

# Greenhead CE Primary School Newsletter

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<b>Mrs Hancock &amp; Miss Rey</b> (Please note – this menu Monday		Thursday		Friday	
Chicken Pie, Peas & Wedges	Gammon & Pineapple, New Potatoes & Salad	Meatballs, Pasta, Sweetcorn & Homemade Bread	Chicken à la K Rice	(ing &	Pizza, Beans & Chips
Blueberry Muffin	Fruit Salad	Apple Crumble & Custard	Angel Delight		Oaty Biscuit & Fruit Juice
Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yo	oghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt



## Stars of the Week

Reception – Molly for putting 100% into everything she does

Class 1 – Rachel for a great retelling of "How the Elephant Got his Trunk"

Class 2 – Elizabeth and Lily-Mai for independently getting on with their English planning

Headteacher's Award – Connor and Brandon for their fantastic effort with their homework

### Meeting

We will be holding a meeting for parents on Tuesday, 26<sup>th</sup> September at 6.30pm in the school hall to discuss future fundraising and social events.

Everyone welcome – tea/coffee and cakes provided!

## Attendance w/c

Reception	96.3%
Year 1	92%
Year 2	93.3%
Year 3	88.6%
Year 4	96.6%
Overall	93.4%



#### Learning Achievements

**Reception:** have been looking at using positional language and practicing their letter and number formation. They have been talking about what their favourite farm animals are.

**Class 1:** have been busy retelling the story of "How the Elephant Got his Trunk" and creating their own stories. In Maths they have been working on place value.

Class 1 and Reception have had some tortoises visit the class this week and our class pet, Goldie the Goldfish, arrived!

**Class 2:** have been learning all about Anne Frank and her family in preparation to write their own diary entry next week. In maths the children have been rounding numbers to the nearest 10, 100 and 1,000. Light bulbs have been lit in Science as the children have made simple circuits using switches and bulbs.

For more information please look on our website and Facebook page.

School disco We will be having a disco for the children on Wednesday, 18 <sup>th</sup> October from 5.30 – 7.00pm in the school hall. Entertainment, sweet stall, etc. Hot dogs & juice provided - £2 per child.	Sickness Bug There have been a few cases of sickness bug recently. Please could we remind you that if you're your child is sick and/or has diarrhoea they should not return to school for 48 hours after the last symptoms.
<b>Ouseburn Valley</b> A reminder that Key Stage 2 children will be visiting Ouseburn Valley on Thursday, 12 <sup>th</sup> October. Please return permission slip and voluntary contribution if you have not already done so.	Reminders Coffee afternoon – Friday, 29 <sup>th</sup> September, 2.15pm. Raffle prizes and baking appreciated. Harvest Festival - Friday, 13 <sup>th</sup> October, St Cuthbert's Church, 11.15am Half term – School finishes on Thursday, 19 <sup>th</sup> October. (Friday, 20 <sup>th</sup> October is a Teacher Training day) Return to school Monday, 30 <sup>th</sup> October.
Packed lunches We promote healthy eating in our schools and would ask that packed lunches do not contain fizzy drinks, sweets or chocolate. Crisps are discouraged. Please can we remind you that we have a child with a severe nut allergy so no nuts or products containing nuts should be brought into school.	Parents/Pupils Voice If possible, we would like parents/carers and/or children's opinions of what makes our school special. Please complete and return the attached form.

Yours

Sarah Hutchinson Executive Headteacher

Greenhead School is special because:

Signed ..... Date .....