

Date: 7th March 2019



'Newsham News'

Quote of the Week: "Change is the end result of all true learning". **Leo Buscaglia**

**Star Pupils
of the Week**
W/B 4th March 2019

Starfish - Ebony
Seahorses - Jack
Puffins - Joe
Penguins - Megan
Lifeboats - Holly
Coastguards - Lily
Kittiwakes - Samiul
Oystercatchers - Molly
Whales - Ronan
Dolphins - Jayden
Galleons - David
Submarines - Jay
Neptune - Jake
Atlantis - Joe

Dinner Menu	See Live Kitchen
Day	What is happening
Monday 11th March	Whole School Assembly 3.15pm - 4.15pm Y5/6 Hockey
Tuesday 12th March	3.15pm - 4.15pm Y3/4 Tennis Club 3.15pm - 4.15pm Y5/6 Netball Club 3.15pm - 4.15 Y6 Reading Booster (Mrs Charlton)
Wednesday 13th March	3.15pm - 4.15pm Y6 SPAG Booster (Mrs Ross) 3.15pm - 4.15pm Y6 Reading Booster (Miss Graham) .15pm - 4.15PM Y5 Reading Booster (Mrs Finnigan)
Thursday 14th March	8.05am - Rockstars Club 9am - Y4 Parent Assembly in the Hall PM - Y3 Multiskills 3.15pm - 4.15pm KS2 Choir Club 3.15pm - 4.30pm Y6 Art Club 3.15pm - 4.30pm Maths Club Y5/6 (Mrs Rowley)
Friday 15th March	Comic Relief Day 8.05am - Rockstars Club Newcastle University visiting Y5 1pm onwards - Dolphins swimming lesson 2.30pm - Star Tea

Parents' Evening

Many thanks to everyone who attended a parents' evening appointment last week. It was lovely to be able to invite so many of you into school and the feedback suggests you found the appointments really useful. If you were not able to attend and would like to discuss your child's progress, please contact our school office and we will try to arrange a mutually convenient time to meet. Many thanks.

Y5 Football

Well done to the pupils who represented our school at football last week. As usual, we were really proud of the way they participated and their team skills that were so evident on the pitch. Well done everyone.

Comic Relief (Friday, 15th March)

Just a reminder that in terms of Comic Relief next Friday, the children can wear anything that relates to Comic Relief or alternatively red clothes. If parents / carers want to send a donation for this charity into school on 15th March, we'd be delighted to send the total donation to Comic Relief after the event.

Mathletics March Maths Challenge

We are challenging you to earn as many participation points as you can from Monday 11th March until Sunday 17th March (1 week).

Prizes are awarded for top performing schools and everyone who participates will receive a special Participation certificate. Good Luck!

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Attendance

Our whole school attendance percentage for last week was **95%**, which means we didn't meet our school target of **96%**. **Seahorses** were the winners in **EYFS** with **98%**, **KS1** attendance winners last week were **Lifeboats** with **99%** attendance, there were no winners in **Lower KS2** and **Upper KS2** winners were **Atlantis** with **99%**.

Team Points

Our weekly team points are: **Red = 1214, Green = 1114 and Yellow = 1256.**

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

Word of the Week

Relentless and was awarded to Jack Michael in Year 6. Jack Michael receives a pack of gel pens for being relentless with his times tables. Well done Jack Michael.

Star of the Month January

Congratulations to the following children who have been awarded Star of the Month for February: Poppy, Daisy, Finley, Kenzie, Olivia, Livy, Arseld, Matthew, Mercedes, Charlie, Ameliah, Sophie, Anya and Ryan.

Pupil Success

Well done to Thompson who has gained his first Dan Black Belt in martial arts.

Yours sincerely

Mrs A-M Armstrong

Headteacher