



### Attendance for Last Week

*Our School Target is 97%*

**LAST WEEK WE ACHIEVED 94%**

*Class percentages for last week :*

Nursery (am)	- 90.0%
Nursery (pm)	- 97.0%
Reception (Turtles)	- 98.2%
Year 1 (Jellyfish)	- 86.4%
Year 2 (Puffins)	- 95.5%
Year 3 (Sharks)	- 90.3%
Year 4 (Penguins)	- 99.3%

*Well done Penguins!*

### STARS OF THE WEEK

**Harrison Goodfellow**

**Amelia Berney**

**Sophie Taylor**

**Jacob Thompson**

**Jax Burns**

**Danni Curran**

**Evie Bell**

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### PTA SUMMER FAIR—NEXT WEEK

It's our PTA Summer Fair after school on Thursday 29th June. We'll have the bouncy castle, pony rides, welly hoy and fire engine there amongst other stalls and activities. The

PTA have already collected together some great raffle prizes including family days out at Whitehouse Farm, Kirkley Hall Zoo and Alnwick Garden plus a night out for ten people at Newcastle Greyhounds.

The PTA are still on the lookout for donations of tombola prizes and cakes (to be brought on the day). There's a small treat in the office for children bringing donations in!

**THERE WILL BE NO KS1 FOOTBALL CLUB NEXT WEEK.**

**Please note that for safety we will not be able to bring children attending after school club to the Summer Fair.**

### MUSIC BIG GIG

This week our KS2 children took part in a music 'Big Gig' at JCSC along with other schools from our school partnership. The children did really well playing their clarinets and chalumeau in front of a large audience as well as joining in with a little dancing. See pics and video on the school Facebook Page.

### SCHOOL GAMES SUCCESS

A huge well done to Jessica, Caitlin and Lola from Year 4 who were selected to represent the Ashington and Coquet Partnership at the School Games in Cramlington yesterday. The girls did brilliantly in their races and helped the team win gold medals for the second year running! The Y4 Quadkids competition that was rained off has now been rescheduled to Monday 10th July so we'll look forward to seeing the girls in action again then!

### SPORTS DAY T-SHIRTS

It's not long until Sports Day now (Monday 3rd July). Children can come to school in sports clothes on the day. If possible, we ask that children wear a Tshirt of the same colour as the colour team they are in in class (red, yellow or green) but this is not essential.

### SUN CREAM AND HATS

Parents are strongly recommended to apply suncream to children at the start of each day during the next few weeks. When the weather is good the children spend more time outside. When asking the children we have been really impressed with the number that are having suncream applied each morning but there are still many who are not. We also advise that children are sent to school with a hat to help protect them from the sun.



### ST MARY'S LIGHTHOUSE VISIT

Our Y2 children enjoyed a great day out at St. Mary's Lighthouse. After being caught in the thunder and lightning we showed great resilience climbing right to the top of the lighthouse, finding out how it worked. We walked around the outside of the island and then back across the causeway before we watched the island being cut off by the tide. Due to the weather there was a change of plan in order for us to dry off. The bus turned into a mobile classroom where we learned about life on the island. The bus aisle provided a great catwalk for us to model the outfits worn in the early 19th century when St. Mary's was a fully working lighthouse. The weather certainly didn't dampen our spirits!

**RELATIONSHIP AND SEX EDUCATION BRIEFING**  
**Please see the letter on the reverse for more information.**

### 2017 SCHOOL DIARY

Friday 23rd June	5pm—7pm PTA Movie Night
Thursday 29th June	Turtles trip to Tynemouth Aquarium
Thursday 29th June	3.00pm PTA Summer Fair
Monday 3rd July	Nursery Sports Day (All children in morning)
Monday 3rd July	1pm—SPORTS DAY
Tuesday 4th July	TRANSITION DAY
***NEW*** Thursday 6th July	2pm - Relationship and Sex Education Parents' Briefing
***NEW*** Monday 10th July	Y4 Quad Kids Athletics
***NEW*** Monday 10th, Tues 11th, Weds 12th July	Parents' Evenings
Thursday 13th July	Year 2 Puffins Class Assembly
Monday 17th July	12.30pm Family Picnic and Pea Hunt
Monday 17th July	5pm—Year 4 Leavers' Performance
Tuesday 18th July	3.30pm—Year 4 Leavers' Awards
Friday 21st July	2.00pm—School Closes for Summer Break



**NEXT WEEK : Thursday: Year 2 Friday: Year 4**  
**Don't forget swimming kits and contributions!**