



Greenhead CE Primary School Newsletter



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Mrs Hancock & Miss Reynold's Menu w/c 8/5/17

(Please note – this menu may be subject to change)

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Spaghetti Bolognaise, Homemade Bread & Salad	Steak Pie, Potatoes & Peas	Chicken Casserole, Dumplings, Mashed Potato & Carrots	Beef Enchiladas, Wedges & Salad	Chicken Burger, Chips & Beans
Pineapple Upside Down Cake	Angel Delight	Fruit Meringue	Marble Cake & Custard	Fruit & Ice Cream
Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt

Stars of the Week

Reception – Rachel for reading the story “We’re Going on a Bear Hunt” beautifully to the rest of the class

Class 1 – Lilly for remembering to use different strategies to help with her Maths

Class 2 – Kerys for being kind and helpful

Virtues & Values Award – Courage – Nicole for having a go at Maths

Headteacher’s Award – Joe for being a sensible member of the school community and taking his new role as friendship monitor extremely seriously

Carnival Committee

Our first Carnival Committee meeting is on Tuesday, 9th May 3.00 – 4.30pm. If anyone has any chicken wire, large sheets of cardboard or grey/brown wool (all shades) it would be very welcome.

Mrs Meek

We would like to say a huge thank you to Mrs Meek for the help and support she has given us over the past 18 months.

Attendance w/c 2/5/17

Reception	100%
Year 1	100%
Year 2	96%
Year 3	75%
Year 4	100%
Overall	97%

Learning Achievements

Reception: have been nature detectives in the Nature Garden. They have been looking at capacity and describing characters from “The Gruffalo”.

Class 1: have been weighing in Maths and, in English, reading “The Highway Rat”. They have been nature detectives looking for signs of animals and identifying plants and trees in the Nature Garden.

Class 2: have had rugby coaching with Olly. They have been learning about the digestive system and creating their own out of modelling clay. They have created a new STEM display.

The children should have started their habitat project for homework by now; can we remind you that the animals do not have to be expensive – they can be made from salt dough, plasticine or drawn.

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

Year 5 Meeting

Thank you to all those who attended and the positive feedback given. Exciting times ahead with a new Year 5 cohort!

Parent Safeguarding & Child Protection Information

If you have any concerns about a child, including bullying, please see the school’s designated Safeguarding Lead or their deputy (Mrs Hutchinson & Mrs Fairless). Please see attached the latest guidelines of Preventing & Tackling Bullying.

Mornings

We know that mornings can be hectic but please could we ask that your child comes “school ready” daily. This includes arriving on time, wearing correct school uniform and school shoes and bringing everything they need for the day – book bags, PE kits, wellies, water bottles, etc. With the weather being unpredictable a coat is always needed.

A reminder that we do have a before school club, from 7.45am onwards, where your child can have breakfast if wanted. (Pre-booking required).

I would like to say a big ‘thank you’ to the parents and children for your continued support and for making my first week as Headteacher a special one.

Yours

Sarah Hutchinson
Executive Headteacher