

Date: 29th March 2018



'Newsham News'

Quote of the Week: "Easter is meant to be a symbol of hope, renewal and new life" Janine di Giovanni

Dinner Menu	Week 1 New Summer Menu
Day	What is happening
Monday 16th April	9am - 3pm Submarines Car Building Workshop 10am - Whole School Assembly
Tuesday 17th April	9am - 3pm Submarines Car Building Workshop 3.15pm - 4.15pm Y6 Reading Club Mrs Charlton 3.15pm - 4.15pm Gardening Club 3.15pm - 4.15pm Y2 Maths Club Miss Davison & Mrs Stiansen 3.15pm - 4.15pm Y4 Reading Club Mr Smith 3.15pm - 4.15pm Y3 Reading Club Mrs Finnigan 3.15pm - 4.15pm Y5/6 Netball Club
Wednesday 18th April	2.30pm - Star Tea with Mr Jones 3.15pm - 4.15pm Y6 Reading Booster Mrs Fogarty 3.15pm - 4.15pm Y6 Maths Booster Miss Graham 3.15pm - 4.15pm Y6 Maths Booster Mrs Atkinson 3.15pm - 4.15pm Y3 Numeracy Booster Mrs Finnigan
Thursday 19th April	3.15 - 4.15 Y4/5 Athletics 3.15pm - 4.15pm Y6 Maths Booster Miss Graham 3.15pm - 4.15pm Y6 Reading Booster Mrs Fogarty 3.15pm - 4.15pm Y3 Reading Booster Mrs Ross
Friday 20th April	1pm - Dolphins swimming lesson

Star Pupils of the Week

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Starfish - Lacey
Seahorses - Annelise
Puffins - Leo
Penguins—Keiran
Lifeboats - Matthew
Coastguards - Mavrick
Kittiwakes - Daniel
Oystercatchers - Sam
Whales - Owen
Dolphins - Tegan
Galleons - James
Submarines - Chelsie
Neptune - Elise
Atlantis - Keira

Easter Activity Day – 28th March 2018

Thanks very much to everyone for supporting our Easter Activity Day. The children had a wonderful time and this followed on beautifully from the Easter Assembly that Mrs Elton led for us last week. We will let you know as soon as possible how much we have raised through this event.

Y5 Assembly

We have enjoyed some fantastic year group assemblies recently and yet again, we were delighted by Y5 last week. They shared their curriculum assembly before inviting parents and carers into their classrooms to see their fantastic World War One projects. Some of the homework contributions were outstanding and really helped to bring this project to life. Well done everyone and many thanks to all those who were able to attend this event.

Easter Holidays

Please remember that school closes today for our Easter holiday. We hope everyone has a wonderfully relaxing break from school and we look forward to seeing you when school reopens on Monday, April 16th.

Sporting Events

Well done to all our pupils who have represented Newsham Primary School recently in a wide range of competitive sporting events. These have included netball, football, hockey and dance! Children from a variety of year groups have been involved and have all represented our school perfectly. I'd expect nothing less! Congratulations everyone.

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Swimming Reminder

Could we please remind parents/carers that children are NOT to wear their swimming costumes for school on the days they go swimming, thank you.

In it to win it winners

Our winners for this terms in it to win are Ellie-Jo, William and Eva who all win a £5 WH Smith voucher.

Persistently Perfect

Congratulations to our Persistently Perfect Spring Two Winners, Starfish - Olivia, Seahorse - Yusra, Puffins - Olivia, Penguins - Francesca, Coastguards - Allanah, Lifeboats - Emily, Kittiwakes - Kaden, Oystercatchers - Joe, Whales - Anthony, Dolphins - Olivia, Galleons - Jake, Submarines - Ryan, Neptune - Jessica and Atlantis - Chloe. Well done children.

Attendance

Our whole school attendance percentage for last week was **95%**. **EYFS** winners were **Full Pebbles** with **98%** attendance, **KS1** attendance winners last week were **Puffins** with **98%** attendance, Lower **KS2** attendance winners last week were **Dolphins** with **99%** attendance and Upper **KS2** attendance winners last week were **Submarines** with **100%** attendance.

Team Points

Our weekly team points are:

Red = 1160, Green = 1149 and Yellow = 1231.

Winners for last week were Yellow Team (Bamburgh), well done!

Ship Shape

Dolphins won our tidy classroom award 'Ship Shape'. Well done Dolphins.

Word of the Week

Reflective and was awarded to George in Year 2. George receives a pack of gel pens for being reflective and checking his own work without being told to. Well done George.

Pupil Success

Well done to Olivia who came 3rd in her recent dancing contest also winning the adjudicator award! Well done also to Will who has just passed his stage 6 swimming badge including 200m, 400m and 600m.

Yours sincerely
Mrs AM Armstrong
Headteacher