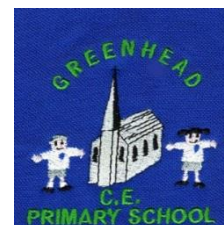




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Friday, 9th September 2016

Dear Parents

Please can we make you aware that for the foreseeable future we will not have anyone working in the school office. Unfortunately Mrs Tapscott is ill and we hope that you will join the staff in sending our thoughts and wishing her a speedy recovery. Please can all monies be sent to school in clearly labelled envelopes. We hope that you can bear with us at this time.

Parent consultations – Wednesday 15th February

Please see attached slip for appointment times.

Please note – due to staff commitments the Reception children have been offered appointments on Tuesday 14th February.

School 360

As you may be aware the children have been using School 360. This is a new E-Learning platform provided by NCC that the children can access both at school and home. It enables them to communicate with their peers and teaching staff, gain school points and earn points through games which can be used to develop their character. Whilst this is a fantastic and age appropriate package for the children to access; may I remind you that we encourage each child to remember and follow the rules of staying safe on-line which include keeping their password to themselves and reporting any issues to a grown up immediately.

School bus

Unfortunately we have had reports of inappropriate behaviour including being unkind to one another and name calling on the bus journey to and from school. Please can you talk to your child about the importance of keeping seatbelts on and remaining seated throughout the journey in order to avoid distracting the driver.

World Book Day – Thursday 2nd March

“Donate £1.00 to go towards Book Aid International and bring your favourite book character to life!”
For character ideas please visit www.bookaid.org/worldbookday

After school club

Can we please remind you that due to staff First Aid training there will be no after school clubs on Wednesday 22nd and Wednesday 29th March. Thank you

Nature garden re-vamp!

We have an exciting week ahead of us!

The children will be involved in this project on Thursday, 16th February and will take part in activities led by Sally Graham, Ranger from Northumberland National Parks. **They will need appropriate outdoor clothing, including wellies and a waterproof coat.** On Friday, 17th February the Station Commander from Spadeadam will kindly conduct the handover of the nature garden at 11.00am. The PTA will be serving refreshments and you are invited to attend from 10.30am onwards. The children will be selling cakes and biscuits; the proceeds to go towards new outdoor resources – let's

hope the weather is kind to us!

Star of the Week

Reception – Aleeah – For improved writing and excellent gymnastic skills!

Class 1 – Olivia – For fantastic fractions!

Class 2 – Jack – For rapid report writing!

Virtues and Values – Trust – Mackenzie trusted one of his peers to help him to complete an activity.

Handwriting

We have seen a noticeable improvement in all children's handwriting this week! Keep up the good work everyone!

Dates for your diary

Year 4 Residential talk with Debra Rowntree	Monday 27 th February 3.30pm – Greenhead School
West Tyne Federation joint Ash Wednesday Service	Wednesday 1 st March 11.15am - St Cuthbert's Church, Greenhead
World Book Day – dress as your favourite character.	Thursday 2 nd March
Mother's Day tea and cake morning (More details to follow)	9.45-10.30am Thursday 23 rd March Greenhead School Hall
Red Nose Day (More details to follow)	Friday 24 th March
Dance Festival (All Year groups – more details to follow)	Tuesday 28 th March

Mrs Hancock & Miss Reynolds's Menu w/c 23.1.17 (Please note this menu may be subject to change)

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Spaghetti Bolognaise, Homemade Bread & Salad	Beef Enchiladas, Wedges & Salad	Chicken Casserole, Mashed Potato, Carrots & Dumplings	Steak Pie, Potatoes & Peas	Chicken Burger, Beans & Chips
Pineapple Upside Down Cake	Angel Delight	Fruit Meringue	Chocolate Brownie and Fruit Juice	Fruit & Ice Cream (Soup if really cold)
Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt

Yours

Mrs Meek

Acting Executive Head Teacher

