark.

email: admin@humshaugh.northumberland.sch.uk

DIARY DATES

Tuesday 22nd October: 'Shutterbugz' Photographs-individual

Wednesday 23rd October: NO FOOTBALL CLUB (resumes 6.11.24)

Thursday 24th October: Last day of Autumn 1 -Halloween Tuck Shop

Friday 25th October: Teacher Day

Monday 4th November: Autumn 2 starts (All clubs resume)

Tuesday 12th November: 'Be You' Worry sessions-all classes

Friday 15th November: Class 3 Beamish Trip-World War I focus-google form sent out this week

Thursday 21st November: Friends from the Village-Class 2

Thursday 12th December: Christmas Lunch

Friday 13th December: Y1-4 'Jack and the Beanstalk'-Queens Hall-more info to follow

Thursday 19th December: Nursery/Reception 'The Night Before Chrismouse'-Queens Hall-more info to follow

Christmas party

Friday 20th December: Last day of Autumn 2-Christmas break

Humshaugh Youth Club - Autumn 2024

1st October
Human Bingo!

8th October
Star Gazing

15th October
**Woodland
Fun/Lantern
Making**

**22nd
October**
**Halloween
Fun!**

**29th
October**
**Closed -
Half Term**

**5th
November**
**Closed -
Bonfire Night**



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
If you'd like to sign up or to know more!

