



STARS OF THE WEEK

Bobby Goward
Thea Scotland
Poppy Middlemiss-Ross
William McPeake
Ronnie Dodds
Dolcie Stewart
Alice Dunn
Robyn Common

ATTENDANCE & PUNCTUALITY

OVERALL LAST WEEK (R-Y5): **94.6%**

	Last Week	This Year	Lates this week
YN (Starfish)	98.3%	93.9%	3
YR (Lobsters)	91.7%	91.6%	2
Y1 (Jellyfish)	95.9%	94.3%	0
Y2 (Puffins)	95.2%	95.2%	1
Y3 (Seals)	88.6%	96.5%	1
Y4 (Terns)	97.3%	95.8%	2
Y5 (Heron)	99.1%	96.5%	4

2025 SCHOOL DIARY

Monday 2nd June	School Reopens for Summer half term 2
Thursday 5th June	Year 3 & 4 to Children's Countryside Day—Wooler
Tuesday 10th June	Lobsters visit to Spurreli
Wednesday 11th June	Year 1 visit to Warkworth Castle
Tuesday 17th June	Year 5 Sports Festival Ashington
Wednesday 18th June	Y5 Visit to Woodhorn
Thursday 19th June	Year 4 Quadkids Athletics event at Amble Links
Wednesday 25th June	SUMMER FAIR
Monday 30th June	12.30pm Reception—Y5 Sports Day
NEW Monday 7th July	Y5 Parents' Meeting (Preparing for Y6)
Tuesday 8th July	Transition Day—children to visit their new classes
Monday 14th July	1.30pm—Nursery Sports Day
NEW Tuesday 15th July	Exhibition and sale of pupils' artwork in hall.
Thursday 17th July	12.30pm Picnic and Pea Hunt
Friday 18th July	2pm. SCHOOL CLOSES FOR SUMMER HOLIDAY

ALL HOLIDAY DATES FOR 2024-25 and 2025-26 CAN BE FOUND ON THE SCHOOL WEBSITE [HERE](http://www.ambleschools.co.uk).

PUFFIN PAINTINGS ON DISPLAY AROUND AMBLE

The children have been busy creating their entries for this year's Puffin Painting Competition as part of the Puffin Festival. The children's work is now on display in various shops around Amble (listed below), so why not take a walk through town to admire these masterpieces!

Reception: SHAK Dog Charity Shop
 Year 1 Jellyfish: Radcliffe's Café Bar
 Year 2 Puffins: Grayscale Tattoo Parlour
 Year 3 Seals: Alexa Dog Charity Shop
 Year 4 Terns: 1911 Café
 Year 5 Herons: Strands Gift Shop

RSHE MEETING

On Monday, our KS2 class teachers, along with Jane, our School Nurse, held a meeting for parents about the 'Changing Me' topic that the children will taking part in during this half term as part of our Relationships, Sex and Health Education programme. The units cover age appropriate content to help children understand about changing bodies and growing up and how to deal with these changes positively. In KS2 the children will be learning more about puberty and reproduction and cover a range of linked learning. Only a small number of parents attended our meeting but lots more information can be found [HERE](http://www.ambleschools.co.uk).

SWIMMING GOGGLES

If children have swimming goggles at home, they are invited to bring these along to school swimming lessons. There is a very limited supply of spare googles available at the pool. Please do not specifically buy googles for your child at this stage..

BREAKFAST CLUB

Our Breakfast Club has been going from strength to strength during the last term, especially now that it is FREE from 8.00am and only £1.50 between 7.30am and 8.00am. We're currently welcoming up to 40 children each morning! The children get to enjoy cereal, toast and a drink before playing with friends. Children who come to Breakfast Club are never late for school.

On week beginning 9th June we're going to also be trying out some new breakfast menu items including: Bagels, cheese board, fruit kebabs, beans or scrambled egg on toast, crumpets, fruit smoothies and, on 'Treat Friday' homemade Scotch Pancakes which always go down a treat!

ART EXHIBITION & SALE

We're delighted to announce a date for an exhibition and sale of the wonderful artwork that the children have completed with local artist and ex-pupil, Katherine Renton, as part of a project kindly funded by Northumberland Coast Natural Landscape. We will be hosting a VIP preview for local guests and dignitaries on Monday 14th July with the exhibition then open to parents throughout the day on Tuesday 15th July.

We will have lots of the children's artwork mounted and on display and there will also be an option for parents to order mounted pictures following the event. We hope that this will help raise some additional funds for school. Look out for more information coming soon.

RUNNING CLUB CANCELLATION

Due to staff training, Running Club on the first week back after half term (Wednesday 4th June) will need to be cancelled. Runners are welcome to join Mrs Goodfellow's Athletics Club that evening if they wish. Please let us know whether your child should be sent home that day or whether they will be joining Mrs Goodfellow.

SUMMER FAIR

It's nearly time for our Summer Fair again. Last year we were blessed with excellent weather and everyone seemed to have a great time. These events can only be successful with the help and support of our community. Mrs Dellbridge is already on the lookout for volunteers to help out, raffle and tombola prizes, and cuddly toys. The children have told us that they would also like another gunge vote to take place for Mrs Cuthbertson's last Summer Fair at Amble Links!