



DEARHAM PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER 15th July 2022

What a week



As we edge ever closer to the end of the academic year you may expect that things start to calm down, but it seems here at Dearham we have actually got busier.

I cannot go any further without a huge thank you. Yesterday we had an assembly with Hospice at Home to celebrate and recognise the success of our colour run. You, your families and your children raised a whopping **£3158.80**. In these times of financial hardship for everyone, you have given so freely and with so much generosity that thank you just doesn't seem enough.

Also this week Years 1 and 2 had a fantastic fun day thanks to Pet Encounter Cumbria and Scott Benbow



and the Football Factory. The children stroked and held a variety of animals and then went and kicked or threw balls at an inflatable dart board. Safe to say they were all a little worn out at the end of the day. Scott runs a football session on a Monday at Workington Academy with 3 free sessions for anyone who would like to give it a go. The link to the website is on our website.



As well as the visitors into school we have also had trips out this week with Reception heading off to Clip 'n' Climb in Maryport for adventure and Year 5 heading to Brockhole to learn about the Lake District National Park and the positive and negative effects of tourism.

As I am sitting writing this newsletter all I can hear are excited children heading towards the ice cream van!

Thank you for your continued encouragement for all our trips and activities that go beyond the national curriculum. We would not be able to do them without your support.

Weekly attendance

Results for the week 4th to 8st July

Nursery –89.8%

Reception – 88.86%

Year 1- 93.79%

Year 2 – 87.74%

Year 3 – 97.42%

Year 4 – 94.85%

Year 5 Mrs Ivison – 95.5%

Year 5 Mr Blease – 95.88%

Year 6 – 94.57%

Well done everyone.

Staffing

This week we successfully interviewed two candidates for new learning Support Assistant roles in school. I am delighted to say Ms Donna Fidler and Mrs Jade Williams will be joining us from September. Both of these ladies are experienced LSAs and I know you will welcome them to our Dearham family.

Summer Fair and soak a year 6.

Just a reminder we have our summer fair and Year 6 soak on Monday after school. There will be lots going on arranged by FODS and I know you are going to be lining up to give our Year 6 children and maybe even the staff a soaking.

Dearham's Got Talent

The talent show to beat all others takes place in the school hall on Wednesday 20th July. Tickets are available from the Key Stage 2 classes for what will be some show stopping entertainment.

Last week.

Just a final reminder of what is going on next week.

Monday 18th – Summer Fair and soak a year 6 from 3:30

Tuesday 19th – Leavers assembly

Wednesday 20th Nursery last day and Dearham's got talent

Thursday 21st – Last day and Year 6 t-shirt signing.

Please don't forget school closes at 1:30 on 21st July and reopens at 08:50 on 7th September

Courtesy Cup

Courtesy Cups this week went to:

Paddy Pattinson

Chloe Bell

Zane Smith and Lacey Chilton

Well done all of you for being such excellent role models

HEAD TEACHER'S AWARDS THIS WEEK WENT TO:

<p>Nursery</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Zach Browne✓ Freddie Varty	<p>Year Three</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Chloe McKenzie✓ Emily Bishop
<p>Reception</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Reception were on their trip so didn't join the assembly	<p>Year Four</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Noah Parker✓ Joey Nawrockyj
<p>Year One</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Summer Mossop✓ Kayden Plaskett✓ Freddie Summerfield	<p>Year Five</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Molly Wilkinson✓ Lana Stephenson✓ Esme Blackburn✓ Elijah Woolley✓ Lexi Dent✓ Katie Kirkbride✓ Maria Wilson
<p>Year Two</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Chloe Tubman✓ Esther Blackburn✓ Billy Thompson✓ Henry Smith	<p>Year Six</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Remi Sadler✓ Lexi Smith

Dates for your diary

The same list with a few extras highlighted

- 19th July – YEAR 6 LEAVERS ASSEMBLY
- 20th July – nursery last day
- 20th July – Dearham has got talent
- 21st July – school closes for summer
- School reopens to the children at 08:50 on Wednesday 7th September.