



Friday 24th March (4 pages)

ATTENDANCE

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

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>ATTENDANCE</u> %
RECEPTION	97%
YEAR 1	95%
YEAR 2	98%
YEAR 3	92% (x1 pupil)
YEAR 4	83% (x1 pupil)

AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

Well done to our Superstars Hamish and Euan and our Handwriting Heroes Harry B, Charlie S, Alex and Alfie. Congratulations also to Darcey for receiving the Kindness Award, Anna for the Helping Hand Award and both Bertie and Annabelle for receiving the Perseverance Award. Well done to our Maths Whizzes George and Erin. Congratulations also to Esme and Tommy who received the PE/Sport awards. Congratulations to Euan who was also presented with the Super striker award this week. All children were given a special sticker and an award to sit on their desk for the week.



In EYFS, the Superstars are Charlie H and Alice for 'Being Kind'. Violet is the Maths Whizz and the Handwriting Heroes are Laurie and Florrie -well done everyone!



RED NOSE DAY

So far, we have raised an amazing **£73.00** for Comic Relief. Thank you to everyone who has donated on Parent Pay.

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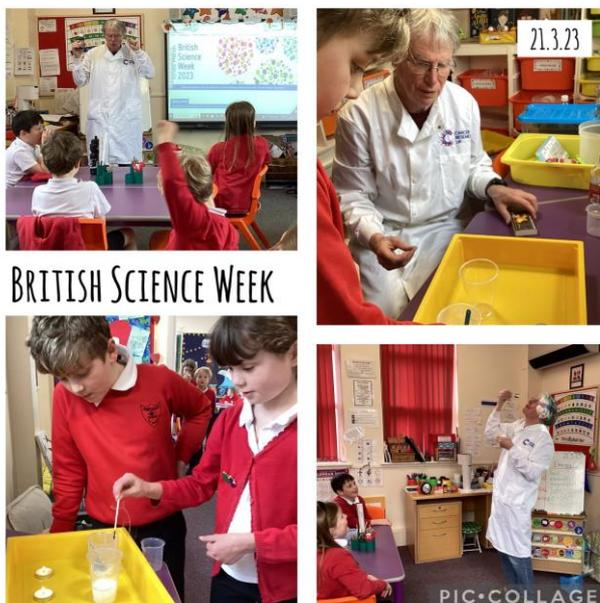
FRIENDS FROM THE VILLAGE

Our Friends from the Village had a delightful morning with Class 2 on Thursday. They played classic board games, coloured spring themed art work and as always had a nail-biting game of bingo! Thank you to Dr McCollum and the volunteers who come and help to make our intergenerational sessions so enjoyable and meaningful for both the children and adults. Dr McCollum commented the outstanding the behaviour of the Year 1 and 2 children and how well they interacted with the grownups. Well done Class 2 -we are very proud of you.



BRITISH SCIENCE WEEK WITH PROFESSOR NEWELL

We are so very lucky to have a real-life Scientist as our Chair of Governors. Herbie is a regular volunteer in school but this week he donned his Lab coat and worked with the children in Class 2 and 3 on a fabulous range of exciting STEM activities to celebrate British Science Week. We are forever grateful for Herbie's invaluable work with our children-they are very fortunate to have such an amazing ambassador for our school.



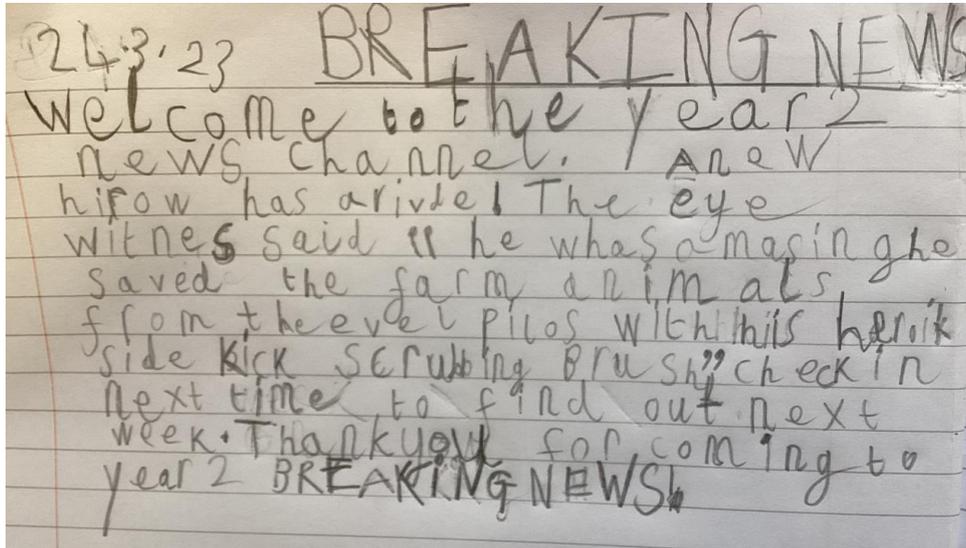
LIVING EGGS

The chicks are off to their new homes today. Well done to the children in Class 1 who have looked after the chicks so well. They will be missed!

CELEBRATING WRITING

This week we are celebrating an excellent piece of writing from Year 2. This is a draft copy of a newspaper report linked with the text 'Traction Man'.

Year 2



Tyne Rivers Trust

SALMON IN THE CLASSROOM-TYNE RIVER TRUST

The children have continued to make observations and record the temperature in the fish tank. The eggs have hatched so we are on track for Class 3 to release them into the local burn at the end of term.

E-SAFETY

Key support websites

<https://www.childnet.com/parents-andcarers>

<https://www.nspcc.org.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 27th March.**

NURSERY PLACES

Just a friendly reminder that we do currently have Nursery places for 2-year olds if you know of any friends, family or neighbours who are looking for provision.



FRIENDS OF HUMSHAUGH

On behalf of all parents, I would like to thank the Friends for their lovely gift of flowers for Mothers' Day last week.

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

Monday 27 th March:	Easter Service in school-staff and pupils
Thursday 30 th March:	NO ZUMBA
Friday 31 st March:	Last Day of Spring 2
Monday 17 th April:	Summer 2 starts
Tuesday 25 th April:	Y3-4 trip -Killhope Lead mining Museum-letter sent out 23.3.23
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
Wednesday 17 th May'	NO FOOTBALL CLUB
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

