## Amble Links First School

# LINKS NEWS

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#### Attendance for Week 3

Our school target is 95 %

OVERALL LAST WEEK- 95%

Reception (Turtles) 94%
Year 1 Jellyfish- 95%
Year 2 Puffins - 98%
Year 3 Sharks- 91%
Year 4 Penguins - 97%

Well Done Puffins!

#### STARS OF THE

### WEEK Lillie Spuhler

Sam Callaghan
Jack Ross
Jax Burns
Harry Dawson
Caitlin Stanford
Grace Dawson

#### BAG 2 SCHOOL COLLECTION

We've arranged our next
Bag2School collection for **Monday**16th May. Bags will be distributed
soon. Please keep hold of any old
winter clothes that are surplus to



requirements as they can help us raise money for school.

#### TURTLES ASSEMBLY

We were all impressed with the Turtles on Thursday as they talked about people who help us in their class assembly. It was good to hear that they already have aspirations for the future as footballers, firefighters, builders and police officers etc. They were all very brave to speak in front of an audience too.

#### DO YOU HAVE A COUPLE HOURS TO HELP US?

During the Easter holiday we have planned to do a little work around the school grounds and were hoping to recruit any parents who might offer to volunteer a couple hours of their time to help us out. We plan to remove a raised bed, dig over an area of soil, move some topsoil and relocate a shed. If any parents would be willing to help us out from 10am Tuesday 29th March please call in and let Mr Heeley know!. We will supply the tea and biscuits! Hopefully the work won't take long and by doing this ourselves will allow us to save money that we can spend on other projects for the children. We look forward to hearing from you. So far we've had a couple kind offers of help but more hands make lighter work!

### COOKING AROUND THE WORLD

As part of this term's topic work, our Y2 Puffins welcomed Jill from Quorn Foods back to school. Jill helped the children cook a range of dishes from around the world including Thai Curry, Bunny Chow, Paella and Nachos. We were really impressed with how much the children tried and enjoyed!

WELL DONE to Leon Wilson who earned the most points in Mathletics last week with a huge total of 11116 points.

### MOVIE NIGHT TONIGHT! 5pm-7pm

£3



For the children attending the Dance Showcase on Tuesday 22nd March, Mrs Goodfellow has sent out a second letter with some revised details. Please ensure that you have received this. Don't hesitate to ask Mrs Goodfellow if you are uncertain. BUY SCHOOL UNIFORM AT alfs.schoople.com

#### 2016 SCHOOL DIARY

Friday 18th March	PTA Movie Night 5pm-7pm
Monday 21st March	Afternoon Seahorses— Stay and Play for Parents
Thursday 24th March	PTA Easter Egg Raffle and Decorated Egg Competition
Thursday 24th March	<b>2pm</b> -School Closes for Easter Holiday
Monday 11th April	Teacher Training Day School Closed to children
Tuesday 12th April	School Reopens for Summer Term
***NEW***	BAG2SCHOOL
Monday 16th May	COLLECTION

#### Decorated Egg Competition

We will be running our annual decorated egg competition again this year and will announce our favourites in assembly Thursday 24th March. All children entering the competition will receive a small prize. Please ensure that all entries are brought to the hall on Wednesday 23rd March (not before

please) and include your child's name and year group. We look forward to seeing the great ideas that the children have had to create their eggs.



THANKS FOR ALL THE DONATIONS FOR THE EASTER
RAFFLE SO FAR-PLEASE KEEP THEM COMING!
RAFFLE WILL BE DRAWN AFTER ASSEMBLY
NEXT THURSDAY

THERE WILL BE NO SWIMMING FOR ANY CLASSES NEXT WEEK

#### EASTER EXPERIENCE

We'd like to thank the people from St Cuthbert's Church who welcomed our Y2, Y3 and Y4 children to their 'Easter Experience' again this week. This event really brings the Easter story to life for the children.

It was thoroughly enjoyed by all!

Visit our website at: www.amblelinks.northumberland.sch.uk for lots more information!!

