

Thought for the Week: "You cannot discover new oceans unless you have the courage to lose sight of the shore." (Anonymous)

celebrating success

Attendance

Last week Sycamore class had the highest attendance with 100% and whole school was once again 98%. This is brilliant, well done everyone. Please don't forget to call 822326 if your child is unable to attend school. Thank you.

Head Teacher Awards

The following children were all given a Head Teacher Award Certificate for their outstanding work last week: Rhys Crocker, Faith Aiston, Justin Cook, Leo Gair, Lauren Hanlon, Chris Blackwood and Rebecca Rowell. Well done to all of you and keep up the good work!

Pudding of the Week

The Pudding of the week was chosen by Oak class and the children are very excited about their creation. It is called 'Tremendously Toffeelicious'. It sounds delicious and it will be served on Thursday 7th May.

Ice-Cream Friday

The following children all had ice-cream sundaes at Ice Cream Friday last week: Josh Bell, Adam Lang, Georgia Fullen, Leon Mudd, Chennai Burns, Ethan McLeod, Nathan McAndrew. These children were rewarded because of their good attitude and their tremendous effort last week.

Star of the Week

Star of the Week Certificates were all given to the following children: Ethan Loy, Emma Price, Evan Reed, Luke Dawson, Jess Sterry, Connor Gibbon and Amiee Robson. These children all had Star Tea with Mr Sutherland due to exemplary attitude.

Manners the Monkey

Manners the Monkey is in our school to help develop good manners in all our children. If children are spotted demonstrating good manners they can enter the weekly prize draw to win a special prize to take home! The winners last week were: Logan Reed and Samantha Arkle.

important information

Important Information

Our Year 6 children have been busy taking their last Mock SATs before the "real" ones begin week commencing May 11th and I wanted to say how proud I am of them and all their efforts over the past few months. They are all real role models for the rest of the school and I cannot complement them highly enough. They are confident, resilient and very well prepared by Miss Tuart and the wonderful staff team we have here at Bedlington Station. A huge well done and thank you to all the pupils and staff who have made this happen.

In addition, our fabulous Year 2 children will also be taking their SATs over the coming weeks and some of the work I have seen from them recently has blown my socks off! I can't wait to hear how well they are all doing so keep up the fantastic work everyone. Again, my thanks go to Mr Layton and the team of staff for ensuring that we give the very best provision for the children at all times.

Whichever year group the children are in, be it Nursery or year 6, our aim is to give the children every chance to shine, both academically and pastorally. We take the opportunity to celebrate all their successes in our Monday and Friday whole-school assemblies, in class throughout the week and by means of displays of outstanding work in the classroom and in our corridors. A huge thank you to all parents and carers who are an integral part of enabling this success both in and around school.

notices

Website

Due to a system glitch, our website was not operational for two days this week. It is now back up and running and my apologies for any inconvenience caused.

Playground Equipment - Before and After School

Just a little reminder, regarding the use of the playground equipment before and after school. Please note that these periods are not supervised by school staff and it is the responsibility of parents and carers in the yard to ensure that your child is using the equipment safely and responsibly. For those parents who have given permission for their children to walk into and from school on their own, I would ask for your support in ensuring that your child understands our rules about using the equipment responsibly. I would particularly ask for more care to be taken if it has been raining as the equipment will naturally be more slippery as a result. If we feel that anyone is not using the equipment appropriately and safely we reserve the right to ask them not to use it until they have shown us they can be responsible. If you have any questions please ask me or any member of staff and we will be happy to help.

May Day Bank Holiday

Don't forget School will be closed on Monday 4th May due to the May Bank Holiday and school will reopen as normal on Tuesday 5th May. Breakfast club will open at 8.00am and whole school at 8.45am.

Lost Property

On Friday 1st May (tomorrow) at 3.00pm, we will have a table in the school playground with lost property on it. Please come and browse to see if your child has lost anything that you may have forgotten about. If there are any unclaimed items left then they will be donated to a local charity shop.

Sainsbury's Active Kids

Please, please, please don't forget to collect the Sainsbury's Active Kids vouchers. The closing date is fast approaching if you have any vouchers lying around the house please send them in. The box is situated in the foyer. Thank you.

The Salvation Army – Film Night

Please go along to the Film Night on Wednesday 13th May at 5.30pm

- **Disney's Tinkerbell and the Legend of the Neverbeast**

£2 entry fee all ages welcome and tuck shop at The Salvation Army, Hartford Road West, Bedlington, NE22 6HU
Please call: 829356 for more details.