

# **Greenhead CE Primary School Newsletter**

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# Mrs Hancock & Miss Reynold's Menu w/c 22/1/18 (Please note – this menu may be subject to change)

Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday

Shepherd's Pie & Chicken Goujons, Pasta Bolognaise, Sausage Casserole, Pizza, Chips &

Carrots Wedges & Garlic Bread & Salad Yorkshire Pudding, Beans

Sweetcorn Mashed Potato &

Peas

Sticky Toffee Pudding Jelly & Fruit Frozen Fruit Steamed Jam Sponge Iced Muffin Cake

Smoothie & Custard

Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt



# Stars of the Week

Reception – Ruby for excellent reading and sounding out words

Class 1 – Aleeah for working hard on her Rapunzel recount

Class 2 - Aiden for careful and informative research in both Science and English.

Virtues & Values Award - Friendship - Lily T for sharing and helping others

Our Virtues and Values for the Spring Term are: Generosity, Friendship, Determination, Joy & Compassion

Headteacher's Award – All of the new school councillors- raring to go this term with new ideas and a positive attitude-well done everyone!

Pen Licence – Well done to Elias for gaining his pen licence

# **Young Leaders**

Very soon staff across the Federation will be taking part in Young Leaders training.

We are very excited to be able to be involved in this initiative. The aim of the Archbishop of York Young Leaders Awards is to equip young people to 'be the change they want to see' in their local communities.

The KS2 Award, geared towards Years 5 and 6, is an exciting and interactive set of materials where pupils learn about key leadership skills, grow in character and have practical opportunities to volunteer and help others in their community. We will be having a non-uniform day for the whole school at the suggested contribution of £1 per child on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February to raise money for our first Young Leaders project—more details to follow.

# Attendance w/c 15/1/18

Reception	95%
Year 1	100%
Year 2	100%
Year 3	91.4%
Year 4	91.7%
Year 5	100%
Overall	96.9%



# **Learning Achievements**

**Reception:** have been learning about Jack and the Beanstalk and counting magic beans. We have been planting our own beans

Class 1: have been doing role play and writing a recount for Rapunzel. We enjoyed a visit to Featherstone Castle. In Maths, the children have been looking at tens and ones within 2 digit numbers and using arrays to help with multiplication and division.

Class 2: have been practising hard with their gymnastic routine in anticipation for the competition next week. In Science the children have continued to find out about their chosen Arctic animal. In English the children have been writing a narrative; they have been creating the setting, character and plot to engage the reader. Multiplication and division had been happening in Maths with the children using an area model to help them multiply two 2-digit numbers together. We have also been working hard on reasoning and problem solving. The snowy weather has enabled the children to imagine the cold Arctic so for once the snow was welcome and well timed!

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

## Premier League association football tournament.

The selected Year 5 and 6 team will need to be at Henshaw School, dressed in the Federation football kit, ready to leave at 8.15am equipped with packed lunch, a filled water bottle, shin pads and a warm coat, tracksuit trousers and a hat.

## Community lunch 25.01.2018

We are very much looking forward to welcoming members of the wider community into school to have lunch and play board games with the KS2 children.

## **School Councillors**

Our new councillors are:

Imogen N

Arthur

Kate

Jess W

Jessica F

Yours

Sarah Hutchinson

Executive Headteacher